



GRANTS BULLETIN – APRIL 2022

Dear Community Leader,

Welcome to my April grants bulletin.

In the area of Gellibrand, there are grants for everyone; small businesses, NFP's, Charities and volunteers.

The following grants I've chosen to highlight, aim to assist and support all organisations, businesses and individuals within the local community. They include:

- Community Customer Grants
- Make it Happen Grant
- Sporting Schools Grant
- Gas Efficiency Grant

Please visit the Victorian government website for the latest information on financial support for businesses and workers affected by COVID-19: <https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/financial-support-for-businesses-and-workers>

Yours sincerely,

Tim Watts MP
Federal Member for Gellibrand



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SPECIAL GRANTS - COVID-19

COVID-19 Emergency Relief Funding

Funding provider: St. George Foundation, Bank of Melbourne Foundation & Banks SA Foundation

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.stgeorgefoundation.com.au/apply>

St. George Foundation is providing emergency payments of up to \$5000 for approved charities who are experiencing immediate funding pressures as a result of COVID-19.

COVIDSafe Deep Cleaning Rebate

Funding Provider: Business Victoria

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://business.vic.gov.au/grants-and-programs/covid-safe-deep-cleaning-rebate>

Helps eligible businesses cover the cost of hiring professional cleaning services to conduct a 'deep clean' or 'decontamination clean' of their premises or worksite.

COVIDSafe Outdoor Activation Voucher Program

Funding Provider: Victorian Government

Amount: up to \$2,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://business.vic.gov.au/grants-and-programs/covidsafe-outdoor-activation-voucher-program>

Assists Victorian businesses, community organisations, not-for-profits and trader associations with vouchers to support initiatives such as outdoor hospitality and entertainment.

COVID-19 Resilience Fund - Adapt

Funding provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Australia Council for the Arts - Adapt Resilience Fund](#)

Supporting Australian artists, groups and organisations during the COVID-19 pandemic, the 2020 Resilience Fund is designed to provide emergency relief to support livelihoods, practice and operations.



COVID-19 Rent Relief Grant

Funding provider: Department of Health & Human Services

Amount: up to \$1,500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Covid-19 Rent Relief Grant](#)

Provides Rent Relief Grants of up to \$1,500 to Victorians experiencing rental hardship as a result of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. The one-off grant is specifically for renters living in their primary residence to help them maintain safe, secure and stable accommodation. It is paid directly to the renter's agent, lessor or landlord to contribute to their rental payments, under their new rental agreement.

Crisis Cash for Artists – COVID-19

Funding Provider: Theatre Network Australia

Amount: \$1000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Theatre Network Australia - Crisis Cash for Artists](#)

Independent artists, production crew and producers in the performing arts who have been significantly affected by COVID-19 can apply for a one-off emergency payment.

National Crisis Response Fund

Funding provider: Australian Communities Foundation

Amount: \$5,000 to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Seeking Funding](#)

The National Crisis Response Fund has been established to enable effective granting to lesser-known organisations with a strong track record of delivering services that address stress points in our current system.

These grants will be dispersed on an as-needed basis – priority will be given to those who are especially vulnerable to the health and economic repercussions of COVID-19: First Nations communities, LGBTQIA+ people seeking peer support, and women exiting prison.

The COVID-19 Rapid Advocacy Fund

Funding provider: Australian Communities Foundation and Australian Council of Social Services (ACOSS)

Amount: \$3,000 to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [The COVID-19 Rapid Advocacy Fund – QCOSS](#)

The Australian Communities Foundation & Australian Council Social Services (ACOSS) has just opened a new fund to provide funding for strategic advocacy campaigns demanding ambitious policies in response to the pandemic in Australia. It aims to support campaigns that seek to put communities at the heart of the response to the pandemic and to address injustices and inequalities.



Facebook Small Business Grants Program

Funding provider: Facebook

Amount: TBC

Closes: TBC

Apply: To register your interest go to [Facebook Small Business Grants Program | Boost with Facebook](#)

Facebook is offering grants to small businesses with between 2 and 50 employees that have been affected by COVID-19. The funding is to assist businesses with rent and operational costs. It is still under development for Australian businesses, but you can find more information here

Hobsons Bay Business has Heart: Stream 1 – A Quick Response Grant

Funding provider: Hobsons Bay Business

Amount: up to \$1,500

Closes: TBC

Apply: [Stream 1 - Quick Response Grant](#)

Hobsons Bay Business is offering a grant of up to \$1,500 to small businesses who were considerably affected by the 2021 lockdowns within health and personal services, recreational, tourism and creative industries sectors.

Hobsons Bay Business has Heart: Stream 2 – Business Precinct Activation Grant

Funding provider: Hobsons Bay Business

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBC

Apply: [Stream 2 - Business Precinct Activation Grant](#)

Hobsons Bay Business is providing business reactivation grants to enable promotions and activation within the area.



ARTS

Victorian Screen Incentive

Funding Provider: Film Victoria

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://vicscreen.vic.gov.au/funding/incentives#vsi>

This program encourages producers to bring their film, television and games projects to Victoria across all sectors of the screen industry including physical production, post-production, VFX, animation and games.

High End Television Concept Initiative

Funding Provider: Film Victoria

Amount: Up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://vicscreen.vic.gov.au/funding/development>

This program supports highly experienced Victorian writers to further develop a concept for a “high end” television drama series, enabling them to deliver a mini-bible and/or other pitch materials that will enhance the appeal of the project in the market.

Development on Demand

Funding Provider: Film Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.film.vic.gov.au/funding/funding-for-development/>

This program supports experienced Victorian producers and writers to develop narrative fiction or documentary projects for any release platform, including cinema, television, online and virtual reality.

With One Voice Community Choir Start-Up Grants

Funding provider: Creativity Australia

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: May 31, 2022

Apply: <https://www.creativityaustralia.org.au/join-a-choir/start/>

Enables individuals and community groups to develop sustainable With One Voice Social Franchises through establishing a community choir.

Regional Arts Fund – Quick Response (Organisation)

Funding Provider: Regional Arts Victoria

Amount: up to \$5000

Closes: March 31, 2022

Apply: <http://www.rav.net.au/funding-opportunities/regional-arts-fund/quick-response-grants/>

Assists regional artists, arts organisations and communities to take up professional or skills development or small project opportunities which would otherwise be unavailable or limited by the constraints of other funding programs.



Playing Australia: Regional Performing Arts Touring Fund

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: June 7, 2022

Apply: <http://www.rav.net.au/funding-opportunities/regional-arts-fund/project-grants/>

Supports performing arts to reach regional and remote communities across Australia. Grants are available to support the net touring costs associated with a national tour.

Playing Australia Project Investment

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: June 7, 2022

Apply: <https://australiacouncil.gov.au/investment-and-development/playing-australia-project-investment>

Supports performing arts tours to reach regional and remote communities across Australia.

Contemporary Music Touring Program

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$5,000 to \$50,000

Closes: September 6, 2022

Apply: <https://australiacouncil.gov.au/investment-and-development/contemporary-music-touring-program/>

Supports national touring activity undertaken by Australian musicians performing original contemporary music.

Content Grants

Funding Provider: Community Broadcast Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: June 28, 2022

Apply: <https://cbf.org.au/grants/grants-available/content/>

Aims to support the development, production and distribution of content via Australian community media.

The Levi's Music Prize

Funding provider: Levi's

Amount: \$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.bigsound.org.au/music-festival/levis-music-prize>

Enables Australian bands and artists to maximise that next opportunity to get them to the next stage of their careers. With the hardships experienced by the music industry since the onset of COVID-19, this cash boost can help artists create opportunities to help turn their dreams into reality.



The Marten Bequest Scholarships

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [The Marten Bequest Scholarships | Australia Council](#)

The Marten Bequest Scholarships offer talented young artists the chance to explore, study and develop their artistic gifts through travelling either interstate or overseas. The scholarships provide financial support under the categories of acting, architecture, ballet, instrumental music, painting, poetry, prose, sculpture and singing to help talented Australian artists achieve their dreams.

Kathleen Mitchell Award

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Kathleen Mitchell Award | Australia Council](#)

The Kathleen Mitchell Award is presented biennially to the author, aged 30 or under, of an outstanding novel or novella to encourage advancement of their literary career. The novel or novella must have been published or accepted for publication within the 2 years prior to the award closing date.

Dal Stivens Award

Funding Provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Dal Stivens Award | Australia Council](#)

The Dal Stivens Award is presented biennially to the author, aged 30 or under, of a short story or essay of the highest literary merit. The short story or essay must be between 3,000 and 10,000 words and published or accepted for publication within the 12 months prior to the award closing date.

Re-imagine: Industry Collaborations

Funding provider: The Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: up to \$100,000

Closes: TBA

Apply here: [Re-imagine: Industry Collaborations | Australia Council](#)

The Industry Collaborations stream supports future-focused, cross-industry collaborations across and beyond the cultural and creative industries. Individuals, groups or organisations working within the cultural and creative industries may apply.



International Marketing Support: Festivals and Awards

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: ongoing

Apply: <https://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/feature-films/festivals-events-awards/festivals-and-awards>

Supports the promotion of Australian content and talent at the key festivals and awards events. Screen Australia will contribute to the promotional budget for eligible events: \$20,000 for feature films and \$10,000 for short films.

Development on Demand

Funding provider: Film Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.film.vic.gov.au/funding/funding-for-development/>

Supports experiences Victorian producers and writers to develop narrative fiction or documentary projects for any release platform, including cinema, TV, online and virtual reality.

Screen Australia's Documentary Development Program

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/documentary/development/documentary-development>

Assists documentary makers in achieving planned outcomes for the development of their projects.

Enterprise People

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: up to \$70,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/industry-development/people/enterprise-people>

Supports established and emerging creative professionals in any stage of their career to take advantage of a placement or professional development opportunity.

APRA AMCOS Creative Recovery Fund

Funding provider: APRA AMCOS

Amount: up to \$1,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://apraamcos.com.au/news/2020/october/apply-for-a-1000-creative-recovery-fund-grant/>



Provides a financial contribution to APRA AMCOS song writers and composer members to support the creation of new works and the development of new projects.

