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Let's Go:



Top Tips



Ten Tips for Successful Funding

- 1 Read the pre-application guidance.** Make sure you check that your application meets the investors' criteria, and align your submission as closely as possible to these. Outline the need, what your solution is and how you/your organisation have the skills, expertise and ability to deliver this solution. Most funding schemes are looking for 'new' activity – does your project tick this box?
 - 2 Tell a story.** There are so many applications for funding these days that what stands out is telling an anecdote about how your project or organisation really helps people. Spell out how you hit the criteria for funding, and don't be afraid to use block capitals or bold typeface to draw attention to keywords that the investors have referenced in their criteria. Detail how the funding will lead to sustainable delivery and the long-term impact the funding could have.
 - 3 Think outside the box.** Give your bid the 'x factor'. How will you tackle a problem in a particularly creative or innovative way? Demonstrate how your project will tackle an old problem in a refreshingly new and effective way.
 - 4 Contact the investor to check over the application or ask questions.** This shows you are keen and using initiative, offers the opportunity for valuable feedback and most importantly builds a relationship with the investor, which in turn gives you credibility.
 - 5 Leave plenty of time between submission and project start time.** This allows you to troubleshoot the project if funding isn't received and gives you time to make sure all key partnerships are in place and briefed to ensure maximum success. Many investors are concerned with whether the project will actually happen and be successful. You need to demonstrate your track record and also show that you have as much in place as feasible to make sure you hit the ground running. For example: Do you have a venue provisionally booked? Have you got the people to run it? Do you have the experience of running similar projects on time and to budget?
 - 6 Make it value for money.** This helps to establish the viability of the project and is also an exercise that investors will expect you to go through. Include in the bid any monetary value that voluntary hours would add as this will increase their return on investment. Consider funding 50% of the scheme by your own organisation. If your application is for coach awards or courses, ensure you apply for a proportion of the cost (eg 50% or 75%), showing you are covering some of the cost. Think about this – if it was your money, would you invest based on the returns expected?
 - 7 Build relationships.** Show that the funding you potentially could receive will not only impact on you/your organisation but also on the wider communities and any other partner initiative/programme.
 - 8 Do your research.** Do you know about other funding and organisations in your area? Can your project be linked to these initiatives? How will the funding you are applying for complement any local priorities (eg health, social inclusion) and delivery? Research any previous funding the investor has granted. If they have granted funds before for exactly the same, you may need to rethink the bid, or you may be lucky with a completely new area that hasn't been funded but is high on their agenda/criteria.
 - 9 How will you promote what you are doing?** Think about including a brief statement in the bid about how you will promote the funding received, what the communication plan is and how you will promote the investor's brand. This will give the investor positive promotion and provides them with an additional return on their investment. Don't be afraid to use social media – Twitter is a great way to promote partners by using the @ function.
 - 10 Check, recheck and check again.** Make sure your spelling, grammar and maths are consistent throughout the document. Specifically reference the investor by their correct and full name throughout the bid. Spell check the document and have someone proofread it before sending. A great example here is Guinness – they won't even consider funding requests if their name is spelt incorrectly on the envelope. Keep copies of the submission, especially if it is an online application. Do not leave your application until near the closing date, try to apply in good time. If funding is distributed in a cycle, then check when those dates are set.
- Remember – your organisation may be unsuccessful with your first applications, but there's nothing to stop you trying again, and many organisations are successful with subsequent applications.



National Funding



Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Awards for All England	£300 – £10,000	<p>You can apply to Awards for All England if you are a community group, not-for-profit group, parish or town council, health body or school.</p> <p>You do not need to be a registered charity to apply.</p> <p>You must have a bank account that requires at least two people to sign each cheque or withdrawal.</p> <p>You must use the grant within one year.</p>	Open	www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/awards-for-all-england
Barclays Community Sports Award	£1000 each month	<p>Awarded each month during the Barclays Premier League football season to highlight the great efforts being made by many in community sport, the awards are open to any individual benefiting their community in any sport.</p> <p>At least 50% of the monthly or end of season sum should now be spent on sports- or skills-based qualifications. Further details on this can be found in the FAQs on the website.</p>	Applications are currently closed and will reopen in August 2013	www.barclayscommunitysportsaward.com
Boost Charitable Trust	Up to £500	<p>Please send or email a letter, no more than two sides of A4, detailing the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the name of your organisation, what you do and who your beneficiaries are • why you need funding, details of the project and approximate funding requirements. 	Open	www.boostct.org/page4.htm

Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Cash 4 Clubs	£250, £500, £750 or £1000	<p>Any sports club that is registered with its governing body of sport or local authority can apply. We do not restrict entries to certain sports or activities. You might be looking for funding to help with coaching of young kids or a grant to help buy a new boat or renovate your current facilities.</p> <p>As long as you can show us that you are serious about making your club a better place for your members, you are eligible to apply for funding. In the past, we have given money to sports clubs to fund such things as a new female basketball team or a sailing club wanting to kit out its new Yeoman 20 keelboat.</p>	Applications are currently closed and will reopen in July 2013	www.cash-4-clubs.com/apply-for-a-grant/application-form.php
Co-operative Membership Community Fund	£100 – £2000	The Co-operative Membership Community Fund welcomes applications for funding from across the UK. To make this easier, you can do it all online using our online application process.	Open	www.co-operative.coop/membership/local-communities/community-fund/online-applicationprocess/
Peter Harrison Foundation	Undisclosed	<p>This programme is nationwide, and applications are accepted from charities throughout the UK.</p> <p>The trustees wish to support sporting activities or projects that provide opportunities for people who are disabled or otherwise disadvantaged to fulfil their potential and develop other personal and life skills.</p>	Open	www.peterharrison-foundation.org/application.htm
Torch Trophy Trust	Up to £1000	<p>Bursaries that do not account for more than 50% of the total costs involved, although exceptional applications may be considered.</p> <p>A letter from the relevant governing body of sport must support the application.</p> <p>Applications are welcome from all parts of the UK and from all sports, including disability and youth.</p>	Applications are currently closed – check website for more details	www.torchtrophytrust.org/torch_trophy_trust_bursaries.php



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Bedfordshire and Luton				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Bedford Borough Council	Up to £500 per applicant	Bedford Borough Council offers modest Community Chest (up to £500) and Community Support (up to £1000) grants on a rolling basis throughout the year.	Ongoing	www.bedford.gov.uk
Houghton Regis Town Council	£50 – £500 per applicant	Grants are available for development costs or setting up a new group, new activities or new projects and may be available for general running costs, at the discretion of the council.	Ongoing	info@houghtonregis.org.uk
London Luton Airport Community Trust Fund	£250 – £3000 per organisation	www.blcf.org.uk/grants/documents/llalcriterialeaflet.pdf	Ongoing	www.blcf.org.uk/grants/
Luton Sports Network	£250 – £300 per applicant	www.lutonsportsnetwork.co.uk/	Ongoing	www.lutonsportsnetwork.co.uk/
Sport Bedford	Up to £200 per applicant	Grants for coaching and officiating qualifications are available for those who are involved in sports clubs in Bedford. For full grants criteria and to apply, go to the Sport Bedford web pages.	Ongoing	www.bedford.gov.uk/leisure_and_culture/sports_development/sport_bedford.aspx



Cambridgeshire and Peterborough				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
LIVING SPORT Coach Development Bursary	50% of total required for development, up to £200 per person or up to £500 maximum for a club (eg 2 x Level 1s and 1 x Level 2 = £870); maximum of £435 could be awarded	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• For county-based coach or club to apply.• Development plans included in application.• Impact measures in place.	When budget has been allocated	Helen.clarke@living-sport.co.uk www.livingsport.co.uk



