

Funder List – Education

This is one of 20+ funder lists from the free [Charity Excellence Framework](#) Maximising Income questionnaire. Double click the funder name to be taken to their website.

Funding Finders

1. [Education](#) - produced for Scotland, but includes national trusts, as well.
2. [Princes Trust](#) - lots of funders for young people, including funding searches for scholarships, postgraduate, educational grants and more.

Funders

1. [A G Manly Charitable Trust](#) - charitable organisations in SE England to advance education in engineering, especially for young people.
2. [Allan and Nesta Fergusen Charitable Trust](#) – UK and overseas
3. [Alliance Family Foundation](#) - England, Wales and overseas in France, Germany, Israel, the Philippines and the USA.
4. [Andor Charitable Trust](#) - registered charities involved in medical research, the arts and various educational activities in the UK.
5. [Basil Samuel Charitable Trust](#) - medical, socially supportive, educational and cultural charities in England and Wales.
6. [Baily Thomas Charitable Fund](#) – UK voluntary organisations and charities for the care and relief of those with a learning disability.
7. [Bernard Sunley Charitable Foundation](#) - one-off capital grants for registered charities in England and Wales - community, education, health and social welfare.
8. [Birkdale Trust for Hearing Impaired](#) - education and welfare of children and young people in the UK with a hearing impairment.
9. [BlueSpark Foundation](#) - schools, community groups, clubs, societies or other organisations in England for the education and development of children and young people through educational, cultural, sporting and other activities.
10. [Boltons Trust](#) - charitable organisations in England or Wales - support for education, research and welfare projects.
11. [Bowland Charitable Trust](#) - charitable organisations with outdoor and character-building projects for young people in NW England, as well as for educational activities.
12. [British and Foreign School Society - Looked After Children](#) - UK registered charities to improve approaches to the educational attainment of UK 'looked after children'.

13. [Catherine Cookson Charitable Trust](#) - One-off grants to local charities within NE England for a wide range of charitable activities, including education. In particular, the Trust supports work with young or disadvantaged people.
14. [Children in Need](#) - wide variety of projects from holiday schemes, playground equipment, sports activities and even minibuses with revenue, capital and salary costs.
15. [Clore Duffield Foundation](#) - education, particularly children and young people, especially the vulnerable.
16. [Coral Samuel Charitable Trust](#) - registered charities carrying out educational, welfare and cultural projects.
17. [David and Ruth Lewis Family Charitable Trust](#) - charities undertaking charitable projects in England and Wales.
18. [Djanogly Foundation](#) - registered charities undertaking education, arts or social welfare projects in the UK and/or Israel.
19. [Drapers' Charitable Fund](#) - UK registered charities working to improve the quality of life for people in Greater London by targeting the disadvantaged and socially excluded.
20. [DWF Charitable Foundation](#) - one-off grants are available to registered charities in the UK.
21. [Edward Cadbury Charitable Trust](#) - registered charities in the West Midlands.
22. [Emergency School Improvement Fund \(Non-Capital\)](#) - schools in England facing unexpected or imminent failure.
23. [Emerton-Christie Charity](#) - registered charities throughout the UK, including education and disability.
24. [Esmee Fairbairn](#) - education and learning - practical solutions to help disadvantaged people.
25. [Four Acre Trust](#) - schools' extracurricular projects, early intervention work, international eye and water projects.
26. [Foyle Foundation Main Grants Scheme](#) – UK registered charities for the performing or visual arts or the acquisition of knowledge and learning.
27. [G M Morrison Charitable Trust](#) - registered charities in the UK.
28. [Garfield Weston Foundation](#) – UK charitable organisations for a wide range of projects.
29. [Gatsby Foundation](#) – UK science and engineering skills.
30. [Gilchrist Educational Trust](#) – UK organisations undertaking projects which fill educational gaps or make an aspect of education or learning more widely available.
31. [Gosling Foundation](#) - charitable organisations for UK projects.
32. [Graham Kirkham Foundation](#) - charitable organisations for UK projects, including young people and those with disabilities.
33. [Greggs Foundation](#) - Breakfast Clubs Programme – primary schools with 40% or more free school meals.
34. [Grocers Charitable Trust](#) - bursaries and capital projects for schools.
35. [Hadrian Trust \(North East England\)](#) - social welfare and charitable organisations working to improve the lives of people in the North East of England. Our main donations are in the fields