Festivals Australia

Funding provider: Australian Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Amount: \$5,000 up to \$100,000

Closes: Ongoing *two rounds each year

Apply: <https://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/festivals-australia>

Supports community participation in and access to the arts and aims to support partnerships and collaborations. Grants will be awarded to high-quality arts and cultural heritage projects that invite community participation and audience engagement.

Arts and Culture: Round 3

Funding provider: Helen Macpherson Smith Trust

Amount: \$91,000 up to \$200,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://hmstrust.org.au/applying-for-a-grant/>

Aims to increase local participation, encourage public engagement and develop a sense of place through creative initiatives. Some focus areas include: building social inclusion and access, developing digital capability and supporting arts workers and artists.

Creative Activation Fund

Funding provider: Creative Victoria

Amount: \$40,000 to \$300,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://creative.vic.gov.au/grants-and-support/programs/creative-activation-fund>

Funding to support the development of creative projects that have potential to become cultural tourist attractions. Examples of projects could include but are not limited to: public art that responds to the natural landscape, large-scale murals or sculptures or digital activation that could bring sites to life using cutting edge technology.

The Readings Foundation Grants

Funding provider: The Readings Foundation

Amount: \$1,000 to \$20,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.readings.com.au/the-readings-foundation>

Assists organisations that support the development of literacy, community integration and the arts. The aims of the foundation include aiding the work of organisations that respond to the needs of disadvantaged groups, increasing the community's enjoyment of screenwriting, music, theatre, art and the written word.



Arts Projects for Individuals and Groups

Funding provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Arts Projects for Individuals and Groups](#)

This program funds a range of activities that deliver benefits to the arts sector and wider public, including national and international audiences.

Arts Projects - Organisations

Funding provider: Australia Council for the Arts

Amount: \$20,000 to \$100,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Funding | Australia Council](#)

This program funds a range of activities that deliver benefits to the arts sector and wider public, including national and international audiences.

Performers' Trust Foundation

Funding provider: Phonographic Performance Company of Australia (PPCA)

Amount: \$3,000 to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Linking Business to Music Makers - Performers' Trust Foundation](#)

These grants are to promote and encourage music and the music-related performing arts. Applications can be made for a variety of purposes including performances, scholarships, promotion, tuition fees, travel, accommodation, etc.

Community Pathways Scholarships – Arts and Culture

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: \$500

Closes: 30th June 2022 (Applications close in the middle and end of each month)

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

Wyndham City Councils ongoing fortnightly grants support individuals within the area who have elected to pursue achievements in the realm of arts and culture.



COMMUNITY

Recreational Fishing Grants Program – Small Grants Program

Funding provider: Victorian Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [VFA - Recreational Fishing Grants Program](#)

Funds small recreational fishing projects which benefit public recreational fishing in Victoria.

Recreational Fishing Grants Program – Intermediate Grants Program

Funding provider: Victorian Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning

Amount: \$5,001 - \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [VFA Intermediate Grants Program](#)

Supports projects that improve recreational fishing.

Compassionate Matched Grant Funding

Funding provider: Rotary Australia Benevolent Society

Amount: \$1,000 - \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Compassionate Matched Grant Funding](#)

Distributes grants to disadvantaged Australians identified by local Rotary clubs or Rotary districts.

Migrants & Refugees Settlement Fund

Funding provider: Melbourne Anglican Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Melbourne Anglican - Resettlement Fund](#)

Seeks to help refugees settle into a new life. Parishes may apply to support individuals in 'necessitous circumstances'. Projects may include emergency accommodation, material aid, and skill and language classes.

Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden National Program

Funding provider: Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.kitchengardenfoundation.org.au/>

Provides educational resources, professional development, support and inspiration for educators to deliver pleasurable food education to children in Australia.



Stronger Regional Communities Plan: Community Capacity Building Program

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Stronger Regional Communities Program](#)

Aims to develop and strengthen local people's capacity to make a difference in their communities by increasing participation and diversity in priority projects, processes and planning that address local challenges.

Regional Skills Fund

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Regional Jobs Fund](#)

Aims to support regional industry and business skills and capability to ensure the long-term sustainability of employment and business growth.

Regional Community Leadership Program

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Regional Community Leadership Program](#)

Aims to support initiatives that develop and facilitate the emergence of local leaders, strengthen existing community leadership capabilities and develop stronger connections between local leaders and regional development initiatives.

Disaster Assistance, Disaster Recovery and Emergency Grants

Funding provider: Australian Lions Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://lionsclubs.org.au/>

Supports community-based welfare projects.

New Enterprise Incentive Scheme

Funding provider: Australian Department of Employment

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.dese.gov.au/new-business-assistance-neis>

If you are an eligible job seeker interested in starting and running a small business, you may be able to access assistance. The Scheme provides accredited small business training, business advice and mentoring, and ongoing income support for 52 weeks.



First Home Owner Grant

Funding provider: State Revenue Office Victoria
 Amount: up to \$20,000
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://www.sro.vic.gov.au/first-home-owner>

Encourages and assists home ownership and offsets the effect of the GST on home ownership.

Follow Your Dreams Grant

Funding provider: DEBRA Australia
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://www.debra.org.au/follow-your-dreams/>

Provides an opportunity for people living with Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB) to follow their dreams.

Small Grants Program

Funding provider: CCI Giving
 Amount: up to \$10,000
 Closes: June 30, 2022
 Apply: <https://www.ussc.edu.au/research/small-grants-program>

Assists Catholic organisations and others carrying out Catholic mission anywhere in Australia to respond to current and emerging needs in local communities.

Bushfire Clean-up Program

Funding provider: Victorian Government
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://www.vic.gov.au/bushfire-clean-up-program>

Covers the demolition and disposal of all buildings destroyed or damaged beyond repair by this season's bushfires.

Be Connected Grants – Building Digital Skills

Funding Provider: Be Connected Network
 Amount: \$2,500- \$20,000
 Closes: April 29, 2022
 Apply: <https://www.beconnectednetwork.org.au/grant-program/building-digital-skills-grants>

Enables organisations to support older Australians 50+ through free face-to-face contact (if safe to do so), either one-on-one or in small groups, to develop their digital skills and confidence, utilising the learning courses available on the Be Connected Learning site



Supporting Stronger Communities Grant Program

Funding Provider: The Sidney Meyer Fund & Australian Neighbourhood Hoes and Centres Association

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.anhca.org/grants>

Enables Neighbourhood and Community Houses and Centres to address poverty and disadvantage to strengthen their local communities.

Rural Procedural Grants Program

Funding Provider: Australian College of Rural & Remote Medicine

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Rural Procedural Grants Program](#)

Provides financial assistance to procedural and emergency medicine general practitioners who provide services in remote and rural areas to help them maintain or upgrade their skills

Diabetes Grants

Funding Provider: Australian Lions Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://alf.org.au/application-forms/>

Assists with the purchase of equipment and attendance at educational and support camps for children and young adults with diabetes.

Rotary Foundation - District Grants

Funding provider: The Rotary Foundation

Amount: \$1,000 - \$6,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://my.rotary.org/en/take-action/apply-grants/district-grants>

Funds small-scale, short-term activities that address needs in your community and communities abroad.

Victorian Homebuyer Fund

Funding provider: Australian Lions Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.sro.vic.gov.au/homebuyer>

Supports eligible homebuyers with a Government contribution of up to 25% towards the purchase price of their property.



Compassionate Grants

Funding provider: Australian Lions Foundation
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://alf.org.au/application-forms/>

Funds individuals or families who are suffering financial hardship through illness or other necessitous circumstances

Special Purpose Grants

Funding provider: Australian Lions Foundation
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://alf.org.au/application-forms/>

Provides help and assistance in all forms for community welfare on a National, State or District basis.

Escaping Violence Payment Program

Funding provider: Uniting Care
 Amount: \$1,500
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: [Escaping Violence Payment Program - Uniting Care](#)

Offers support for people 18+ who have recently experienced family violence, have a changed living situation and are experiencing financial stress.

Backing Young People

Funding provider: Vincent Fairfax Family Foundation
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://vfff.org.au/>

Aims to support initiatives aligned to VFFF's focus on Backing Young People with innovative opportunities that advance their independence, social purpose and future security.

ETREA Foundation Grants

Funding provider: ETREA Foundation
 Amount: \$2,000 - \$10,000
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://www.etrea.com.au/apply-for-a-grant/>

Offers financial support, builds collaborative relationships and networks with like-minded organisations committed to supporting and teaching those in need the tools and skills to rebuild their lives and achieve personal fulfilment



Community Resilience Grants

Funding provider: Stay Afloat Australia

Amount: up to \$2,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.stayafloat.com.au/grants/>

Supports events that encourage commercial seafood communities nationwide to come together in a supportive setting to raise awareness of mental health and the benefits of overall wellbeing.

ANZ Community Foundation

Funding provider: ANZ

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.egf.com.au/philanthropy/community-grants>

Aims to support projects run by charitable organisations which offer a direct and tangible benefit to local communities.

Lendlease Foundation Community Grants Program

Funding Provider: Community Enterprise Foundation

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: April 1, 2022

Apply: [Lendlease Foundation Community Grants Program](#)

Aids not-for-profit community organisations and charities that are assisting people in need, in areas that align with the Lendlease Sustainability Network.

JumpStart!

Funding provider: VicHealth

Amount: \$3,000 - \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.vichealth.vic.gov.au/funding/Future-Healthy-JumpStart>

Supports projects that will provide more opportunities for Victoria's children and young people through food, art and play.

Strengthening Regional Communities – Rebuilding Rural Communities

Funding provider: Australian government and FRRR

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://frrr.org.au/funding/place/src-rebuilding-regional-communities/>

Provides grants for a broad range of grassroots, community-led initiatives that assist communities to recover from and adapt to the impacts of the COVID pandemic.



Gandel Community Grants

Funding Provider: Gandel Foundation
 Amount: up to \$40,000
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://gandelfoundation.org.au/>

This program supports programs in the focus areas of arts & culture, education, health & medical research, community development, social cohesion & inclusion and poverty & disadvantage.

Social Justice Small Grants Program

Funding provider: Mercy Foundation
 Amount: \$1,00 - \$10,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Mercy Foundation - Social Justice Small Grants](#)

Invests in projects that benefit either LGBTQIA+ individuals or community or strengthen LGBTQIA+ organisational capacity.