Essex				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Essex Club Coaching Bursary	£400 per club	Clubs can apply for a minimum of two prospective coaches. Club must be operating within one of the 14 local authorities in Essex. A minimum of 10 hours' voluntary coaching is to be delivered by both coaches.	March 2014	www.activeessex.org/coaching
Active Essex Individual Coaching Bursary	£200 per applicant	Level 1 coaches or applicants who are involved in a sport that allows straight to Level 2. Must live or deliver coaching within one of the 14 local authorities of Essex. Minimum 10 hours' voluntary coaching.	March 2014	www.activeessex.org/coaching

Hertfordshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Broxbourne Sports Volunteer Bursary Scheme	Level 1: maximum of £100 or 50% of total course fees (whichever is lower) Level 2: maximum of £200 or 50% of total course fees (whichever is lower)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be aged 16 or over. • Be an active volunteer of a sports club within Broxbourne. • Be able to complete/start training by the end of the financial year. • Club registered on the Active Broxbourne website. 	See website	http://active-broxbourne.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/Second-Round-Application-Form.pdf
CoachMark Bursary	50% of the cost (up to a maximum of £500) of coaching qualifications at Level 2 or above, or appropriate CPD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must live or coach in Herts. • Completed the CoachMark process. • (Other criteria may apply for specific rounds of funding.) 	Various – see website	www.coachingherts.org.uk/coachmark/coachmark_bursary
Hertfordshire County Council Member Locality Budget Scheme	No limit – each county councillor has £10,000 to spend	Locality Budget to be spent on worthwhile projects in the community that promote social, economic or environmental well-being.	End of financial year	www.hertsdirect.org/your-council/councillors/localitybudgetscheme/membrlocalbdgt/
948 Sports Foundation	Up to £1000	Must benefit residents in the St Albans district and the immediate surrounding areas.	Ongoing	www.the948sportsfoundation.org/

Hertfordshire (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
North Hertfordshire District Council Sports Grants	Not specified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be coaching athletes of a regional or national standard, or athletes placed on a development programme or similar. • Minimum Level 1. • Live in North Herts for a minimum of 12 months. • Coaching is not primary source of income. 	Twice in each financial year – July and January	www.sportnorthherts.org.uk/GrantAid.html
Watford Borough Council Volunteer Bursary Scheme	<p>Level 1: maximum of £100 or 50% of total course fees (whichever is lower)</p> <p>Level 2: maximum of £200 or 50% of total course fees (whichever is lower)</p> <p>Level 3: max. £500 or 50% of the total course fees (whichever is lower)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be aged 16 or over. • Be an active volunteer at a sports club within Watford. • Be able to complete/start training by end of financial year (31 March). • Club registered on the Active Watford website. 	Second Friday in July/ December	www.watford.gov.uk/ccm/content/leisure-and-community/watford-volunteer-bursary-scheme.en

Norfolk				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Norfolk Village Games Coach Bursary	Up to 75% of a UKCC Level 1 or Level 2 coaching qualification	Only open to Norfolk residents. Coaches are expected to volunteer at various Active Norfolk Village Games events in return for financial support towards their coaching qualification.	31 March 2014	www.activenorfolk.org/landingpage.asp?section=1478&sectionTitle=Village+Games+Coach+Bursary
Great Yarmouth Borough Council Coach Education Grants	Up to £100 per candidate	Great Yarmouth Borough Council currently issues the local sports council with an annual sum of money for distribution to promote and encourage coach education within the borough. Grants are available to assist individuals to attend coaching courses or to assist clubs in holding coaching courses. Either the individual or the club should reside in the borough.	31 March 2014	Marie Hartley – mlh@great-yarmouth.gov.uk
South Norfolk Council Community Sports Fund and Neighbourhood Fund	Applicants can apply for up to £300 or 75% of total course costs	Any aspiring or current coach living in South Norfolk and looking to do governing body of sport coaching qualifications can apply for a South Norfolk Council Community Coach Bursary to help towards costs.	31 March 2014	www.norfolkfoundation.com/South-Norfolk-Council-Community-Sports-Fund.htm
West Norfolk Coach Education Grants	Up to 50% of course costs	Residents in West Norfolk can access funding towards the costs of attending governing body of sport coach qualification courses from the Borough Council of King's Lynn & West Norfolk's Sports Development Unit.	31 March 2014	sports.development@west-norfolk.gov.uk



Suffolk				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Suffolk Sport TOP COACH Bursary	Up to 30% of the total course cost	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Currently Level 1 or above coaches.• Application must be supported by governing body of sport.• Willing to become a TOPCOACH.	Until all funding has been allocated	www.suffolkspport.com/coaching

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Derby				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
<p>Coaching Derbyshire Assistant Coach Support Package</p>	<p>Funding to support 32 coaches (£390 for each coach) to gain the qualifications necessary to be deployed as an assistant coach. These are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1 sport-specific coaching qualification • governing body of sport or sports coach UK 'Safeguarding and Protecting Children' certificate • first aid certificate • enhanced DBS check • 'Equity in Your Coaching' certificate 	<p>Each coach applying for this funding must be involved with a sports club in Derbyshire (including Derby City) and be committed to volunteering with the club for 30 hours. A member of the club's committee must act as a referee for the application. The sports club will also receive £50 towards ongoing support for coaches within the club.</p> <p>The coach must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • register on www.coachingderbyshire.co.uk • be booked on to a Level 1 sport-specific course • complete the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 'Safeguarding and Protecting Children' – first aid – 'Equity in Your Coaching' – enhanced DBS check • provide evidence of spend • complete 30 hours' volunteering. <p>The club:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • must act as a referee for the coach – both in the initial application and in confirming the courses/workshops/volunteering have been completed • must support no more than three applications • will receive £300 reimbursement, on production of receipts to cover some or all of the costs incurred • will receive £50 (out of £300) to put towards activities within the club. <p>By adhering to the above, the coach (through the club) will also receive a £90 voucher towards the cost of further coach education.</p>	<p>Applications open on 1 June 2013</p> <p>Applications close on 5 July 2013</p> <p>Applicants will be informed of decisions by 17 July 2013</p>	<p>www.surveymonkey.com/s/AssistantCoach-SupportPackage2013</p>

Derby (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Coaching Derbyshire Bursary Fund	<p>The following information identifies the amount that coaches can apply for. The first group is for coaches coaching for Derbyshire Institute of Sport (DIS) sports, ie athletics, badminton, basketball, cycling, golf, hockey, netball, sailing, squash, swimming and table tennis</p> <p>Coaches operating in DIS sports:</p> <p>Level 1 – 50% (up to a maximum of £100)</p> <p>Level 2 – 50% (up to a maximum of £250)</p> <p>Level 3 – 50% (up to a maximum of £400)</p> <p>CPD for Level 3 or above – 50% (up to a maximum of £100)</p> <p>All non-DIS sports not listed above:</p> <p>Level 1 – 40% (up to a maximum of £50)</p> <p>Level 2 – 40% (up to a maximum of £100)</p> <p>Level 3 – 40% (up to a maximum of £200)</p> <p>Club allocation limits:</p> <p>Clubs/organisations should be aware of the maximum amount coaches at their club can receive per year per level:</p> <p>DIS sports:</p> <p>Level 1 – £200</p> <p>Level 2 – £500</p> <p>Level 3 – £400</p> <p>Non-DIS sports:</p> <p>Level 1 – £100</p> <p>Level 2 – £200</p> <p>Level 3 – £200</p>	<p>In order to apply for a Coaching Derbyshire bursary, coaches will need to fit into one of the categories below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • coaching within a community sports club • coaching on Sportivate programme • coaching adults (16+) • supporting talented athletes • supporting young leaders. <p>Coaches must live or coach within Derbyshire.</p>	<p>There are three rounds each year:</p> <p>Round 27 – 30 June 2013 (1 March 2013 – 30 June 2013)</p> <p>Round 28 – 31 October 2013 (1 July 2013 – 31 October 2013)</p> <p>Round 29 – 28 February 2014 (1 November 2013 – 28 February 2014)</p>	<p>www.coachingderbyshire.co.uk/funding_support/index</p>

