

GRANTS - Available both locally and Nationally

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CUMBRIA

Cumbria Community Foundation

<https://www.cumbriafoundation.org/>

Cumbria Community Foundation exists to address disadvantage by making life-changing grants and promoting philanthropy. We are also here to respond to emerging need, having managed four disaster appeals as well as the recent Cumbria COVID-19 Response Fund.

The criteria can be filtered for grants to individuals in a geographical area.

Cumbria Tourism 50th Anniversary Fund

<https://www.cumbriafoundation.org/fund/cumbria-tourism-50th-anniversary-fund/>

Grants for people aged 16 and over to help raise educational attainment and career aspirations in the Cumbrian tourism and hospitality sectors by enabling access to study, vocational training and employment.

Westmorland & Lonsdale Council

[Post-16 Transport and the 16-19 Bursary Scheme | Westmorland and Furness Council](#)

Post-16 Transport and the 16-19 Bursary Scheme, the council only makes direct provision for children from low-income families or with special educational needs, who meet the eligibility criteria.

Cumberland Council

[Transport assistance for post-16 students including low income and SEND students | Cumberland Council](#)

Generally, transport will only be provided for qualifying students:

- from a 'low income' family
- who have Special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)

AMBLESIDE / WINDERMERE

Kelsick's Educational Foundation

<https://kelsick.org.uk/>

The Kelsick Trust has been supporting schools, young people and youth groups in the Lakes Parish community since 1723 by giving educational grants to the under-25s.

The purpose of Kelsick grants is to help our local children and young people of all abilities who are resident in Ambleside, Rydal, Grasmere, Langdale and part of Troutbeck to achieve their full potential in a wide range of educational activities.

SEDBERGH

Sedbergh United Charities

<https://www.sedbergh.org.uk/community/resources/sources-grant-funding/>

Grants for educational purposes to people under 25 years old and provides grants to people in financial hardship. These are restricted to inhabitants of the civil parish of Sedbergh.

More information is available from the Clerk, John Sykes, 8 Sycamore Avenue, Sedbergh, LA10 5EZ, jmsykes100@gmail.com or 07786 384917

Sedbergh School Local Young People's Fund

The Fund exists to help support young people from the parishes of Sedbergh, Dent and Garsdale and can provide:

- Financial assistance for scholarships, bursaries or maintenance allowance at university, college, school etc.
- Clothing, tools, instrument, books etc. to assist entry into a profession or trade
- Travel abroad for further education
- Costs of social or physical training not covered by Local Education Authority
- Support of study in Music or the Arts

Application forms are available from tic@sedbergh.org.uk

CUMBRIA & LANCASHIRE

Francis C Scott Charitable Trust

The Trust awards over £1 million in grants every year to charities operating in Cumbria and the very north of Lancashire who enable young people from the most deprived areas of Cumbria and North Lancashire to achieve their full potential in life.

The Trust's website is www.fcsct.org.uk. For more information phone 01539 742608 or email info@fcsct.org.uk

CUMBRIA (CUMBERLAND)

The Mary Grave Trust

<https://www.cumbriafoundation.org/mary-grave-trust/>

The Trust gives grants to children and young people aged 11 to 21 who were born in the old county of Cumberland. The Mary Grave Trust makes grants to young people from low-income families. Grants enable travel abroad for educational purposes, raising aspirations and widening individual horizons.

LANCASHIRE / PRESTON

The Shepherd Street Trust

<https://www.shepherdstreettrust.co.uk/>

Educational grants for young people under 21 years old who live within 50 miles of Preston Town Hall.

Grants are to pay for outfits, clothing, tools, instruments, equipment which will help to further education or entry into a profession, trade or calling.

James Bond/Henry Welch Trust

<https://register-of-charities.charitycommission.gov.uk/en/charity-search/-/charity-details/222791/charity-overview>

The provision of financial assistance for people with diseases of the chest and lung and to children with disabilities and other special needs living within the administrative district covered by Lancaster City Council.

The Rycroft Children's Fund

<https://rycroftchildrensfund.co.uk/>

Grants available to children and young people in Cheshire, Derbyshire, Greater Manchester, Lancashire, Staffordshire, and South and West Yorkshire.

The Harris Charity

<https://www.theharrischarity.co.uk/>

The Harris Charity gives grants to young people under the age of 25 who live in Lancashire and need financial assistance. Priority is given to people who live in Preston District.

The Charity might be able to help you if you are in hardship or distress or if you need financial assistance to start a job or apprenticeship.

NORTH WEST

The Bowland Charitable Trust

<https://register-of-charities.charitycommission.gov.uk/en/charity-search/-/charity-details/292027/full-print>

Educational grants for young people who live in the North West of England and are on low incomes.

The Northern Counties Children's Benevolent Society

<https://northerncountiescbs.org.uk/>

NCCBS can offer grants to young people under the age of 18 who either live or go to school in Northumberland, Tyne & Wear, Cumbria, Durham, Teesside, Greater Manchester, Humberside, Cleveland, Yorkshire Lancashire and Cheshire. Grants are normally of educational in nature but can cover such things as school fees, transport, uniform and equipment, tutoring and sports fees.

Grants are assessed based on financial educational and social need. Our grants are modest and often made in conjunction with other charities, school bursary funds and support from family members.

Leverhulme Trade Charities Trust

<https://www.leverhulme-trade.org.uk/>

Financial support for grocers, pharmacists, commercial travellers and their families – a little help on your education journey

You can use the bursary for any reasonable costs connected with going to college, including travel, equipment, food, and childcare.

NATIONAL

Lawrence Atwell's Charity

[Lawrence Atwell's Charity - Charities Programme | Action Together](#)

Grants are available for young people from low-income backgrounds, to help them gain vocational, accredited qualifications.

We offer grants from £100 to £1,500 for people aged 16 to 26, to take courses (up to level 3) that will help them move into employment. Funding can be given for course fees, equipment/materials, travel costs, and childcare. We also don't give grants for general welfare purposes.

Buttle UK

<https://buttleuk.org/>

Grants for children aged 18 or under living with parents or carers, or young people aged 20 or under who are living independently, are estranged or orphaned. Grants are available to pay for essential household items such as furniture and kitchen equipment, clothing, white goods and bedding.

The Family Holiday Association

<https://familyholidaycharity.org.uk/>

Grants for struggling families in the UK who have a child or children under the age of 18 for a short trip, group trip or a day out. It may be a simple day out or a few days in a caravan at the British seaside.