Human Rights and Social Justice Grants

Funding provider: Humanists Victoria
 Amount: \$5,000 - \$20,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://www.communityfoundation.org.au/support/humanists-victoria>

Supports initiatives in Victoria that are working to promote and/or protect the human rights and civil liberties of individuals and groups, especially those experiencing discrimination.

Survive and Thrive – Small Grants

Funding provider: Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal
 Amount: up to \$10,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://www.givewhereyoulive.com.au/grants>

Aims to reduce life inhibiting crisis by supporting immediate basic needs and supporting the building of resilience and sense of belonging and acceptance as protective factors.

Tackling Tough Times Together

Funding provider: Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal
 Amount: up to \$10,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Tackling Tough Times Together](#)

Helps communities access the resources they need to support one another through the ongoing effects of the drought.



Development & Operations Grants

Funding provider: Community Broadcasting Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://cbf.org.au/grants/grants-available/development-operations/>

Aims to support community media station resilience by strengthening governance, building community, sustainable operations and technical capacity.

NAB Foundation Community Grants

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: August 31, 2022

Apply: [NAB Foundation Community Grants](#)

Helps you safeguard your community with funding for projects that prepare for natural disasters, support long-term recovery and build resilience against future disasters.

Human Rights and Social Justice Grants

Funding Provider: Humanists Victoria

Amount: \$5,000 to \$20,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.communityfoundation.org.au/support/humanists-victoria>

This program supports initiatives in Victoria that are working to promote and/or protect the human rights and civil liberties of individuals and groups, especially those experiencing discrimination.

VIC RAF Cultural Tourism Accelerator Program

Funding Provider: Regional Arts Victoria

Amount: \$10,000-\$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <http://www.rav.net.au/funding-opportunities/cultural-tourism-accelerator/>

Supports organisations to promote and develop cultural events for tourists across regional Victoria.

Variety Victoria Individual Grant

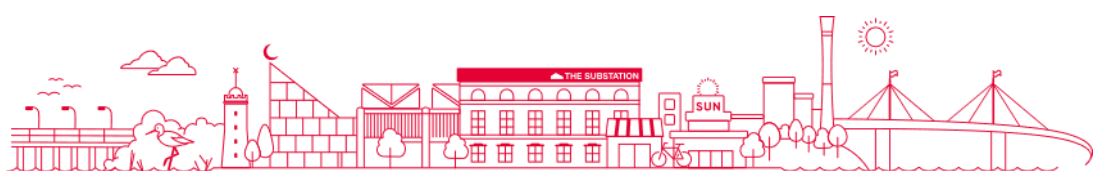
Funding Provider: Variety

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.variety.org.au/vic/guidelines/individual-grant-guidelines/>

Helps children and their families with financial support for things like wheelchairs, specialist equipment and medical supplies, when they can't afford it, and when government assistance isn't available.



Australian Government National Shed Development Programme

Funding Provider: Australian Men's Shed Association

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://mensshed.org/development-grants/>

Provides financial assistance to men's sheds across Australia. This round is prioritising events / improvements / equipment with a strong health, wellbeing or safety emphasis, and defibrillators

Broadtree Foundation Grants

Funding Provider: Broadtree Foundation

Amount: up to \$25,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.broadtreefoundation.org/>

Supports the improvement of the quality of life for people identifying as gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, intersex (e.g., people who do not identify as heterosexual) and their families.

Give500 Grant

Funding Provider: Border Trust

Amount: \$2,500- \$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.bordertrust.org.au/granting/give500-grant/>

Aims to support community wellbeing by funding projects of direct benefit to our community. This program aims to support programs that promote social cohesion, reduce social isolation and connect people to their local community; provide support to community members experiencing disadvantage and distress; promote healthy living.

ANZ Seeds of Renewal Program

Funding Provider: ANZ and Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal

Amount: up to \$15,000

Closes: Early July – TBA

Apply: <https://frrr.org.au/funding/people-grants/anz-seeds-of-renewal/>

Provides grants to community groups for projects that support environmental sustainability; improve access to housing; or promote financial wellbeing in regional or rural communities.

Growing Stronger Communities Grants

Funding Provider: Heritage Bank Charitable Foundation

Amount: up to \$15,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.heritagecharitablefoundation.org.au/apply>

This grant aims to assist programs that assist at-risk children and teenagers; health care services for vulnerable Australians and support for the economic and social wellbeing of people in regional, rural and remote communities.



Damien Greer Lawyers Community Grant Program

Funding Provider: Damien Greer Lawyers
 Amount: up to \$2,500
 Closes: June 30, 2022
 Apply: <https://damiengreer.com.au/community-grant/>

Recognises and celebrates organisations that strive to make a positive impact within their local community. This program supports organisations that help the community in times of need, build a sense of belonging, promote health and wellbeing, nurtures the local environment and supports community services and groups.

Collier Charitable Fund

Funding Provider: Collier Charitable Fund
 Amount: \$5,000 to \$80,000
 Closes: 31 May, 2022
 Apply: [About the grant system \(colliercharitable.org\)](#)

Funds worthwhile organisations and projects in Victoria.

In a Good Place

Funding Provider: Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal
 Amount: up to \$20,000
 Closes: April 20, 2022
 Apply: [In a Good Place \(IAGP\) | FRRR](#)

Supports community-driven initiatives that reduce social isolation, increase social participation and connectedness, and encourage people at risk of experiencing mental health issues to seek help.

QBE Foundation Local Grants

Funding Provider: QBE Foundation
 Amount: \$15,000 to \$25,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Australia Pacific QBE Foundation local grants | QBE AU](#)

Provides support for community initiatives addressing one of the following specific areas of need: , diversity, equality and inclusion; financial inclusion and resilience.

Health Smart Grants

Funding Provider: NIB Foundation
 Amount: \$40,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://www.nib.com.au/foundation/health-smart-grants>

A grant program focussed on partnering with Australian charities that empower youth and young adults to make smarter health choices.



Tomorrow Fund

Funding Provider: AMP Foundation

Amount: \$5,000-\$100,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.ampstomorrowfund.com.au/>

Gives amazing Australians doing great things the chance to share in \$1 million in grants. Individuals of all ages, walks of life, interests and abilities who are working towards a goal that will have a positive impact on the community can apply.

The William Angliss Charitable Fund

Funding Provider: The William Angliss Charitable Fund

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: May 31, 2022

Apply: <http://www.wacf.net.au/>

Offers grants to tax charity endorsed organisations in the fields of children and family, youth, ageing, research, health and disability.

GLOBE Small Business Grants

Funding Provider: GLOBE

Amount: up to \$4,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://globevictoria.com.au/about-globe/community-grants-2/>

Provides GLOBE members who are small business owners with the opportunity to develop, expand and promote their business.

GLOBE Community Grant

Funding Provider: GLOBE

Amount: up to \$2,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://globevictoria.com.au/about-globe/community-grants-2/>

Supports small LGBTI community initiatives from LGBTI community groups and organisations. Applicants are required to demonstrate the positive social impact of their proposed activities.

Volunteering Innovation Fund

Funding Provider: Parks Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Autumn 2022

Apply: <https://www.parks.vic.gov.au/get-into-nature/volunteering/volunteering-innovation-fund>

Funding for community-led projects that consider new ways of volunteering in and for the environment. Multiple rounds will be offered between 2020 and 2023.



Create Your Future Grants

Funding Provider: Create Foundation

Amount: \$300 to \$3,000

Closes: May 9, 2022

Apply: <https://create.org.au/create-your-future-grant-scheme/>

Provides grants to clubCREATE members aged 15-25 in the areas of driving lessons and information technology.

Community Customer Grants

Funding Provider: Bank Australia

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: April 27, 2022

Apply: [Bank Australia - Community Customer Grants](#)

Supports projects that do good for people and the planet. These grants fund projects that have a positive impact on: climate change, environmental conservation, supporting First Nations communities, asylum seekers, homelessness and animal welfare.

Felton Bequest Small Grants

Funding Provider: The Alfred Felton Bequest

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Equity Trustees | The Alfred Felton Bequest \(egt.com.au\)](#)

Supports the development of ideas and projects that have the potential to enhance the physical and emotional health of women, children and young people in Victoria. Grants are given to projects that assist vulnerable or disadvantaged children or young people, assist women in need; support the health care of women or children or their access to health care.

Active Australia Innovation Challenge

Funding Provider: Heart Foundation

Amount: \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://campaigns.heartfoundation.org.au/aaic/>

Aims to improve community participation in and to raise community awareness of the value of physical activity and increase the number of Australians becoming more physically active.

AFA Foundation Grants

Funding Provider: Association of Financial Advisers

Amount: \$2,000 to \$5,000

Closes: TBA



Apply: [Foundation Grants 2021 – Association of Financial Advisers \(afa.asn.au\)](https://afa.asn.au)

Provides grants to member-nominated charities or organisations who make a significant difference in their community but may be challenged in finding funding through other avenues such as government assistance or larger organisations.

Westfield Local Heroes

Funding Provider: Victorian Government

Amount: \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Nominate your local hero today. \(westfield.com.au\)](https://westfield.com.au)

Funds community nominated individuals with a \$10,000 grant to support their affiliated organisation's work, programs or activities. Individuals are nominated and voted for by their communities, with three successful heroes per Westfield Centre each awarded a \$10,000 grant for their affiliated organisation or group.

The Andrews Foundation – Small Grants for Smaller Community Organisations

Funding provider: The Andrews Foundation

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://andrewsfoundation.org.au/>

Aims to help community organisations that are locally based to either get started or enhance an existing project.

The Andrews Foundation – Social Disadvantage, Needs and Problems

Funding provider: The Andrews Foundation

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://andrewsfoundation.org.au/>

Seeks to assist organisations that work in the area of social disadvantage, needs and problems in order to help individuals and groups to find sustainable solutions to their issues.

The Andrews Foundation – Environmental Needs and Problems

Funding provider: The Andrews Foundation

Amount: \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://andrewsfoundation.org.au/>

Aims to help community organisations to either get started or enhance an existing project.

Stronger Regional Communities Plan

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000



Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Stronger Regional Communities Plan](#)

Aims to attract groups such as businesses, families and young people to regional Victoria by supporting projects that promote relevant lifestyles and employment opportunities.