Leicestershire and Rutland				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Achievement Project		<p>To be eligible for free courses through the AP, you must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • aged 16–18 • aged 19+ and unemployed • aged 19+ and have not yet completed a full Level 1 or 2 qualification. <p>To be eligible for the Sports Club Bursary Cost, you must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a player, coach and/or volunteer at a sports club within Leicester City (this will need to be verified by a senior member of the club, ie chair, secretary, manager etc) • willing to give back a number of hours of volunteering to your club (10 hours for a Level 1 or 20 for a Level 2). <p>To be eligible for free courses through the b-active women project, you must be a woman aged 16+ living in Leicester City.</p>		www.achieving.org.uk
Blaby District Local Sports Alliance Coach Grant Scheme	Grants will be considered to a maximum of £75 or 50% of the total costs of attending a sports coaching and leadership course, as well as travel costs to and from the course venue	<p>Applicants must be volunteering at a club or organisation within Blaby District, or if applying to improve prospects of gaining employment in the sport and leisure industry, be living or attending an educational institution in the district.</p> <p>All applicants must complete a current application form for the scheme.</p>	Open	www.sportblaby.org.uk/coach-support.html

Leicestershire and Rutland (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Charnwood Borough Council Coach/Official Development Grant	Grants will normally be awarded to a maximum rate of 50% and not exceeding £250 Applications will be considered for a minimum course cost of £20	As well as the general criteria that apply to all grant applications, organisations applying for coach/official education grants must meet the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The course for which the individual is applying for grant aid must be for a sport/activity recognised by Sport England and/or the governing body of the respective sport. • Applicants/clubs/other sources must be able to contribute at least 50% of the cost of the proposed course. • Applicants must be actively involved in providing opportunities and supporting the development of their sport within the Borough of Charnwood. 	Open	www.charnwoodsport.org.uk/sports-grants.html
Harborough District Sport & Activity Alliance Coaches Scholarship Fund	The maximum scholarship allowed is 50% (or a maximum of £100) of the total cost of the course for adult coaches and up to 100% of course costs for young people aged under 19 in higher education	Individuals must live or be associated with a sports club or community club in the Harborough District. Applications must be supported by a senior member of a local sports club or community club. Courses must be a recognised governing body of sport or other governing agency qualification of a suitable level. Individuals must be available for sports coaching/instruction work on a regular and long-term basis for the club/community club associated with (ie minimum one year) and, where possible, carry out such work if requested.	Open	www.harboroughsport.org.uk/funding.html

Leicestershire and Rutland (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Hinckley & Bosworth Local Sport and Health Alliance Coach Scholarship Scheme	Up to 50% of qualification costs, to a maximum of £150 per applicant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must live, or be involved with a club, in the Hinckley & Bosworth Borough. Applicants must be actively supporting sports programmes that benefit the Hinckley and Bosworth area/supporting the development of sport-specific player pathways (eg within a sports club or sports development programme). Applicants must be nominated by a national, regional or local governing body of sport, county sports association, local authority, school sport and physical activity network, or sports club. Applicants must be over 16 years of age (18 years or over if registering on a Level 2 course). Applicants should register with the LRS Coaching database at www.lrsport.org/lrscoaching 		www.hbsha.org.uk/coach-education.html
Melton Coach and Club Development Grant			Open	www.meltonsportand-health.org.uk/
North West Leicestershire Local Sports Alliance Coach Education Grant	The grant available is 50% of the total cost up to a maximum of £100	The grant is available to individuals attending a school/college within the North West Leicestershire School Sports Partnership area and sports clubs/individuals who reside or coach at a sports club in North West Leicestershire.	Open	www.northwestleiclsa.org.uk/2012-sports-and-coach-education.html
Oadby and Wigston Coach Scholarship Scheme			Open	www.oadby-wigston.gov.uk/pages/sports_grants



Leicestershire and Rutland (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Rutland LSA's Club, Coach and Volunteer Fund	<p>Grants will normally be awarded to a maximum rate of 50% of the course costs (not exceeding £250)</p> <p>Applications will be considered for a minimum course cost of £20</p> <p>Funding to be used to cover the full costs of Leicester-Shire and Rutland Sport coach education courses (up to a maximum of £55 per person)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will only accept applications from community sports clubs on behalf of a coach or volunteer at the club. Sports clubs must be based in Rutland. • Coaches must complete 10 voluntary hours (unpaid) at the club for every £100 awarded to them from the LSA. • If a volunteer/coach fails to complete the coaching course, the funding will need to be returned to Rutland LSA. 		<p>www.activerutland.org.uk/programmes.html</p>

Lincolnshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
East Lindsey District Council	Up to £8000	Grants are available to help local community groups and other not-for-profit organisations that have projects that will help deliver the council's ambitions for the district.	15 August 2013	www.e-lindsey.gov.uk/Community/community+grants/
Lincolnshire Coaches Bursary	Varies depending on funding round	Vary depending on funding round.	Varies depending on funding round	www.lincolnshiresports.com
Lincolnshire Community Foundation (manages funding from Comic Relief, High Sheriffs' Fund, Playing Fields Fund, Thonock Trust)	Varies depending on fund	Vary depending on fund.	Varies depending on fund	http://lincolnshirecf.co.uk/grants
Lincolnshire County Council Community Activities Grant Scheme	Up to 50% of the project cost, up to a maximum award of £20,000	Community Activities Grant Aid is awarded to help sustain a healthy, prosperous and safe life in Lincolnshire. Grant aid is targeted at increasing or enriching the quality of life within Lincolnshire and should align to the Lincolnshire County Council Cultural Strategy.	Two closing date per year: 1 August and 1 March	www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/residents/community-and-living/community-and-voluntary-sector-support/grants-and-funding/community-activities-grant-aid/
West Lindsey District Council	Up to £250	The Community Action and Volunteering Fund (CAV Fund) was set up to give community groups an opportunity to pay for small improvements to community assets and invest in local activities.	Monthly assessments	www.communitylincs.com/community-grants-west-lindsey/

Northamptonshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Northamptonshire Sport Coach Scholarship Scheme	<p>Up to 50% of qualification costs, to a maximum of £300</p> <p>Scholarships may be limited to a maximum of £500 per organisation per year</p>	<p>Individuals who are actively coaching but do not hold the relevant governing body of sport coaching qualification.</p> <p>Coaches who have identified a need to progress to a higher governing body of sport qualification.</p> <p>Coaches must live or coach within Northamptonshire.</p> <p>Coaches must either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be actively coaching activities that will benefit local communities, support the development of governing body of sport player pathways or sports development programmes (eg within a sports club, on a governing body of sport intervention programme or on a talent development programme) • have an agreed placement in place that will benefit local communities, and support the development of governing body of sport player pathways or sports development programmes. <p>Both paid and voluntary coaches are eligible to apply for funding. However, the following guidelines apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where a coach works for a private coaching business, there is an expectation that that business contributes towards the coach's qualification and training costs. • If receiving payment, a coach must demonstrate how their coaching work provides benefits to local communities, development of governing body of sport player pathways or sports development programmes. 	<p>2 August 2013</p> <p>1 November 2013</p>	<p>www.coachingnorthants.org</p>

Nottinghamshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Councillors' Divisional Fund	No specific limit	Contact the councillor relevant to your area/postcode.	Ongoing	www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/finance/councillors-division-fund/
Newark District Council Coach Bursary	50%, up to a maximum of £200	All applicants must be doing an element of volunteering within Newark and Sherwood to be eligible for a grant.	The remaining panel dates for 2013 are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 September 2013 • 3 December 2013 	www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/sports-grants/
Rushcliffe District Council Coach Bursary	50%, up to a maximum of £200	Any individual who is aged 16 years or over; actively coaching in the Rushcliffe borough and associated with a club or organisation based in the Rushcliffe borough is eligible.	Round two: 1 October – 30 November	www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/leisure/sportsclubsandcentres/sport/cluband-coachdevelopment/