- of social welfare, youth, disability, the elderly, women, ethnic minorities, education, arts and the environment.
36. **Hodge Foundation** - both within formal schools settings and practical approaches to learning, including special needs and arts projects.
 37. **IET – Engineering Education Grant Scheme** - schools, educational institutions, youth clubs and STEM organisations for projects that increase engineering knowledge for children and young people aged 5-19 years.
 38. **John Lyon’s Charity** - Small Grants Programme - support to 9 Boroughs in northwest London: Barnet, Brent, Camden, Ealing, Hammersmith & Fulham, Harrow, Kensington & Chelsea and the Cities of London and Westminster.
 39. **Joron Charitable Trust** - registered charities for education and medical research.
 40. **Kennedy Leigh Charitable Trust** - charitable organisations undertaking projects in the UK or Israel.
 41. **Lawrence Atwell's Charity** - Individuals Programme - young people (aged 16 to 26 years) from low-income backgrounds, to help them gain vocational, accredited qualifications so that they can move into employment.
 42. **MacRoberts Trust** - Armed Forces, education and children/youth. Four types of awards from up to £1k to over £50k.
 43. **Margaret Dobson Further Education Trust** - people with a learning disability after they reach normal school leaving age, to learn skills to help them live more independent lives.
 44. **Marsh Christian Trust** - UK registered charities; social welfare, arts and heritage, environmental causes and animal welfare, healthcare, education and training.
 45. **Military Order of the Collar Foundation** - not-for-profit UK organisations; poverty relief and education. The welfare of children and the emergency services sector are supported.
 46. **Millennium Point Charitable Trust** - Small Grants Programme - schools and not-for-profit organisations in the West Midlands for Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) projects.
 47. **MOD Education Support Fund** – UK publicly funded schools, academies and free schools to mitigate the effects of mobility and/or deployment of service communities.
 48. **Mohn Westlake Foundation** - giving young people opportunities through education, performing arts or other activities.
 49. **National Lottery Heritage Fund** - not-for-profit organisations (including schools) of £3,000 – £5million that connect people to UK heritage.
 50. **Newby Trust** – small to medium registered charities, usually need to be invited to apply.
 51. **Oliver Ford Foundation** – UK charitable organisations supporting and educating people with learning disabilities.
 52. **Paul Hamlyn Foundation** - Arts-based Learning Fund - the development, use and sustainability of effective arts-based activities.

53. [Peter Cruddas Foundation](#) - disadvantaged and disengaged young people in the age range of 14 to 30, to pursue pathways to Education, Training and Employment.
54. [Porticus UK](#) – education, society, faith and care, will consider applications for core or project costs, including staff salaries and overheads. Particularly interested in proven models that organisations wish to roll-out or expand.
55. [Rayne Foundation](#) - charities in the UK; arts, health and wellbeing, education, and those that cover social issues. Funds work which is untried, tests new approaches and has clear objectives.
56. [The Rainford Trust](#) - welfare, medical, education, environment or religion, within the St Helens Metropolitan Borough Council area and other places in England and Wales where Pilkington Brothers has employees. Funding: Buildings, Capital costs, Projects, Salaries, Start-up costs.
57. [The Rothschild Foundation - Grants Programme](#) - charities local to Waddesdon (Bucks) that involve art and heritage, education, the environment and social welfare.
58. [Rowan Bentall Charitable Trust](#) - charities in Southern England.
59. [Royal Society Partnership School Grants Scheme](#) - science projects in schools.
60. [Shine Trust](#) - children across the Northern Powerhouse. Identifying, funding and supporting teachers, schools and charity partners with early stage innovative solutions to educational challenges.
61. [Split Infinitive Trust](#) – UK organisations and individuals for projects that support live and performance arts, in general and in education.
62. [Sir James Knott Trust](#) - charities in NE England. Special consideration is given to charitable activities known to have been of particular interest to Sir James Knott. They include: military organisations, youth clubs, projects to help the elderly, education and training.
63. [Society for the Promotion of Roman Studies](#) - the teaching of Latin and Roman Studies in schools.
64. [Speaking Volumes Grants \(UK\)](#) - libraries and schools of all types to purchase Christian books and DVDs.
65. [The Ernest Cook Trust](#) - educational charity to encourage young people's interests either in the countryside and the environment, the arts, or aiming to raise levels of literacy and numeracy.
66. [The February Foundation](#) - UK registered charities, particularly the relief of those in need; and for the advancement of education, the advancement of the arts, culture, and heritage.
67. [The Foyle Foundation](#) - school libraries.
68. [The Maurice Hatter Foundation](#) – UK charitable organisations.
69. [The S M B Trust](#) - small number of grants for UK registered charities; Christian faith, social care, famine/emergency aid, protect the environment, and/or are supporting education and medical research.

70. [The Ulverscroft Foundation](#) - funding is mainly given to organisations directly helping the visually impaired, such as libraries, schools, colleges and hospitals.
71. [UK-German Connection](#) - Instant Impact - first-time visits between UK-German school and youth partnerships.
72. [Universal Music UK Sound Foundation](#) - Instrument and Equipment Awards - schools, individual students and teachers to improve access to music through the purchase or upgrade of musical instruments and equipment.
73. [Viscount Amory's Charitable Trust](#) - registered charities undertaking projects in Devon - education, religious expression, the relief of poverty and the development of the characters and physical well-being of young people.
74. [Viscountess Boyd Charitable Trust](#) - voluntary and community organisations in SW England.
75. [Waterloo Foundation](#) – world development, small grants, typically income less than £300k pa, education, nutrition, sexual health, water and sanitation.
76. [Whitaker Charitable Trust](#) – UK registered charities undertaking education, music or welfare projects, particularly Nottinghamshire.
77. [William Adlington Cadbury Charitable Trust](#) - one-off grants to UK registered charities based in Birmingham or West Midlands. Will consider core costs.
78. [Wolfson Foundation](#) - capital infrastructure.
79. [Worshipful Company of Information Technologists Charity](#) - advice and grants for the development of innovative IT based projects.

Africa

1. [Peak Proposals Africa Funding Sources](#) – scroll to the bottom for links to foundations for education.
2. [The Beit Trust](#) - infrastructure funding, schools, hospitals and health centres Zambia, Zimbabwe and Malawi.

Global

1. [Hazels Footprints](#) - educational projects in developing countries.

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