Stronger Regional Communities Plan: Community Capacity Building Program

Funding provider: Regional Development Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.rdv.vic.gov.au/grants-and-programs/stronger-regional-communities-program>

Aims to develop and strengthen local people's capacity to make a difference in their communities by increasing participation and diversity in priority projects, processes and planning that address local challenges.

Victorian Property Fund

Funding provider: Consumer Affairs Victoria

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Victorian Property Fund](#)

Supports housing development projects that will increase the supply of affordable accommodation for low income and disadvantaged Victorians.

Bennelong Foundation Grants

Funding provider: Bennelong Foundation

Amount: up to \$25,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.bennelongfoundation.com/>

Aims to enhance community wellbeing and provide opportunities for positive and lasting change in our community. Priority focus areas include education, training and employment programs providing access, equity and inclusion opportunities, and community health and wellbeing

Back to Work Scheme

Funding provider: State Revenue Office Victoria

Amount: up to \$7,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.sro.vic.gov.au/backtowork>

Provides employers with up to \$11,000 for hiring and training eligible employees.

Jobactive Wage Subsidy

Funding provider: Australian Government

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Till July 31, 2022



Apply: <https://jobsearch.gov.au/employer-info/wage-subsidies>

Provides financial incentives through wage subsidies to enable businesses to hire and keep employees.

Community Partnership Scheme

Funding provider: Nous Group

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.nousgroup.com/about/community-partnership-scheme/>

Seeks applications for consulting projects that build the capability of organisations to make evidence-based decisions to contribute to positive social, cultural, economic and/or environmental outcomes in Australia.

The Enterprise Fund

Funding provider: Sage Foundation

Amount: \$5,000 up to \$25,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.sage.com/en-gb/company/sage-foundation/support-and-funding/>

Aims to deliver real change to young people, women and military veterans lives around the world. The Foundation is interested in applications that demonstrate innovative solutions to issues in your community which inspires others.

Community Education Program Grants

Funding provider: Ansvar Insurance

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.ansvar.com.au/community-education-program/>

Supports sustainable programs for Australians under the age of 25, promoting ongoing education and skills making a significant difference to the lives of participants. This program provides a range of grants to organisations supporting Australian youth through programs that fall under two categories – Empowerment and Education, and Outreach and Support.

IMPACT Philanthropy Program

Funding provider: Perpetual

Amount: up to \$120,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.perpetual.com.au/advice-and-trustee-services/impact-philanthropy/impact-funding>

This program is for not-for-profits that improve outcomes for the communities in which they operate. Organisations that operate nationally may submit up to three applications in total, provided each application relates to an activity in a different state or territory.

Veterans and First Responders Program



Funding provider: The Movember Foundation
 Amount: up to \$250,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://au.movember.com/about/vfr-grants>

Provides Mental Health Grants Funding Program in support of Veterans and First Responders: both groups experience higher rates of mental ill-health and suicide compared with the general population.

2020-2022 ANROWS Core Grant Research Program

Funding provider: Anrows
 Amount: unspecified
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://www.anrows.org.au/research-program/grants/call-for-grant-applications/>

This program supports policy and practice design responding to the needs of children and young people within marginalized populations. Grant applications should focus on prevention strategies that identify and address the impacts on children and young people of exposure to violence against women.

Copland Foundation Grants – Interpretation

Funding provider: Copland Foundation
 Amount: up to \$50,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: <https://www.coplandfoundation.com.au/grants>

Awards grants for the conservation, research and/or interpretation of historic houses or gardens, or collections and individual pieces already held by an institution.

Utility Relief Grant Scheme

Funding provider: Victorian Department of Health & Human Services
 Amount: up to \$500
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: <https://services.dhhs.vic.gov.au/concessions-and-benefits>

The Utility Relief Grant Scheme and the Non-Mains Utility Relief Grant Scheme provide assistance for domestic customers who are unable to pay their utility bills due to a temporary financial crisis.

Grants to End Homelessness

Funding provider: Mercy Foundation
 Amount: \$5,000 to \$50,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Mercy Foundation | End Homelessness](#)

Provides grants for seeding initiatives, services, projects, advocacy and research that will contribute to the goal of ending homelessness for women, by supporting housing first and permanent supportive housing solutions.



Financial Capability Open Grants

Funding provider: Ecstra Foundation

Amount: \$5,000 to \$100,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.ecstra.org.au/funding-principles-and-grant-guidelines>

Funds projects that equip Australians with the support and access to resources they need to make confident money decisions now, and for their financial future.

Ecstra Foundation is a new not-for-profit organisation committed to building the financial capability of all Australians within a fair financial system.

Compassionate Matched Grant Funding

Funding provider: Rotary Australia Benevolent Society

Amount: \$1,000 up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Compassionate Matched Grant Funding](#)

Distributes grants to disadvantaged Australians identified by local Rotary clubs or Rotary districts.

Projects to be considered for grants must meet RABS criteria for registration which are that the project provides direct relief to people in need.

Small Grants Program

Funding provider: CCI Giving

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://ccigiving.org.au/programs/small-grants-program>

These grants assist Catholic organizations and other groups carrying out Catholic mission anywhere in Australia in response to needs in their local communities.

Mary MacKillop Today's Community Grants Program

Funding provider: Mary MacKillop Today

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.marymackilloptoday.org.au/what-we-do/our-projects/grants/>

This grants program creates positive change by supporting small, local organisations to assist some of the most vulnerable groups in their communities, including homeless women, people living with disability and asylum seekers to become more empowered to engage in Australian society.

Budget Direct Sponsorship Program

Funding provider: Budget Direct

Amount: \$1,000 to \$5,000

Closes: new grant round TBA



Apply: <https://www.budgetdirect.com.au/about-us/sponsorships.html>

These grants are to support organisations that provide a service or other benefit for the community, such as providing awareness and education, promoting health and wellbeing and helping people in need, or other services that improve the lives of Australians.

Bank of Melbourne Neighbourhood Fund

Funding provider: Bank of Melbourne

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <http://info.bankofmelbourne.com.au/foundation/>

Identifies and invests in innovative ideas and organisations that deliver benefits for the local community. The Bank of Melbourne aims to provide support for smaller groups who attract little government funding and aren't large enough to generate fundraising income of their own.

Charity TV Global Grants

Funding Provider: Charity TV Global

Amount: Various

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [CharityTV Global | Make a Difference](#)

Applications from Australian charities and not for profits are now being accepted to be official recipients of the funds and exposure generated by CharityTV Global's projects.

Small Grants Program (Pride Foundation Australia)

Funding Provider: Pride Foundation

Amount: \$500

Closes: Funding offered 4 x year (see below)

Apply: <https://pridefoundation.org.au/pages/small-grants/>

Grant funding to support projects and initiatives to assist, involve or benefit the LGBTQIA+ people and promote positive social outcomes and mental health in the community. Rounds close in 2022: Second Round: 11 July and Fourth Round: 14 November.

IGA Community Chest

Funding provider: Independent Grocers Australia (IGA)

Amount: Case by case basis

Closes: Ongoing

Apply here: [IGA Community Chest](#)

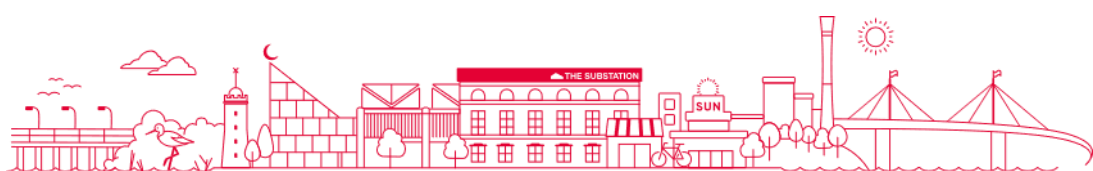
These grants support local communities, charities and other worthwhile causes. If you are looking for funding for a local project or equipment for your organisation, consider applying. Applications can be made at any time!

Mazda Foundation Grants Program

Funding provider: Mazda Foundation

Amount: Case by case basis

Closes: Applications to be made by 31 March and 30 September each year



Apply here: [Apply Now](#)

Grant program to support organisations with community advancement, education, development of technology and protection of the environment. The Foundation periodically identifies a priority area of focus. The Foundation currently has one priority area of focus, being: community-based organisations with projects supporting primary producers facing hardship.

Universal Charitable Fund

Funding provider: Universal Charitable Fund (UCF)

Amount: up to \$2,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply here: [Apply for a UCF small grant](#)

If you are a small, tax deductible, not-for-profit agency doing a terrific job in helping those in need here in Australia or overseas, then apply for a small grant from Universal Charitable Fund (UCF).

Coopers Brewery General Giving Grants

Funding provider: Coopers Brewery

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply here: [Coopers - Foundation](#)

Applications can be made by DGR endorsed charities who focus on Coopers values in the following areas: 1. Medical Research and Healthcare. 2. Youth Education. 3. Aged Care. 4. Fostering Family and Community Support Based on Christian Values.

Honda Foundation Grants

Funding provider: Honda Foundation

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply here: [The Honda Foundation: Home](#)

Honda Foundation provides support for charities and organisations across a range of social and environmental issues including individuals who are disadvantaged, disabled or suffering illness, natural disasters and innovation and new technologies. Grants available for both cash funding as well as loan vehicle for up to 12 months. You must download the form, and have your project endorsed by your local Honda Dealer.

Community Child Care Fund (CCCF) Special Circumstances Grant

Funding provider: The Department of Education, Skills and Employment

Amount: assessed on case-by-case basis

Closes: Ongoing

Apply here: [Community Child Care Fund \(CCCF\) Special Circumstances Grant Opportunity](#)

The CCCF Special Circumstances Grant Opportunity is designed to support continuity of childcare, in particular in disadvantaged or vulnerable communities.

Child care services who are approved for Child Care Subsidy (CCS) are eligible to apply for funding where there is a financial need in order to continue to provide child care in the community.



St George Foundation Community Grant

Funding provider: St George Foundation
 Amount: up to \$50,000
 Closes: New round TBA early 2021
 Apply: [Apply \(stgeorgefoundation.com.au\)](https://stgeorgefoundation.com.au)

Grants for small Australian children's charities that attract little assistance from government and that are not able to generate significant income of their own. These grants support local projects that help brighten the lives of children experiencing disadvantage.