London

Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Wandsworth Sports Grant	Up to £500 maximum	To support coaches seeking a Level 1, 2 or 3 qualification at a community sports club or organisation in Wandsworth.	31 August 2013 31 December 2013 30 April 2014	www.wandsworth.gov.uk/info/200087/sports_clubs_and_centres/195/sports_funding_and_policy
Barking and Dagenham	Discounts available for sports coach UK workshops	Discounts are available on sports coach UK workshops for Clubmark Clubs and Barking and Dagenham residents (ie £15 for a Clubmark/ Borough Standard club, £20 for a Barking and Dagenham resident, £25 for a non-Barking and Dagenham resident). This is also applicable for any UKCC courses the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham (LBBD) may run in the future.	Ongoing	matthew.robinson@lbbd.gov.uk
Bexley Small Grants Scheme	Up to £500	The coach's work must predominantly be for the benefit of Bexley residents, and the application must be made by a sports club.	Ongoing	Telephone Hugh Elsegood, Senior Sports Development Officer, on 020-3045 4885
Brent Council Sports Development Team Bursary Scheme	Up to 75% off courses Each application is assessed separately	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident of Brent gets greater discount. Willing to deliver 10 hours of coaching. Will deliver in Brent-based club, school or programme. 	Rolling funding – linked to council financial year April – March	www.brent.gov.uk/media/422599/Sports%20qualifications%20application%20form.pdf

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Camden Ambassador Programme Bursary	Four levels of bursaries available (depending on number of hours volunteered): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1 – £40 • Level 2 – £150 • Level 3 – £200 • Level 4 – £300 	Must be a volunteer on the Pro-Active Camden Ambassador Programme.	Ongoing	You can apply to be involved in the Pro-Active Camden Ambassador Programme by signing up through the Camden website: www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/navigation/leisure/sport-and-physical-activity/volunteering-in-sport/
Hackney Youth Sports Fund – Coach Education Fund	£50 – £500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You are a permanent resident in the borough of Hackney and/or are involved in community delivery in the borough. • The sport in which you are participating is recognised by Sport England. • To provide evidence of holding a minimum of a Level 1 coaching qualification in your chosen sport). • You hold a current Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check under the governing body/organisation in which you are participating. • You are able to provide evidence of the club/group in which you are involved. • You must be able to deliver the minimum number of voluntary hours with identified level applied. This will be verified by London Borough of Hackney Leisure and Physical Activity Team. • The coaching in which you are delivering targets Hackney young people under the age of 25. • You are not in receipt of any other coaching bursary to fund your chosen course. • Where applicable, you are required to assist the London Borough of Hackney at the London Youth Games and any other significant borough representative event. • You are able to show evidence of the course you wish to attend. • Must be able to show evidence of attending governing body award. • Must be able to show evidence of the voluntary hours delivered. 	20 June 2013 20 September 2013 9 January 2014	www.hackney.gov.uk/sports-grants.htm

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Havering Sports Council	Up to £100	Havering Sports Council is continuing to run, on behalf of Havering Council, a sports bursaries scheme for sportspersons resident in the borough. The awards are for sums up to £100.	Bursaries are awarded in March, July and November	http://tinyurl.com/bwb49az
Hillingdon Council Sports Development Grants Scheme	Part funding towards coaching and officiating qualifications for coaches, officials and volunteers	Applicants must live and work with clubs within the London Borough of Hillingdon.		www.hillingdon.gov.uk/article/18810/Club-funding
Newham Go for It Grants	Up to £1000	Demonstrate that your project will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • continue after the grant has been spent • be open to Newham residents from all backgrounds • encourage communities to come together • inspire people to get active, participate and fulfil their potential. 	Ongoing	http://tinyurl.com/c3mv9nr
PRO-ACTIVE Central London Coaching Bursary	Up to £200 per applicant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1 coaches seeking to get a Level 2 qualification. • Must coach in a community club in a central London local authority. • Must be supported by the governing body of sport and be linked to the governing body's whole sport plan. 	31 January 2014 or when all funding has been allocated	Applications will be accepted from June 2013 via www.pro-activecentral-london.org/
PRO-ACTIVE London	Various	Criteria vary – different sources of funding will become available periodically. Check the website for full details.	Various	www.pro-activelondon.org/funding.asp?section=0001000100010005&sectionTitle=Funding



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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
PRO-ACTIVE West London Coaching Bursary Scheme	Up to 50% funding towards Level 1, 2 and 3 funding	<p>Coaches applying for this fund are required to be registered on Coaching London website (www.coachinglondon.org).</p> <p>All applicants must be a resident in a West London borough. These include Brent, Ealing, Hillingdon, Harrow, Hounslow, Hammersmith & Fulham.</p> <p>All applications will require a letter of support from your governing body of sport officer (eg ECB, Football Association, England Athletics).</p> <p>A club/organisation/governing body of sport may apply on behalf of a coach.</p>	Rolling limited funding	<p>Helen Davies (Coaching and Leadership Development Manager)</p> <p>Email: Helen.davies@brunel.ac.uk</p> <p>Tel: 01895-266 855</p>
Tower Hamlets Sports Council	Up to £250 per applicant	Must be resident in the borough of Tower Hamlets or a member of a sports club based in the borough.	Ongoing	www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/lgsi/451-500/455_tower_hamlets_sports_counc.aspx

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Durham				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Durham County Council – Be A Sport Volunteer Durham Coach Bursary Funding 2013–2014	Volunteer Durham can fund: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100% of CPD or equivalent course • 50% funding of Level 1 and Level 2 courses Higher qualifications will have to be individually assessed	Volunteer Durham can't guarantee all funding requests will be successful, and each request will be assessed by case and/or a needs basis. To be considered for funding, a volunteer has to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • register with the scheme via an application form • attend an induction • complete a personal development plan and payback agreement. 	The scheme is open April 2013 – March 2014	For further information, please contact Debbie Ryan, Volunteer Development Officer Tel: 03000-264 564 Email: debbie.ryan@durham.gov.uk



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Northumberland				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Young Coach Bursary Scheme	Up to £200 for Level 1 Up to £400 for Level 2	Please see the terms and conditions on the website.	Rolling applications	http://www.northumberlandsport.co.uk/page.aspx?id=2734



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Tees Valley				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Young Persons Coach Bursary	50% of qualification (maximum £200)	Aged 14–25 years old.	31 July 2013	www.teesvalley-sport.co.uk/page.aspx?id=3815
Cash 4 Coaches	50% of qualification (maximum £200)	People coaching 14–25 year olds.	31 July 2013	www.teesvalley-sport.co.uk/page.aspx?id=3815
Small Grants for Clubs	Up to £1000	Set criteria around access to sporting activity for specific groups.	Round 2 opens September 2013	Email: Emma.turnbull@stockton.gov.uk



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Tyne and Wear				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Coach Bursary Scheme	Varies	<p>The Tyne and Wear Coach Bursary Scheme aims to create new or better-qualified sports coaches in Tyne and Wear. The bursary scheme is managed by Tyne and Wear Sport and will financially support people to either become newly qualified as coaches or improve their existing coaching qualifications. The bursary scheme will support four areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 2+ coaching bursary • plus 14 • disability coach bursary • coach education grant. 	<p>28 June 2013 30 September 2013 31 December 2013 31 March 2014</p>	<p>www.tynewearsport.org/club_sport/funding/coach_bursary_scheme</p>



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Greater Manchester				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Get Coaching 2	<p>CPD course: entire cost of course or capped at £50</p> <p>Governing body of sport course: 50% of course cost or capped at £200</p>	<p>Must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sign up to CoachWeb and log 10 hours of coaching sessions • pay for and complete the course prior to being reimbursed • live or work in Greater Manchester. <p>Subject to local terms and conditions.</p>	31 December 2013	www.greatersport.co.uk/howtoapply
Get Skilled and Volunteer	The fund will fully pay for a course to be put on in an identified area (ie facility, tutor and resource cost)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For groups who are at risk of offending or reoffending. • Information form must be completed. • Individuals completing the course must sign up to CoachWeb and log 10 voluntary hours. • Individuals must complete three surveys in line with the programme. 	October 2014	<p>Email: Janeowen@greatersport.co.uk</p> <p>www.greatersport.co.uk/projects-information/get-skilled-and-volunteer</p>
Coaching Legacy Fund for Talented Athletes	Capped at £200 per person	<p>To pay for high level coaching, to help young athletes achieve their potential.</p> <p>Must live in Greater Manchester.</p> <p>Priority will be given to those who:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • are struggling to reach their potential due to a lack of financial support • do not have access to other sources of funding. 	<p>The fund is currently finished for this financial year</p> <p>Information regarding the fund will be updated on the website shortly</p>	www.greatersport.co.uk/projects-information/funding-for-talented-athletes/gmpa-coaching-legacy-fund

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Berkshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Berkshire Netball	Up to 50% of the cost of the course	Netball coaches or umpires who live and deliver in Berkshire.	Open year round (subject to funding)	www.berkshirenetball.co.uk/coaching.php
Get Berkshire Active	Up to 50% of course cost	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14+ participants. Live or deliver in Berkshire. Any coaching level or CPD. 	Open year round (subject to funding)	www.getberkshireactive.org/1428/get-into-coaching/coaching-bursary/
Network Berkshire	Unlimited (at the discretion of the Network Berkshire panel)	Athletics coaches living in Berkshire. Courses eligible for the bursary are for UK Athletics approved coaching qualifications and the Officials Level 1 and 2 course.		www.englandathletics.org/news.asp?itemid=9492&itemTitle=Athletics+Network+Coach+Bursaries&section=42&profile=0001300000040010
Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead (RBWM) Coach Bursary	Up to £250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RBWM resident or coach in RBWM. Applicants must be 16+. 	31 July 2013	www.rbwm.gov.uk/forms/AF3/an/default.aspx/RenderForm/?FName=C6CRgb7W2Hm



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Buckinghamshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Aylesbury Vale Sport and Physical Activity Network Bursary	Up to £500 per coach	Must be living and/or coaching in the Aylesbury Vale district.	1 March 2014	www.buckssport.org/avbursaries
Bucks Sport Coach Bursary	Up to £250 per coach	Must live and/or coach in Bucks or Milton Keynes and be willing to deliver six hours of activity over consecutive weeks.	31 January 2014	www.buckssport.org/coachbursary



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Hampshire and Isle of Wight				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Short Breaks for Disabled Children	Up to £5000	To support projects that provide opportunities for disabled young people. This can include training for sports coaches. Applications must highlight impact on Hampshire residents (excluding Southampton, Portsmouth and Isle of Wight).	Ongoing until 28 February 2014	www3.hants.gov.uk/grants/childrens-services-grants/short-break-activity-grant.htm
Sport Hampshire & IOW Coach, Official and Volunteer Scholarship	Up to 75%	Funding to support individuals, clubs and projects that train and upskill coaches (Level 2 and above only). Applications must highlight impact on Hampshire residents (excluding Southampton, Portsmouth and Isle of Wight).	Applications reviewed on a quarterly basis (March, June, September and December)	www.coachinghampshireiow.co.uk/funding/scholarships



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Kent				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Kent Coach and Official Scholarship Fund	Up to 50% towards the cost of the development opportunity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must live/coach in Kent.• Can demonstrate the difference the bursary will make to participation/performance and/or inclusion targets.• Has support from their local/regional governing body of sport.	Last day of the month to be considered at the next panel meeting: 28 June 31 July 30 August	www.kentsport.org/coach_ed_support_funding.cfm

Oxfordshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Lord Farrington Charitable Trust	£1000 – £2500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered charities only. Charities benefiting people of all ages, interested in groups. 	Open	The Estate Office, Buscot Park Faringdon, Oxfordshire SN7 8BU 01367-240 786
Oxford Sports Council	£50 – £1000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports clubs and organisations within the boundary of the City of Oxford. Individuals representing a sports club within the boundary of Oxford City. 	Open	www.oxfordsportscouncil.org Email Doreen Rose, Secretary: ian_doreenrose@yahoo.co.uk
Oxfordshire Netball Development Board Coaching Bursary	Unspecified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Helps to pay for Level 1, 2 and 3 UKCC courses. Need to be Oxfordshire member. 	Open	www.oxonnetball.co.uk/uploads/Coaching_Bursaries_Form.pdf Email Rhonda Forbes-Smith, Oxfordshire Coaching Secretary: r.forbes-smith@tiscali.co.uk
Oxfordshire Squash & Racketball Association Bursary	Maximum of 50% of the total course costs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supporting players who want to get into coaching. Supporting existing coaches who wish to go to the next level. 	Open	http://oxfordshire-squash.com/menus.asp?PN=Bursary

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Ray Mills Trust Fund	Unspecified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coaching course bursaries for young people aged 16–19 who belong to Oxfordshire FA affiliated clubs. Referee courses: aged 14–19, living within the Oxfordshire FA boundaries, which cover the local authorities of Cherwell, Oxford City, South Oxfordshire and West Oxfordshire. 	Open	Dave Tutton (Trust Fund Chairman), 24 Forest Road, Headington, Oxford OX3 8LF Email: david@tutton298.fsnet.co.uk
Southern Region Gymnastics Coaching Bursary	Level 1 has a financial value of £100 Level 2 has a financial value of £200	Level 1 and UKCC Level 2 qualifications – the bursary is redeemed on completion of a UKCC course and receipt of the qualification.	Open	www.southgymnastics.org.uk/page.asp?node=224&sec=Regional_Funding_Grants
West Oxfordshire District Council – Sports Awards (GLL Sports Foundation)	£100 – £1250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must reside in West Oxfordshire. Students should have their home address within West Oxfordshire. Applicants need to be aged 12 years and above. Grants are made towards costs of training, competition, coaching, and can be used to offset costs of equipment, travel and accommodation, competition fees, coaching fees or other similar expenditure in chosen sport. 	Open	www.gllsportfoundation.org Email: leisureandtourism@westoxon.gov.uk Tel: 01993-861 080.



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Surrey				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Sportivate	On top of funding awarded for Sportivate programmes, there is up to £175 per applicant	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maximum of two applicants per Sportivate project.• For Level 1 or Level 2 coaching certificates.• All applications must be directly linked to an approved Surrey Sportivate project.	Next opportunity to apply for Sportivate funding will be autumn 2013 March 2014	http://activesurrey.com/sportivate



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Sussex				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Sussex Coaching Bursary	75% funding towards a Level 1 (maximum £150) or Level 2 (maximum £200) coaching qualification	Complete a Level 1 or Level 2 coaching qualification and deliver 6–8 weeks of coaching to 14–25-year-old participants.	30 September 2013	www.coachsussex.org/funding/active_sussex_bursary

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
South West Foundation in partnership with Esmee Fairbairn Foundation	Small grants up to £1000 (most grants will be in the region of £200 – £600)	Grants for small organisations operating in rural areas, and market and coastal towns, with the aim of encouraging and enabling people to take part in their communities.		Tel: 01761-471 104 Email: info@southwestfoundation.org.uk www.the-foundation.org.uk/grant-programmes