St George Foundation Inspire Grant

Funding provider: St George Foundation
 Amount: up to \$600,000 (\$200,000 per year for 3 years)
 Closes: New round TBA early 2021
 Apply: [Apply \(stgeorgefoundation.com.au\)](https://stgeorgefoundation.com.au)

St George Foundation awards an annual Inspire Grant to one organisation each year to support innovative, education-based programs.

Make it Happen Grant

Funding provider: Hobsons Bay Council
 Amount: Up to \$25,000
 Closes: 27th April – 18th May
 Apply: <https://hobsonsbay.smartygrants.com.au/>

Hobsons Bay Council is awarding the Make it Happen grant in order to support the community and contribute to the recovery or reconnection within the Hobsons Bay community.

Festival City Grant

Funding provider: Maribyrnong Council
 Amount: TBD
 Closes: Next round opens in May 2022
 Apply: email@maribyrnong.vic.gov.au

Maribyrnong Council's Festival City grants offer both financial and in-kind support to strengthen the city's profile as 'Festival City'. Grants are in the form of funding, access to council resources, professional development and marketing and promotion.

Community Pathways Scholarships – Community Leadership

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council
 Amount: \$500
 Closes: 30th June 2022 (Applications close in the middle and end of each month)
 Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>



The fortnightly ongoing \$500 community leadership grants support individuals aged 25 or younger who have elected to pursue achievements within the area of Wyndham City.



EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

iMOVE Industry PhD Program

Funding provider: iMove

Amount: up to \$40,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://imoveaustralia.com/industry-phd-program/>

Provides an opportunity for companies and government to work closely with the best and brightest students to develop new technology, processes and thinking.

Safe Tree Program

Funding provider: Victorian School Building Authority

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au/safe-tree-program>

Helps Government schools in Victoria manage high-risk trees on their grounds.

Tertiary Access Payment

Funding provider: Services Australia

Amount: up to \$3,500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/tertiary-access-payment>

Helps students with the cost of moving from regional or remote areas for tertiary study.

Harding Miller Scholarships for Girls

Funding provider: Harding Miller Education Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.hardingmillereducationfoundation.org.au/apply-for-a-scholarship/>

Aims to create a positive social impact by lifting educational outcomes of Australian girls with high academic potential who are experiencing disadvantage.

Kinder Ventilation Support Funding

Funding provider: Victorian School Building Authority

Amount: up to \$4,500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au/kinder-ventilation-support-funding>

Makes kindergartens safer and reduces COVID-19 risk, by providing funding to improve ventilation and air quality.



Building Blocks Grants- Inclusion - Equipment

Funding provider: Australian Department of Education Skills and Employment

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au/building-blocks-grants-inclusion>

Provides grants for moveable inclusive education equipment, such as mobility stools and sensory equipment for kindergarten programs.

Commonwealth Scholarships Program for Young Australians

Funding provider: Australian Department of Education Skills and Employment

Amount: Up to \$13,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.dese.gov.au/commonwealth-scholarships-program-young-australians>

Offers scholarships to unemployed youth to undertake Vocational Education and Training (VET) courses, including workplace-based internships with local businesses.

Teaching Materials Grant Special Support for Natural Disasters

Funding provider: Japan Foundation

Amount: up to \$1,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Japan Foundation | Teaching Materials Grant](#)

Supports schools that offer Japanese language programs. This grant supports schools (applicants) that have been affected by natural disasters such as bushfires and floods in 2021 and 2022 by providing financial support for the loss of Japanese language teaching materials.

MLA Scholarship Program

Funding provider: Meat & Livestock Australia

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: [MLA Scholarship Program](#)

Supports students undertaking postgraduate studies (mostly PhDs) for up to three years of their candidature.

Emerging Priorities Program

Funding provider: Australia Department of Education, Skills & Employment

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Emerging Priorities Program](#)

This program aims to fund project that assist school communities to respond to emerging priorities in school education, including recovery from Covid 19.



Health Workforce Program Australian GP Training (AGPT) Program Planning and Prioritization

Funding provider: Australia Department of Health

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Health Workforce Program Australian GP Training \(AGPT\) - Program Planning and Prioritization](#)

This program offers post graduate vocational training programs for medical practitioners wishing to pursue a career in general practice and/or rural and remote medicine in Australia.

Medical Research Future Fund - International Clinical Trial Collaborations

Funding provider: Australia Department of Health

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Medical Research Future Fund](#)

This program assists Australian researchers and patients test, new treatments through national and international clinical trials

Teachers Scholarships

Funding provider: Public Education Foundation

Amount: \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Teachers Scholarships](#)

Provides professional development opportunities to help teachers excel.

Principal's Scholarships

Funding provider: Public Education Foundation

Amount: up to \$14,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Principals Scholarships](#)

Provides opportunities for Principals of government primary and secondary schools to undertake a short professional education program at the Harvard Graduate School of Education in the USA.

Horizon Scholarship

Funding provider: AgriFutures Australia

Amount: up to \$5,000 per year

Closes: TBA

Apply: [AgriFutures Horizon Scholarship](#)

Offers students industry work placements as well as a grant of \$5,000 per year of their degree for students studying agriculture-related degrees. Applications are open to first-year university students.



The Andrews Foundation – Education

Funding provider: The Andrews Foundation

Amount: up to \$20,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://andrewsfoundation.org.au/>

Accepts applications from kindergartens and schools for projects of building or equipment and innovative programs that will assist students.

Change Our Game Research Grants Program

Funding provider: Victorian Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions

Amount: up to \$25,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://changeourgame.vic.gov.au/the-initiative/change-our-game-grants>

Assists Victorian researchers to undertake research relating to women and girls in sport and active recreation.

Teaching Initiatives Program

Funding provider: Bank First

Amount: \$200 to \$2,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.bankfirst.com.au/about-us/corporate-information/community-fund/grants-and-donations>

Offers grants to schools and preschools across Victoria for innovative learning ideas and programs. Categories include: Indigenous culture, sustainability, engage with Asia and general curriculum.

Japanese Studies Mini Grants

Funding provider: Japan Foundation

Amount: up to \$3,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://jpf.org.au/japanese-studies/grants/>

Supports academic projects such as conferences, lectures and presentations conducted by non-profit organisations.

Women in STEM and Entrepreneurship Program

Funding provider: Australian Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources

Amount: \$5,000 to \$250,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Women in STEM and Entrepreneurship Program](#)

Provides funding to support women in STEM, to eliminate barriers for women's participation in STEM education and careers, including entrepreneurship.



Centres of Research Excellence

Funding provider: National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)

Amount: up to \$3,000,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Centres of Research Excellence](#)

Provides support for teams of researchers to pursue collaborative research and develop capacity in clinical, population health and health services research. Funding will support three streams: clinical research, health services research and public health research.

Discovery Early Career Researcher Award

Funding provider: Australian Research Council

Amount: unspecified

Closes: new grant round TBA

Apply: [Discover Early Career Researcher Award](#)

Provides more focused support for researchers and create more opportunities for early-career researchers in both teaching and research, and research-only positions.

Sponsorship Grants for Student Science Engagement and International Competitions

Funding provider: Australian Government

Amount: \$1,000 to \$20,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Sponsorship Grants for Student Science Engagement & International Competitions](#)

Provides schools and community groups with grants to sponsor eligible Australian students under the age of 18 to attend or participate in STEM related events, activities and competitions in Australia and overseas.

Women and Leadership Female Leader's Scholarship

Funding provider: Women and Leadership Australia

Amount: \$1,000 to \$5,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.wla.edu.au/funding.html>

All women currently employed in Australia are invited to apply for a limited pool of scholarship funding for participation in a range of leadership courses. The intention is to provide powerful development opportunities for women across Australia.

Education: Round 3

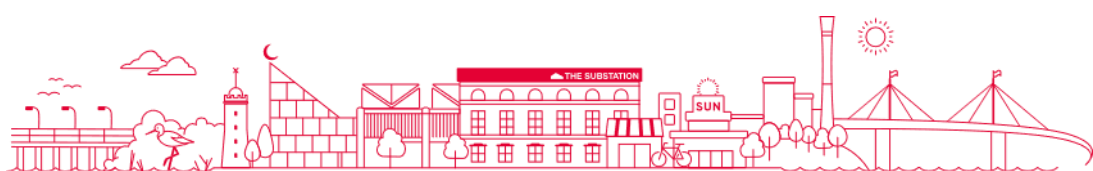
Funding provider: Helen Macpherson Smith Trust

Amount: \$91,000 up to \$200,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://hmstrust.org.au/applying-for-a-grant/>

Aims to improve access to quality, relevant and supportive education through initiatives that provide disadvantaged Victorians with the opportunity to reach their full potential.



Community Pathways Scholarships – Student Academic Support

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: \$500

Closes: 30th June 2022 (Applications close in the middle and end of each month)

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

Wyndham City Councils ongoing fortnightly grants support individuals within the area who have elected to pursue achievements in local education institutes.



ENVIRONMENT, CONSERVATION AND SUSTAINABILITY

Community Sustainability Infrastructure Fund – Local Government & Business Grants

Funding Provider: Victorian Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Community Sustainability Infrastructure Fund - Local Government and Business Grants](#)

Supports both feasibility studies and capital expenditure to achieve resource and energy efficiency, resource recovery and/or local environmental improvement outcomes.

Better Commercial Buildings

Funding provider: Sustainability Victoria

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Better Commercial Buildings](#)

Provides matched funding up to \$30,000 to make commercial buildings in Victoria more energy efficient

Gas Efficiency Grants

Funding provider: Sustainability Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Gas Efficiency Grants](#)

Offers matched funding of up to \$50,000 to assist eligible businesses with the cost of a variety of gas-related projects

Purves Environmental Fund

Funding Provider: Purves Environmental Fund

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Purves Environmental Fund](#)

Supports proposals that meet the Fund's current focus areas: species loss from habitat destruction, landscape and water management, and climate change and solutions.

Australian Small Grants Program

Funding Provider: The Sunrise Project

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Sunrise Project - Australian Small Grants Program](#)

Provides small grants for grassroots climate change initiatives.