Cornwall				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Clare Milne Trust (Cornwall Community Foundation – CCF)	The average grant is £500	This fund supports small, well run disability projects in Cornwall, especially for adults, with a strong support from volunteers.	31 May 2013	Tel: 01566-779 333 Email: grants@cornwall-foundation.com www.cornwallfounda-tion.com
Community Foundation Grants	£250 – £1000	Purpose of the fund is to offer opportunities to community groups in specific areas of Caradon, the China Clay area, Penwith and Isles of Scilly area to receive small grants to create and/or deliver projects for the benefit of their community.		Tel: 01566-779 333 Email: grants@cornwall-foundation.com www.cornwallfounda-tion.com
Cornwall Coach Bursary	Funding available for up to 50% (maximum of £150 per person or £200 per club) towards governing body of sport qualifications, awards or interventions	For coaches working with participants over the age 14 who can demonstrate the need for the funding and what impact it will have.	Opens June 2013 Closes February 2014	Tel: 01872-323 344 Email: rharrison@cornwall.gov.uk www.cornwallsport-partnership.co.uk
Cornwall Glass Fund (CCF)	£500 – £1500	2013 priorities for this fund are children, community benefit and mental illness.		Tel: 01566-779 333 Email: grants@cornwall-foundation.com www.cornwallfounda-tion.com

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Cornwall 100 (CCF)	Grants up to £5000 that engage local people in making their communities better places to live	Encourage projects incorporating the following themes: transport; poverty and crisis; older people; communities and local environment; young people; disabled; minority groups.		Tel: 01566-779 333 Email: grants@cornwall-foundation.com www.cornwallfoundation.com
Sport England Sportivate	Depending on numbers and funding requirements	Nationwide campaign as part of government's 2012 Legacy Plans. Aimed at supporting projects working with people aged 14–25 years old, providing six weeks of coaching at a local venue.		Tel: 01872-323 344 rknott@cornwall.gov.uk www.cornwallsport-partnership.co.uk

Devon				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Plymouth City Council Sports and Recreational Grant Aid	Financial assistance is available for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • up to £500 of the course cost • up to £60 towards travel costs • £15 per night towards accommodation costs 	Applicants must live within the recognised city boundaries or represent a recognised Plymouth sports club or organisation that is non-profit making. Applications can be made for a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • coaching course or sporting qualification • officiating course • leadership award • development/good practice workshop • sports-related volunteer training course. 	Quarterly panel meetings in April, July, September and January	www.plymouth.gov.uk/grantsaid
Team Plymouth	Not stated	Team Plymouth offers coaches the support they require so they can continually develop, learn, mature and grow so they are at the cutting edge of their profession. This professional coaching development will assist athletes in their quest for elite athletic performance. The support is offered to coaches, to ensure that it suits a coach's sport, style, method, athlete and approach. Therefore, the applicant may be offered financial support, mentors, academic assistance, sports science information, injury prevention etc. If you are all of the following, you should apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are you a committed and ambitious coach currently practising in Plymouth? • Are you dedicated to your own professional coaching development? • Are you passionate about coaching all athletes? • Do you require support so you can fully develop your coaching skills? • Do you have the desire to make it as a top level coach? 	None stated	www.teamplymouth.co.uk/coaches.aspx

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Torbay Council Sports Grant Scheme	Not stated	<p>Torbay Council offers a grant scheme to individuals who must fulfil a number of criteria. The grant may be used to fund costs for training, competitions, travel/accommodation, competition entries and coaching fees, subscriptions to sports clubs or obtaining governing body of sport qualifications.</p> <p>Individuals may only be awarded one grant within any 12-month period. Individuals must reside in Torbay (and must have been a permanent resident in Torbay for at least one year at the time of application). The Grant Scheme gives priority to individuals under 25 years of age, but applications from other age groups are welcome, particularly where peak performance is normally achieved later. If you are under 16 years, your application must be countersigned by a parent or guardian. You will be required to account for all expenditure, submitting receipts upon request.</p> <p>To qualify for an award, you should demonstrate that you have achieved:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • national competition level • national competition potential • inclusion in a national training squad • county or regional competition level with national potential (ie a sportsman or woman who attends regional training or a centre of excellence). <p>Successful applicants must demonstrate that they are already making a considerable commitment to their sport. This must be supported by either the county or regional sports association, governing body of sport or a club representative.</p>	None stated	www.torbay.gov.uk/index/yourbay/sports/sportsgrants

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
West Devon Borough Council Training Grant Scheme	The level of funding available is a maximum grant up to £350 or 70% of the total project cost (whichever is the smallest amount)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support is given to clubs, organisations and individuals that are coaching, volunteering or officiating within the Borough of West Devon. Clubs, organisations and individuals applying must be not-for-private-profit-making. To be considered for grant aid, the club, organisation or individual must be resident and/or coaching within the West Devon administrative area. A financial need must be demonstrated. The Training Grant Criteria will be used to assess the eligibility of these applications, with each being assessed on its own merits. <p>The Training Grant Scheme will fund:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> coaching courses or sporting qualifications, including exercise and dance courses officiating courses leadership awards, including outdoor education courses sport-related training courses/workshops. <p>The Training Grant Scheme will not fund:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> teachers and teaching assistants using funds for continuous professional development for use in mainstream education individuals registered as self-employed and/or coaching as a profit-making entity private and profit-making organisations courses that are not a recognised course or qualification with a governing body of sport or governing organisation costs relating to DBS checks and first aid training. 	None stated	www.westdevon.gov.uk/article/2620/Sports-and-Training-Grants

Dorset				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Dorset Coaching Bursary	Flexible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1, Level 2, Level 3, Level 4 and Level 5 coaching qualifications. • Additional training qualifications meeting whole sport plan priorities of governing bodies of sport in Dorset. • Coach in Dorset, registered on coaching database iCoach and willing to be tracked throughout the qualification. 	End 2013	Email Clive Nelson, Coaching Manager: cnelson@activedorset.org Tel: 01202-966 734
Borough of Poole	Up to £250 per individual and £500 per club	Grants are available to athletes who are residents of the Borough of Poole and demonstrate a high level of attainment in their sport. Funding is available to Poole-based sports clubs towards the cost of developing new sessions/events and equipment.	N/A	Email: leisure@poole.gov.uk www.boroughofpoole.com Tel: 01202-261 306
Borough of Poole Leisure Service Grant	£500 – 1500	Grants are available for activities that support Leisure's objectives for the promotion of sports and active healthy lifestyles.	N/A	Email: recreation.development@poole.gov.uk
Christchurch Borough Council Grant	Up to £1000 If above that, a grant agreement must be established with the council	Grants are offered to clubs that can demonstrate a commitment to developing sporting opportunities for the local community.		www.dorsetforyou.com/387525
Free Access to National Sportspeople (FANS)	Free access to participating local authority leisure and sports facilities at designated times for personal training and development	A scheme designed to provide support to Bournemouth and Poole's leading talented sports performers by reducing the financial burden of training costs.	N/A	Email: leisure@poole.gov.uk Email: Gail.green@bournemouth.gov.uk Tel: 01202-436 805

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Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Sports Clubs and Organisations	Variable	Grants will be awarded towards capital projects, particularly those that allow and encourage increased participation, new equipment, festivals and tournaments.		www.eastdorset.gov.uk Tel: 01202-886 201
Steve Bernard Foundation	Variable	Funds sporting projects in Bournemouth and surrounding area.		Email: enquiries@steve-bernardfoundation.org
West Dorset District Council				
Small Grants For Sports	£50 – £250	Grants to help support new and existing clubs.		Tel: 01305-252 263
West Leisure Development Fund	Up to £5000, based on 20% of total project costs	To help support sports projects and events.		www.westdorset-dc.gov.uk
Section 106 Grant Fund	Variable	Organisations can apply for a share of money secured from developers from various planning permissions.		Email: leisure@westdorset-dc.gov.uk
Rate Relief	80% mandatory rate relief	Sports clubs are now required to apply through the CASC scheme.		