Energy Consumers Australia Grants Program - Advocacy Grants

Funding Provider: Energy Consumers Australia
 Amount: up to \$15,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Energy Consumers Australia - Advocacy Grants](#)

Supports strong, coordinated, collegiate, and evidence-based advocacy for the benefit of residential and small business energy consumers.

Coastcare Victoria Community Grants

Funding Provider: Victorian Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning and Landcare Australia
 Amount: up to \$10,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Coastcare Victoria Community Grants](#)

Supports hundreds of community volunteer groups working to protect and enhance Victoria's 2000 kilometres of coastline

Energy Efficient Communities Program – Food and Beverage Manufacturing Business Grants

Funding Provider: Australian Department of Industry
 Amount: up to \$50,000
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Energy Efficient Communities Program - Food/Beverage Manufacturing Business Grants](#)

Supports small and medium sized food and beverage manufacturing enterprises to save energy

The Seedling Bank Grants

Funding Provider: Planet Ark
 Amount: Unspecified
 Closes: TBA
 Apply: [Seedling Bank Grants](#)

Funds the supply of native seedlings to schools and community groups around Australia.

Community Conservation Grants

Funding Provider: Foundation of National Parks & Wildlife
 Amount: up to \$10,000
 Closes: Opens – June 1, Closes – August 25, 2022
 Apply: <https://fnpw.org.au/grant/community-conservation-grants/>

Assists in the protection of our native species, habitats, landscapes and cultural heritage.



Groundswell Climate Action Grants

Funding Provider: Groundswell

Amount: \$40,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.groundswellgiving.org/apply>

Funds strategic climate advocacy to shift power, politics and legislation for decisive, rapid and just greenhouse gas emissions reductions this decade.

Climate Action Network Small Grants

Funding provider: Climate Action Network

Amount: from \$500 up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: https://www.cana.net.au/small_grants

This grants program supports small projects that educate and organize new and/or diverse voices to advocate for a rapid transformation to net zero emissions.

The Ross Trust Grants

Funding provider: The Ross Trust

Amount: \$40,000 up to \$100,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://rosstrust.org.au/grants/apply-for-a-grant>

Supports the improvement of educational outcomes for vulnerable students and on protecting, conserving and restoring the variety of living, native flora and fauna within Victoria's natural environments across land, rivers, wetlands, coasts and oceans.

Holsworth Wildlife Research Endowment

Funding provider: The Ecological Society of Australia Inc

Amount: up to \$7,500

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://www.ecolsoc.org.au/awards/holsworth/application-guidelines/>

Funds post-graduate research support in ecology, wildlife management and natural history studies. Grants will be awarded for the purchase of equipment, supplies, travel to study areas and conferences.

Environment: Round 3

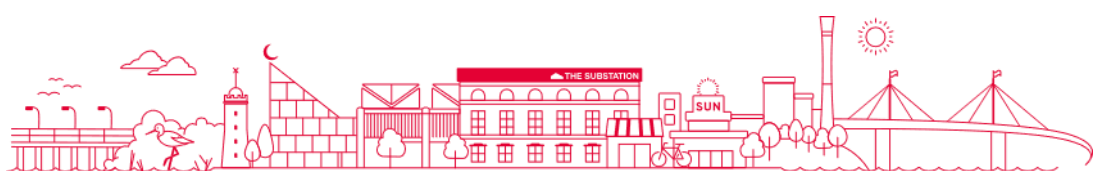
Funding provider: Helen Macpherson Smith Trust

Amount: \$91,000 up to \$200,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://hmstrust.org.au/applying-for-a-grant/>

Grants of up to three years in duration are provided to eligible charities for significant initiatives that can clearly demonstrate positive long-term impact. Aims to protect and improve Victoria's natural environments through conservation projects that advance sustainable practices.



Creative Community Grants

Funding provider: Golden Plains Shire

Amount: unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://goldenplains.smartygrants.com.au/2020Round2CCG>

Funding for projects that give people opportunities to connect and engage with their local community through participation in creative experiences. The aim is to support the local artistic community.

Healthy Active Living Grants

Funding provider: Golden Plains Shire

Amount: unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://goldenplains.smartygrants.com.au/2020Round2HALG>

These grants are available to assist community groups and organisations undertake sport, recreation, health and wellbeing projects that benefit the Golden Plains Shire community.

Community Safety Grants

Funding provider: Golden Plains Shire

Amount: unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://goldenplains.smartygrants.com.au/2020Round2CSG>

These grants are available to assist community groups and organisations to undertake projects within the Golden Plains Shire which increase the community's capacity, resilience and connection to plan for, deal with and recover from emergencies or ongoing risks.

Project Sponsorship

Funding provider: Australian Geographic Society

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [How to apply for AG Society Sponsorship](#)

Each year the Australian Geographic Society donates generously to maintain its programme of sponsorship of Australian adventurers, scientific and environmental research, and community projects. Over the years it has spent much time and effort supporting Australian endeavour in all these fields.

Australian scientists, community organisations and individuals developing projects in Australia and abroad are welcome to apply for Society sponsorship.



DISABILITY

Disabled Children's Foundation Grants

Funding provider: Disabled Children's Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Disabled Children's Foundation Grants](#)

Aims to promote the health, welfare and interests of disabled children around Australia and to ensure children with disabilities and their families have the same opportunities as all people to enjoy the benefits of participation in the community.

Better Start for Children with Disability

Funding provider: Australian Department of Social Services

Amount: up to \$12,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Better Start for Children with Disability](#)

The funding can be used to pay for early intervention services provided by a range of early intervention professionals who are members of the Better Start Early Intervention Service Provider Panel.

Innovative Solutions Support Fund

Funding provider: Australian Department of Education, Skills and Employment

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://idfm.org.au/funding-streams/innovative-solutions>

Funds flexible and alternative solutions to address inclusion barriers in early childhood education and care services.

Disability Self-Help Grants Program

Funding provider: Victorian Department of Families, Fairness & Housing

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Disability Self-Help Grants Program](#)

This program assists disability self-help groups in financing general expense, minor works and equipment.

Arthur Marsden Whiting's Sympathy Fund

Funding provider: Equity Trustees Foundation

Amount: up to \$3,000

Closes: Multiple rounds offered (see below)

Apply: [Arthur Marsden Whiting's Sympathy Fund](#)

This program aids people with a physical disability who need financial support. First Round: Closes on March 31, 2022, Second Round: Open April 1 - Closes June 30, 2022, Third Round: Opens July 1 – Closes September 30, 2022, Fourth Round: Opens October 1 – Closes December 31, 2022.



Tye Recreation Fund

Funding provider: Deaf Children Australia

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Tye Recreation Fund](#)

Provides financial assistance to organisations and individuals towards the cost of holidays and recreation opportunities for Victorian children who are deaf.

Disability Donations Trust

Funding provider: Disability Donations Trust

Amount: unspecified

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://providers.dhhs.vic.gov.au/disability-donations-trust>

Provides grants to individuals and organisations to improve the quality of life for people with a disability. Applicants must be aged 18 or under, Victorian residents and fall within the target group.

NABS (National Auslan Interpreter Booking and Payment Service)

Funding provider: Department of Social Services

Amount: Undisclosed

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [About NABS](#)

NABS provides interpreters for Deaf, Deafblind and hard of hearing people who use sign language and would like an interpreter for private health care appointments.

NABS is free to people who are not eligible for NDIS (National Disability Insurance Scheme).

Rehabilitation Appliance Program

Funding provider: Department of Veterans' Affairs

Amount: Undisclosed

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Equipment and modifications for you and your home](#)

If you are a Gold or White Card holder (with assessed need due to an accepted disability), you can access aids or appliances to help you maintain independence in your home through the Rehabilitation Appliances Program (RAP). Items can include diabetic supplies, mobility aids, home medical oxygen, etc.



INDIGENOUS

Community Initiated Grant Proposals

Funding provider: National Indigenous Australians Agency

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Community Initiated Grant Proposals](#)

Considers grant proposals that address a need for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. Proposals must be developed with the community or group who will be impacted by the activity.

First Nations TV Drama Production

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Screen Australia - First Nations TV Drama Production](#)

Assist in the professional development of First Nations Australian key creatives, as well as to provide opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander filmmakers who have demonstrated extraordinary talent to extend their vision and their skills.

KWT Grants

Funding Provider: Koondee-Woonga-gai Toor-rong Fund

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.kwtfund.org.au/grants>

Supports First Nations peoples and organisations that have resided or have been based in Victoria for twelve months or more.

Our Country Our Future

Funding Provider: Australian Government Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.ilsc.gov.au/partner-with-us/our-country-our-future/>

Provides a wide range of assistance to Indigenous Australians including to acquire land and water-related rights, and to manage Indigenous-held land and Indigenous waters.

CAGES Foundation –Economic Inclusion Grants

Funding Provider: CAGES Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://cagesfoundation.org/>

Supports Aboriginal controlled organisations to promote economic inclusion for First Nation people through assisting with project costs including core expenses and internal investment products.



CAGES Foundation – Strategic Partnerships

Funding Provider: CAGES Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://cagesfoundation.org/>

Supports organisations that work with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children (pre-natal to 5), and who are located on the east coast and have a national reach.

Harcourts Foundation Grants

Funding provider: Harcourts Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://harcourtsfoundation.org/>

Supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to express, preserve and maintain their cultures through languages and arts activities around Australia.

CAGES Foundation – Community Grants

Funding Provider: CAGES Foundation

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: June 30, 2022

Apply: <https://cagesfoundation.org/>

Supports aboriginal controlled organisations responding to an immediate need, focused on children aged under five.

Futures Fund

Funding Provider: Black Rainbow

Amount: \$1,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: <https://blackrainbow.org.au/futuresfund/>

Invests in the futures of the Indigenous LGBTIQ+ community. These grants are awarded for the advancement of Indigenous LGBTIQ+ community members who can demonstrate they are high achievers and excelling in their chosen field.

NAIDOC Local Grants

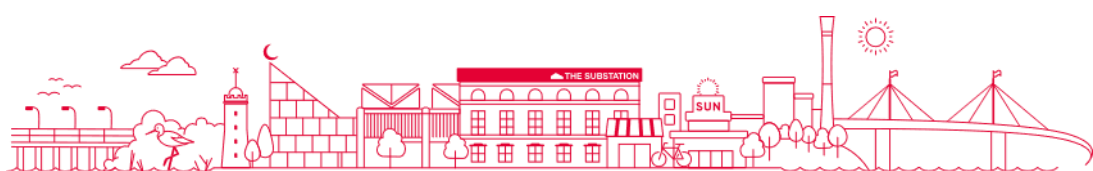
Funding provider: National Indigenous Australians Agency

Amount: \$200 to \$1,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [NAIDOC Local Grants Program](#)

Provides funding to indigenous and non-indigenous organisations to contribute to the costs of local and regional NAIDOC activities across Australia



Aboriginal Sport Participation Grant Program

Funding provider: Sport and Recreation Victoria

Amount: up to \$1,500

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Aboriginal Sport Participation Grant Program](#)

Assists Aboriginal Victorians to participate in Aboriginal sport carnivals, buy sports uniforms and equipment, as well as funding for travel and accommodation expenses for athletes to compete in state and national competitions.

Indigenous Programs Practitioners Support Internship

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Indigenous Programs Practitioners Support Internship](#)

Assists the career development of talented filmmakers who can demonstrate a strong commitment to a career in the film industry.

Feature Development Funding Program

Funding provider: Screen Australia

Amount: up to \$35,000

Closes: new grant round TBA

Apply: [Feature Development Funding Program](#)

This grant aims to provide opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander filmmakers with demonstrated experience to create a short feature film.

Indigenous Languages and Arts Program Grants

Funding provider: Australian Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Amount: up to \$100,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Indigenous Languages and Arts Program Grants](#)

Supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to express, preserve and maintain their cultures through languages and arts activities around Australia.

Capacity Building Funding for Native Title Corporations

Funding Provider: National Indigenous Australians Agency

Amount: Undisclosed

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Capacity building for native title corporations](#)

The Department is inviting eligible applicants to apply for Prescribed Bodies Corporate (PBCs) capacity building grant funding under the Indigenous Advancement Strategy. There are three elements to this funding include 1 Increase Capacity, 2 Support for Training and 3 Support for Native Title Agreement-making.



Applications will be accepted from individual PBCs, groups of PBCs, or third parties authorised to administer funds on behalf of PBCs. Applicants must meet other eligibility criteria outlined in the IAS Grant Guidelines and undergo financial viability checks and a risk assessment.

#ContagionofLove Community Micro-grants

Funding provider: Black Rainbow
 Amount: \$300
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: [PROJECTS – Black Rainbow](#)

Black Rainbow are currently offering community micro-grants to self-identifying LGBTQI people of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community. These micro-grants are to assist with hosting Indigenous LGBTQI community events.

Tailored Assistance Indigenous Employment Grants

Funding provider: National Indigenous Australians Agency
 Amount: Undisclosed
 Closes: Ongoing
 Apply: [Tailored Assistance Employment Grants](#)

Tailored Assistance Employment grants are available to provide funding support to connect working age Indigenous Australians with real and sustainable jobs, as well as support Indigenous school student's transition from education to sustainable employment. Where funding is available, organisations will be able to apply for Tailored Assistance Employment grant funding at any time. This open grant funding process will support services or activities that will have a positive impact on the Government's priority area of Employment and Increased participation of Indigenous Australians. The Department encourages applications for the funding of activities tailored to local circumstances with the involvement of Indigenous communities.



SPORT

Fundraising4Sport

Funding provider: Australian Sports Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Fundraising4Sport](#)

Raises funds for sporting and community clubs and organisations of all sizes for projects that seek to develop sport and/or increase participation.

Boots for All Community Partner

Funding provider: Boots For All

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Boots for All - Community Partner](#)

Breaks down barriers to sport participation by collecting and distributing quality, new and near-new sporting equipment to vulnerable Australians.

Dylan Alcott Foundation Grant

Funding provider: Dylan Alcott Foundation

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [DylanAlcott Foundation](#)

Aims to eliminate the barriers facing young people with a disability in fulfilling their dreams.

Emergency: Sporting and Recreation Equipment

Funding provider: Sport and Recreation Victoria

Amount: up to \$2,000

Closes: Ongoing, but applications must be lodged within 6 months of damage incurred

Apply: [Sporting and Recreation Victoria](#)

Aids grassroots sport and active recreation clubs and organisations to replace essential sporting or first aid equipment that has been lost or destroyed as a consequence of fire, flood, significant storm event, theft or criminal damage.

BIS Sport Funding

Funding provider: Barwon Sports Academy

Amount: \$50 - \$500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [BIS Sport Funding](#)

Assists individual sports people who are participating in regional, state and national sporting events or competitions and who are residents of the City of Greater Geelong, Surf Coast Shire and Borough of Queenscliff.



Opportunity Knocks Subsidy Program

Funding provider: Australian Tennis Foundation

Amount: up to \$500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Australian Tennis Foundation - Opportunity Knocks](#).

Offers young people aged 5 - 17 facing disadvantage or adversity the opportunity to continue their tennis journey with subsidised coaching by a qualified tennis coach.

Sporting Schools Grants

Funding Provider: Sport Australia

Amount: up to \$4,100

Closes: June 3, 2022

Apply: [Sport Australia - Sporting Schools](#)

Helps primary schools and secondary schools in relation to year 7 and 8 students deliver sport-based activities before, during or after school hours.

Regional Partnerships Project Pool Program

Funding provider: Australian Department of Education, Skills and Employment

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: TBA – New Round

Apply: <https://www.dese.gov.au/rpppp>

Supports multi-year collaborative outreach projects that enable the aspirations of students in regional and remote Australia where barriers to pursuing higher education exist.

Grassroots Cricket Fund – Community Clubs & Indoor Centres

Funding provider: Cricket Australia

Amount: up to \$3,500

Closes: April 17, 2022

Apply: [Grassroots Cricket Fund - Community Clubs & Indoor Centres](#)

Provides opportunity for clubs and indoor centres to access funding that can be utilised for purchasing cricket equipment, building capability amongst volunteers and assisting with providing fantastic experiences for their players. Round 2 (applications close April 17, 2022) are for clubs/centres in flood affected areas.

Australian Cricket Infrastructure Fund – Victoria

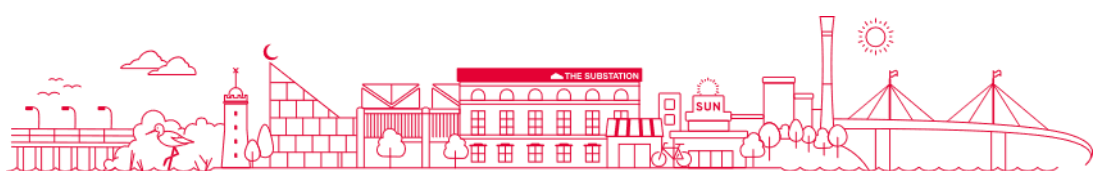
Funding provider: Cricket Australia

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Cricket Australia - Infrastructure Fund](#)

Provides funding for community cricket facility projects, with a focus on growing participation and promoting accessibility and inclusivity.



Victorian Golf Foundation Grants

Funding provider: Victorian Government

Amount: up to \$3,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://asf.org.au/>

Assists individuals, projects, programs and services which benefit golf in the areas of junior development, research and development, participation initiatives, publicity/public relations, and innovation.

Play Golf Fund

Funding provider: Play Golf Fund

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://playgolfund.com.au/>

Aims to support the creation, expansion, upgrade or reconfiguration of innovative, entertainment-based golf facilities around Australia.

Sporting Club Grants Program – Uniforms or Equipment

Funding provider: Sport and Recreation Victoria

Amount: up to \$1,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Sporting Clubs Program - Uniforms or Equipment](#)

Provides grants to purchase uniforms or other equipment essential for participation. Eligible items could include uniform items such as jumpers or tracksuits and equipment such as bats, match balls and first aid equipment.

Sporting Club Grants Program – Club Operational Capacity

Funding provider: Sport and Recreation Victoria

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Sport and Recreation Victoria - Club Operational Capacity](#)

Aims to improve the operational effectiveness and efficiency of clubs through strategic planning. This could include development of policy and procedural manuals or development of a club or organisation website.

Sporting Club Grants Program – Skill Development

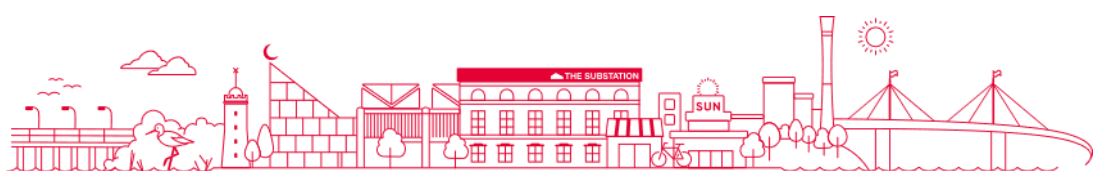
Funding provider: Sport and Recreation Victoria

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Sport and Recreation Victoria - Skill Development](#)

Aims to improve the skills of club members and club sustainability through training for coaches, officials and other staff. Priority will be given to training that supports the inclusion of population groups with low levels of participation in sport and physical activity.



Local Sporting Champions

Funding provider: Sport Australia

Amount: \$500 to \$700

Closes: March 31, 2022

Apply: [Sport Australia - Local Sporting Champions](#)

The Local Sporting Champions program provides financial assistance for coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-18 participating in state, national or international championships.

Community Pathways Scholarships – Sports and Recreation Competitions

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: \$500

Closes: 30th June 2022 (Applications close in the middle and end of each month)

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

Wyndham City Councils ongoing fortnightly grants support individuals within the area who have elected to pursue achievements in the area of sports and recreation.

Active Maribyrnong Grants Program

Funding provider: Maribyrnong Council

Amount: Maximum \$200 per child

Closes: TBA

Apply: email@maribyrnong.vic.gov.au

The Active Maribyrnong Grants program simultaneously supports underrepresented youth and local sporting teams in an effort to promote positive participation for sport and recreation within the community.



BUSINESS

Hospitality Business Grant Program

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: up to \$25,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Hospitality Business Grant Program - Business Victoria](#)

Supports food service businesses that have been affected by the return to Stage 3 and Stage 4 'Stay at Home' restrictions to help slow the spread coronavirus (COVID-19) in Victoria.