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Gloucestershire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Gloucestershire Coaching Bursary	Dependent on qualification	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Level 1, Level 2, Level 3, Level 4 and Level 5 coaching qualifications.• Must coach in Gloucestershire.• Must register on Active Gloucestershire's coaching database and be willing to be tracked throughout the qualification.• Willing to deliver voluntary or paid coaching hours in a pre-identified setting.• Priority will be given to coaches identified by governing bodies of sport.	Open throughout 2013–2014	Email Andy Herbert: andyherbert@active-gloucestershire.org Tel: 01242-246 135



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Somerset				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Roots 2 Coaching Bursary Scheme	Up to £100 per applicant	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Level 1 coaches moving to Level 2.• Must live or coach in Somerset.• Approval needed from governing body of sport.	31 August 2013	www.sasp.co.uk Tel: 01823-653 990
Roots 2 Coaching through Sportivate	Up to £100 per club	50% of retained participants of Sportivate project must affiliate to the club.	31 March 2014	www.sasp.co.uk Tel: 01823-653 990

West of England				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Bath and North East Somerset Council Sustainable Coaching Programme	Up to 50% of the cost of training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increasing the number of qualified and active coaches working in Bath and North East Somerset. Raising the number of high quality community coaching hours delivered each week. Contributing directly to the amount of physical activity per week taken by young people and adults at a time of an anticipated excitement in sport and physical activity generated by The London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Promotion of personal excellence through professional development. 	Ongoing	www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/sport-leisure-and-parks/sport-activities-and-events/olympics-2012-legacy/sustainable-coachi
Wesport Coaching Bursary	Up to 75% of the cost of training	Priority will be given to individuals who will be contributing significantly to increasing participation among 14–25 year olds although all coaches may apply. Funding is available for all CPD opportunities except for minimum standards courses.	Funding rounds close on the last day of each calendar month	www.wesport.org.uk/bursaries



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Wiltshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Wiltshire and Swindon Coach Bursary Scheme	The maximum grant that can be applied for is 50% of the actual course cost (not to include transport or accommodation), to a maximum of £200	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Any individual who currently holds a UKCC Level 1 qualification and wishes to progress to a UKCC Level 2 sports qualification.• Must live in Wiltshire or Swindon.• Willing to deliver three hours of voluntary coaching		<p>wiltssport.org/wasp/index.php/our-work/the-sporting-infrastructure/coach-management/53-coach-bursaries.html</p> <p>Email: Dominique@wiltssport.org</p>

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West Midlands

Birmingham				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Birmingham Sport and Physical Activity Partnership Coach Bursary	50% of course costs up to the value of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £100 for a Level 1 • £200 for a Level 2 	Applicants must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • meet the minimum age for coaching (16+ for a Level 1 and 18+ for a Level 2) • be affiliated to a club or voluntary organisation within Birmingham. 	Round 1: 1 May – 1 July 2013 Round 2: 1 September – 1 November 2013 Round 3: 1 January – 1 March 2014	www.Birmingham-SportCoaching.org/#activeTab=2 Email: Laura.Entwistle@Birmingham.gov.uk
Birmingham Sport and Physical Activity Partnership Governing Body of Sport Workforce Fund	Dependent on application (minimum £250)	Must meet the objectives of the CSP and local delivery plans for the governing body of sport.	Open all year	Email: Laura.Entwistle@Birmingham.gov.uk

Black Country				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Black Country BeActive Partnership	Details to be confirmed	Black Country BeActive Partnership has presently closed its bursary scheme while a review and new scheme are being planned.	Details to be confirmed	www.the-blackcountry.com/default.asp?PageID=220&n=Coaching
Governing Body of Sport Coach Bursary Scheme	While up to 100% of the costs can be offered, it will be expected that the governing body of sport provides in-kind or financial contribution	<p>Has to be the recommendation of a governing body of sport after a meeting with the Sports Manager:</p> <p>Laura Whitehead Coaching and Young People Officer laura_whitehead@blackcountryconsortium.co.uk Tel: 01384-471 135</p> <p>Courses eligible for funding include governing body of sport coaching qualifications, entry level coaching courses and relevant coach development courses.</p> <p>Priorities for the scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To support governing bodies of sport to deliver their whole sport plans. • To increase the quantity and quality of coaches in the Black Country. • The course attendees have an identified opportunity to use their new skills or qualification to coach in the community (a deployment opportunity). • To meet the delivery needs of Sport England programmes that require coaches. • The course helps to increase participation in sport in relation to the governing body of sport's whole sport plan • The governing body of sport has identified the Black Country as a priority. 	Open all year	www.the-blackcountry.com/default.asp?PageID=220&n=Coaching

Coventry, Solihull and Warwickshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Coaching Grant Scheme (Sportivate)	Clubs or organisations can apply for 80% (up to a maximum of £500) of the cost to attend a Level 2 coaching qualification (or equivalent) provided the club is committed to delivering a Sportivate project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a club or organisation able to receive the coaching bursary on your behalf. The club or relevant organisation, including educational establishments, must be in Coventry, Solihull or Warwickshire and have a bank account in the club or organisation's name. • Are committed to supporting your club or organisation in the delivery of a Sportivate project (refer to Sportivate Guidance Notes for detailed information at www.cswsport.org.uk/sportivate). • Agree to provide all of the necessary KPI information to CSW Sport for the delivery of your Sportivate project. • Are able to pay the cost of the course in advance and receive the payment following completion. • Are committed to attending and completing a Level 2 coaching course and providing evidence to CSW Sport for the completion of your qualification. 	Open all year	<p>www.cswsport.org.uk/CoachFundingProgrammes</p> <p>Email: Ruth Owen-Evans: ruth@cswsport.org.uk</p> <p>Tel: 02476-574 199</p>
Governing Body of Sport Coach Development Fund	Organisations can apply for up to 75% of the cost of delivering a course, up to a maximum of £1000	<p>Courses eligible for funding include governing body of sport coaching qualifications, entry level coaching courses and relevant coach development courses.</p> <p>Priorities for the scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To support governing bodies of sport to deliver their whole sport plans. • To increase the quantity and quality of coaches in Coventry, Solihull and Warwickshire. • The course attendees have an identified opportunity to use their new skills or qualification to coach in the community (a deployment opportunity). • To meet the delivery needs of Sport England programmes that require coaches. • The course helps to increase participation in sport in relation to the governing body of sport's whole sport plan. 	Open all year Course has to be delivered by 31 December 2013	<p>www.cswsport.org.uk/CoachFundingProgrammes</p> <p>Email Scott Riddell, CSW Sport Coaching Development Manager: scott@cswsport.org.uk</p> <p>Tel: 02476-574 198</p>

Herefordshire and Worcestershire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Sports Partnership Herefordshire and Worcestershire's Club and Coach Bursary Scheme	75% of course costs up to a maximum of £200	<p>Applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • meet the minimum age for coaching (16+ for a Level 1 and 18+ for a Level 2) • be actively coaching or volunteering at a community club, activity or programme within Herefordshire and/or Worcestershire, or be able to demonstrate that they will be once qualified • coach/volunteer at a club or organisation that must be non-profit-making, a constituted body, affiliated to a governing body of sport and have a bank account in the club or organisation's name • coach/volunteer outside of the school curriculum • have a valid CRB or DBS check from the organisation where they are going to be deployed to deliver coaching. 	<p>Round 1: 29 April – 28 June 2013</p> <p>Round 2: 15 July – 20 September 2013</p> <p>Round 3: 7 October – 6 December 2013</p> <p>Round 4: 20 January – 7 March 2014</p>	<p>www.morethansport.com/bursaries</p>
Sports Partnership Herefordshire and Worcestershire's Governing Body of Sport Bursary Scheme		<p>As above, plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be nominated by a governing body of sport officer • currently, or upon completion of qualification, lead/assist a governing body of sport programme within Herefordshire and/or Worcestershire. <p>Contact o.mitchell@worc.ac.uk or your local governing body of sport officer.</p>		<p>Email: o.mitchell@worc.ac.uk</p>

Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Energize Coach Development Bursary	Up to 100% of course cost	<p>Dependent on the impact the qualification has on the club's/individual's coaching (application form).</p> <p>Applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • meet the minimum age for coaching (16+ for a Level 1 and 18+ for a Level 2) • be actively coaching or volunteering at a community club, activity or programme within Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin, or be able to demonstrate that they will be once qualified • demonstrate the impact that the qualification will have on their club or participants • coach/volunteer at a club or organisation or an individual that must be non-profit-making • coach/volunteer outside of the school curriculum. 	Open all year	www.shropshiretelford-wrekinsportspartnership.org.uk/downloads/PDF%20Coaching%20development%20grant%20application%20NEW.pdf

Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Governing Body of Sport Coach Bursary Scheme	Up to 100% of course cost	<p>Has to be the recommendation of a governing body of sport after a meeting with the Director of Sport:</p> <p>Graham MacPherson Director of Sport Energize Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin Tel: 01743-453 498 Mob: 07852 871 589 Email: graham.macpherson@energizestw.org.uk</p> <p>Courses eligible for funding include governing body of sport coaching qualifications, entry level coaching courses and relevant coach development courses.</p> <p>Priorities for the scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To support governing bodies of sport to deliver their whole sport plans. • To increase the quantity and quality of coaches in the Energize STW area. • The course attendees have an identified opportunity to use their new skills or qualification to coach in the community (a deployment opportunity). • To meet the delivery needs of Sport England programmes that require coaches. • The course helps to increase participation in sport in relation to the governing body of sport's whole sport plan. 	Open all year	graham.macpherson@energizestw.org.uk

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Cannock Chase Sports Council Club Scholarship	Up to £750	Applications can include coaching qualifications. Clubs must be within Cannock Chase and hold or be working towards accreditation. Must extend participation in the sport.	Ongoing	www.cannockchasedc.gov.uk/site/scripts/download_info.php?fileID=2226
Newcastle-under-Lyme Sports Council Grants	Up to £1000	Clubs, individuals and schools within Newcastle-under-Lyme can apply, and this can include coaching qualifications.	Ongoing	www.newcastle-staffs.gov.uk/leisure_index.asp?id=SXEB3A-A780BC49&cat=1385
South Staffordshire Council Coach and Official Scholarships	Up to 50% of cost of course	Applicants from within South Staffordshire can apply once in a 12-month period and are expected to provide volunteer hours in return.	Ongoing	www.sstaffs.gov.uk/pdf/coaches2.pdf
Sport Across Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Coaching Development Grant	Up to £1500 or £2000 for applications that show exceptional value for money	Any organisation that trains, recruits or deploys sports coaches can apply to help increase participation in sport. Applications must show a clear impact on governing body of sport and Sport England priorities.	Round Three closes end of July 2013	www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk/Coaches/SassotCoachingDevelopmentGrant
Sport Across Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Sports Club Accreditation Funding	Up to £250	Applications can include coaching qualifications. Clubs are expected to utilise the funding to gain governing body of sport club accreditation.	Ongoing	www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk/Clubs/ClubAccreditationAndClubmark/SportsClubAccreditationFundingScheme

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Sport Stafford Borough	Up to 50% of cost of course	Local sports clubs, sports coaches and talented performers can apply.	Ongoing	www.staffordbc.gov.uk/live/welcome.asp?id=5236
Staffordshire County Council Community Well-being Fund	Up to £1000 or from £1001 to £10,000	Applications can be made by community organisations and are expected to hit at least one of a number of outcomes, including increase learning, training, employment and volunteering opportunities, and improve and promote positive mental health and well-being.	End of November 2013	www.staffordshire.gov.uk/health/PublicHealth/Toolkits/CWFFundinandTime-scales-.aspx
Tamworth Community Sports Network Coach/ Official Education Grant	Up to 50%, not exceeding £300	Applications must be submitted via a sports club and must be actively involved in developing sport opportunities in Tamworth.	Ongoing	www.tamworth.gov.uk/community_and_living/funding_and_grants/sports_grants.aspx



Yorkshire and Humber

North Yorkshire				
North Yorkshire Sport Coach Funding Contact				
Robin Lavin Robin.Lavin@harrogate.gov.uk Tel: 01423-841 079 Mob: 07525 988 275				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Active Ryedale	Up to £100 per applicant for Level 1 and 2 courses	Active Ryedale offers the sports volunteer support scheme for coaches to apply for, in return for delivering a minimum of 20 voluntary hours at their club.	Ongoing	Email Stuart Cleary (Active Ryedale): scleary@ladylumleys.net or telephone 01751-472 846
Craven District Council Community Grant Scheme	The small grant is up to £500 and 100% of funding The medium grant is up to £1000 and 50% of funding	The Craven District Council Community Grant Scheme supports revenue projects such as coach education and training. Over a dozen sports clubs benefit each year from applying.	Ongoing	Telephone Bruce Dinsmore, Sports Development Officer, on 01756-706 391 or email bdinsmore@cravendc.gov.uk www.cravendc.gov.uk/article/75/grants
Richmondshire Leisure Trust			Ongoing	For specific guidance on funding for coaching in Richmondshire, email Matt Prosser, Sports Development Officer, Richmondshire Leisure Trust: sdc@rltsport.co.uk or telephone 01748-824 581 www.richmondshireleisuretrust.co.uk/Sports-development

North Yorkshire (continued)				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
Scarborough and District Sports Council	Up to £250 for individuals Up to £500 for member clubs	Funding can be used for equipment, travel costs, coach education, sports events and volunteer development.	Ongoing	Telephone Matt Hewison, Sports Development Officer, Scarborough Borough Council, on 01723-501984 or email matt.hewison@scarborough.gov.uk www.scarborough.gov.uk/default.aspx?page=9141
Sportivate	Dependent on size of Sportivate project total	North Yorkshire Sport encourages Sportivate applications to include coach education funding. Sportivate is aimed at supporting projects engaging young people aged 14–25 years old in sport, providing 6–8 weeks of coaching at a local venue.	Ongoing application process	For more details or to discuss a potential Sportivate bid, contact Damien Smith (Delivery Manager) on 01423-841078 or email Damien.Smith@harrogate.gov.uk



Funding Opportunities for Coaching - June 2013

National Funding

South Yorkshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
South Yorkshire Funding Advice Bureau (SYFAB)	Various	Free online funding advice bureau that offers a filtering system with local funding pots.	Multiple	www.syfab.org.uk
South Yorkshire Sport	Various	South Yorkshire Sport is running a series of Sport Activator programmes that include funding towards various governing body of sport qualifications. You must volunteer your coaching time and create new participation opportunities to be eligible to express your interest. This project is governing body of sport driven and includes an application process.	Multiple throughout 2013	www.coachingsysport.co.uk www.sysport.co.uk Email Michelle Dent: michelle.dent@sysport.co.uk

West Yorkshire				
Funding Source	Amount Available	Criteria	Closing Date	Application
WY Change 4 Life Coaching Bursary	Up to 75% of the cost of Level 1 and Level 2 coach courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support people to gain Level 1 or 2 coach awards. Only the following sports are eligible: badminton; boccia; fencing; handball; table tennis; volleyball; and wheelchair basketball. Must be coaching in West Yorkshire. 	31 July 2013	www.coachingwy.co.uk/for_coaches/wy_bursary_scheme
Inclusive Coaching Bursary	<p>Coaches undertaking sport-specific inclusion training/ qualifications – up to 50% of the cost of the module/ qualification</p> <p>People with a disability who wish to qualify as a coach – up to 75% of the cost of the qualification (up to a maximum of £150 for Level 1 and leader awards or £300 for Level 2 qualifications)</p>	<p>Must be coaching in West Yorkshire.</p> <p>This can support people with a disability to qualify as a coach or coaches to do sport-specific disability training as follows:</p> <p>1 Coaches undertaking sport-specific inclusion training/ qualifications – funding is available to support coaches to attend sport-specific governing body of sport disability/inclusion modules or qualifications.</p> <p>2 People with a disability who wish to qualify as a coach – funding is available to support individuals to gain Level 1 or 2 coaching awards or a recognised governing body of sport leadership award.</p>	31 July 2013	www.coachingwy.co.uk/for_coaches/wy_bursary_scheme