Employment Assistance Fund

Funding provider: Australian Government

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Employment Assistance Fund \(EAF\)](#)

Provides financial help to eligible people with disability and mental health conditions and employers to buy work related modifications, equipment, Auslan services and workplace assistance and support services.

Clean Energy Innovation Fund

Funding provider: Clean Energy Finance Corporation (CEFC)

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Clean Energy Innovation Fund](#)

Targets technologies and businesses that have passed beyond the research and development stage and which can benefit from early-stage seed or growth capital to help them progress to the next stage of their development.

Gas Efficiency Grants

Funding provider: Sustainability Victoria

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Gas Efficiency Grants - Sustainability Victoria](#)

Offers matched funding of up to \$50,000 to assist eligible businesses with the cost of a variety of gas-related projects

Better Commercial Buildings

Funding provider: Sustainability Victoria

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Sustainability Victoria - Better Commercial Buildings](#)

Provides matched funding up to \$30,000 to make commercial buildings in Victoria more energy efficient



Business Energy Advice Program

Funding provider: Australian Department of Industry, Science Energy and Resources

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Business Energy Advice Program](#)

Delivers trusted advice to help small businesses and their representatives get better energy deals and increase their energy efficiency.

Employer Support Payment Scheme

Funding provider: Australian Government Department of Defence

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Employer Support Payment Scheme](#)

Provides financial assistance to employers of Reservists and self-employed Reservists, when the Reservist is absent from their civilian workplace on eligible periods of Defence service.

Back to Work Scheme

Funding provider: State Revenue Office Victoria

Amount: up to \$7,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.sro.vic.gov.au/back-to-work>

Provides employers with up to \$11,000 for hiring and training eligible employees.

Business Costs Assistance Program

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: up to \$8,400

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Business Costs Assistance Program](#)

Assists eligible businesses with costs incurred because of necessary public health restrictions, during the COVID-19 circuit breaker action.

Grow Your Business- Business Development Plan – Mentoring

Funding provider: Victorian Department of State Development, Business & Innovation

Amount: up to \$7,500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Grow Your Business: Business Development Plan - Mentoring](#)

Mentoring aims to provide experienced strategic advice to a board and/or CEO. Primarily Mentoring guides businesses in the implementation of a complex business plan

Games Release

Funding provider: Film Victoria

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing



Apply: [Games Release - Film Victoria](#)

Supports newer and smaller Victorian games studios and developers to engage experienced consultants to assist them to deliver a well-planned and marketed release of their project.

Bond Business Accelerator

Funding provider: Bond University

Amount: up to \$5,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://bond.edu.au/>

Provides an incubator for early-stage start-ups, combining the essential ingredients of formal training, practical skills, high level mentoring and investor introductions that will transform your idea into a fully-fledged commercial entity.

Skilling Australia's Defense Industry Grants Program

Funding provider: Australian Government Department of Defense

Amount: \$5,000 to \$500,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Department of Defense - Skilling Australia's Defense](#)

Provides grants to businesses over three years to help develop defence sector skills and human resources practices and training plans. The program aims to reduce barriers faced by Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) in the defence sector when upskilling or retraining staff, develop skills within SMEs in the defence sector, and support SMEs in the defence sector to establish human resources practices and training plans that will build lifelong learning activities into their business.

CSIRO Kick-Start

Funding provider: CSIRO

Amount: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: <https://www.csiro.au/>

Provides Australian start-ups and small to medium enterprises with matched funding to undertake research activities with CSIRO to grow and develop their business.

Better Commercial Buildings

Funding provider: Sustainability Victoria

Amount: up to \$30,000

Closes: Ongoing - unless allocation exhausted

Apply: <https://www.sustainability.vic.gov.au/betterbuildings>

Provides matched funding up to \$30,000 to make commercial buildings in Victoria more energy efficient.



Google Ad Grants

Funding provider: Google

Amount: USD \$10,000 free advertising per month

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Apply for Non-profit Grants | Google Ad Grants – Google](#)

Available for not-for-profit organisations, Google is offering in-kind advertising to the value of USD \$10,000 per month to help attract more donations and recruit volunteers.

Future Industries

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: assessed case-by-case

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Future Industries](#)

Future Industries is about supporting investment in high-growth industries through industry excellence and development projects, including establishing collaborative networks and building supply chain readiness capabilities.

Wyndham City Council – Small Grants

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: Up to \$2,000 for Inc. Groups and Not-for-Profit Organisations, \$500 for Individuals

Closes: Ongoing – Applications close at the end of each month

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

The small grants funding supports individuals and organisations who wish to build a sense of community and hold events in their neighbourhood.

Wyndham City Council – Medium Grants

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: Up to \$15,000

Closes: TBD

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

The medium grants support incorporated groups and not-for-profit organisations to support the local community on medium sized projects.

Wyndham City Council – Large Grants

Funding provider: Wyndham City Council

Amount: Up to \$40,000

Closes: TBD

Apply: <https://wyndham.smartygrants.com.au/>

Wyndham City Council's large grants assist Incorporated groups and not-for-profit organisations who support and assist the community on a larger scale. Support can include, cash contributions, grants from other funding bodies, sponsorship, in-kind support and in-kind volunteers.



Social Enterprise Support Grants Program

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: Up to \$50,000

Closes: 10th April 2022

Apply: [Social Enterprise Support Grants Program - Business Victoria](#)

Eligible Victorian social enterprises will be able to purchase plant machinery or equipment up to \$50,000 which will allow them to grow, therefore, increasing their impact.

Microenterprise Development Grants program

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: Up to \$300,000

Closes: 10th April 2022

Apply: [Microenterprise Development Grants Program - Business Victoria](#)

The Microenterprise Development Grant will assist priority groups create sustainable microbusinesses which address socio-cultural constraints to participation for those priority groups.

Mental Wellbeing of Business Communities Grants Program

Funding provider: Business Victoria

Amount: Up to \$15,000

Closes: 31st of March 2022

Apply: [Mental Wellbeing of Business Communities - Business Victoria](#)

The Mental Wellbeing of Business Communities Grant supports Business Communities to develop and deliver dedicated programs to improve their mental health and wellbeing of their members.



YOUTH

Australian Apprentices Incentives Program

Funding provider: Australian Department of Education, Skills & Employment

Amount: \$750 - \$4,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Australian Apprentices Incentives Program](#)

Encourages the continued training and development of a highly skilled Australian workforce by providing employers with incentives to employ an apprentice..

Victorian Youth Development Grants

Funding provider: Victoria Police Legacy

Amount: Unspecified

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Victorian Youth Development Grants - Victoria Police Legacy](#)

Assists young police legatees with their professional or personal development which can include student exchanges, cultural development or participating in a national or international competition.

Tuition Fee Relief Grants

Funding provider: Skilling Australia Foundation

Amount: up to \$1,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Tuition Fee Relief Grants](#)

Supports young Australians, between the ages of 17 and 24, facing disadvantage who have, or wish to, commence an apprenticeship working in traditional trades or traineeship.

Hey Grants

Funding provider: Youth Affairs Council of Victoria

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Youth Affairs Council of Victoria - Hey Grants](#)

Supports organisations (both specialist LGBTIQ+ and mainstream youth organisations) to undertake mental health promotion and community engagement activities which focus on LGBTIQ+ young people, aged between 14 and 25 years.

Youth Action Project Grant Scheme (YAPGS)

Funding provider: Foundation for Young Australians

Amount: \$5,000 to \$20,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Youth Action Project Grant Scheme - Foundation for Young Australians](#)

Provides grants to projects that support young people (15-24 years) as they recover from the COVID-19 period. This grant scheme is open to individuals or organisations that recognise and uniquely respond to the hardship young people are facing now and will face in the future; or existing projects



that provide an on-going service to young people, which require additional funding to adapt or continue that work.

Community Education Program Grants

Funding provider: Ansvar Insurance

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closes: TBA

Apply: [Community Education Program Grants - Ansvar Insurance](#)

Supports sustainable programs for Australians under the age of 25, to promote ongoing education and skills. There are two categories: Empowerment and Education and Outreach Programs.

Transition to Independent Living Allowance

Funding provider:

Amount: \$1,500

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Transition to Independent Living Allowance](#)

Young people aged between 15 to 25 years who are leaving or have already left formal out-of-home care may be eligible for this payment. It is also for young people who continue to live with their foster carers after their care order expires.

The payment can be used to buy items such as a fridge or couch, pay for counselling, education and training courses, medical expenses, a driver's licence or any other items or services agreed between the young person and their case worker.

Youth Jobs PaTH

Funding provider: Jobactive

Amount: \$1,000 to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Youth Jobs PaTH | Department of Education, Skills and Employment](#)

Youth Jobs PaTH is designed to support young people to gain the skills and work experience they need to get and keep a job. It also supports employers to host internship placements and provides them with incentives when they take on a young person. Youth Jobs PaTH has three elements: Prepare - Trial - Hire. You can trial a young person for 4 to 12 weeks in an internship so you can both be sure they're the right fit for your business. You will receive \$1,000 to help cover the costs and the Australian Government provides an additional \$200 per fortnight on top of their income support payment and covers their insurance. If you decide to hire the young person you may be eligible to receive up to \$10,000 (GST inclusive).

Matana Foundation for Young People

Funding provider: Matana Foundation

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Matana Foundation](#)

Funding available for organisations that focus on youth programs that assist with school retention and increased education, employment skills as well as social and community connectedness.



INTERNATIONAL

Catalyst Fund

Funding provider: Roddenberry Foundation

Amount: \$2,500 up to \$15,000

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Roddenberry Foundation - Catalyst Fund](#)

Provides grants to people anywhere in the world who have an early-stage idea or project that addresses pressing global challenges. Criteria includes: innovation, potential impact, eco-system and originality.

Global Innovation Fund - Transforming ideas into impact

Funding provider: Global Innovation Fund

Amount: assessed on case-by-case basis

Closes: Ongoing

Apply: [Global Innovation Fund - Transforming ideas into impact](#)

The Global International Fund is a non-profit innovation fund that invests in the development, rigorous testing and scaling of innovations targeted at improving the lives of the world's poorest people.

