

Listed below are the grants approved in July 2026 to local organisations meeting our funding priorities or those agreed with our fund-holders.

In addition to the below, 3 grants under £1,000 were made which totalled £1,250.00. No grants were made to individuals.

Grants Approved July 2026

Grant Recipient	Amount Approved	Summary of Award	Programme Name
Help Bristol's Homeless	£1,478	For First Aid training and Fire Marshall	Bristol City Council Food on the Street
Travelling Light Theatre Company	£5,000	For Louder Than Words: a free, accessible weekly theatre group for Disabled children and young people.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Children's Scrapstore	£4,993	Towards outreach play sessions in Frome Vale, Lawrence Weston and Sea Mills.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
St Werburghs City Farm	£5,000	Towards a programme of nature-based learning and play activities in unique urban green spaces for inner-city children and young people.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Ebetrust	£3,300	Towards their Children & Families worker and Youth worker to reach children and youth. Funding will support the weekly after school hangout and youth hangout.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Life Cycle UK	£5,000	For free after-school and holiday cycling play sessions at Felix Road Adventure Playground.	Bristol Youth and Play Support

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Natural Networks Community Interest Company	£5,000	For free after-school and weekend Forest School and outdoor play at Heart of BS13 Roundhouse.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Oasis Community Hub South Bristol	£5,000	Towards a weekly Youth session for seniors in Knowle West and Filwood.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Avon Youth Club	£5,000	Towards open access youth sessions on a Tuesday evening.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Wellspring Settlement	£3,000	Towards inclusive sports activities for young people, promoting physical wellbeing, confidence, teamwork, social connection, and positive opportunities within the local community.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
Young Bristol	£4,800	For Looked After Children sessions on a Tuesday evening from BS14 Youth Club.	Bristol Youth and Play Support
StreetSpace Knowle	£9,000	Funding to deliver detached youth work and open access youth sessions in Filwood, providing safe spaces, trusted relationships, early intervention and positive opportunities for vulnerable young people.	Catalyst Grant
Seed Session	£4,000	For core costs to assist the upcoming Bristol cohort.	Catalyst Grant
Ebetrust	£5,000	To replace external emergency exit doors.	Catalyst Grant
Alive Activities Ltd	£5,000	For the set-up of a Memory Connections Group for people living with dementia in South Bristol.	Express Grant
Roots Independent Street Team	£4,000	Towards weekly operating costs to continue Roots Independent Street Team's community meal provision for people experiencing hardship.	Express Grant
Off The Record - BANES	£4,500	Funding for an LGBTQ+ youth worker to support a weekly LGBTQ+ youth group.	Express Grant

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Wiltshire and Bath Independent Living Trust Ltd	£5,000	To provide free occupational therapy assessments to older and disabled people living in B&NES.	Express Grant
Inspire Trust	£5,000	Street dance classes for children/young people who struggle with noisy and crowded classes due to a learning difficulty or additional need with an opportunity to do their Bronze Arts Award.	Express Grant
Bristol Mind	£4,000	For the Greenspace project, which helps asylum seekers and refugees, by being in nature, growing food and cooking together.	Express Grant
South Bristol Methodist Church	£2,957	Towards Welcoming Spaces and weekly activities in Knowle and Brislington.	Express Grant
Drake Music	£4,000	For their community music programme for Disabled adults, supporting participants to express themselves, form friendships, build community, and connect with Bristol's cultural life.	Express Grant
PostScript360	£4,000	Towards helping people living with mental health illnesses who want to be dependence free from prescription drug misuse.	Express Grant
We Are BS15 CIC	£5,000	Towards an additional support worker for the community gardening group and an Events & Fundraising Lead to help sustain and grow community services.	Express Grant
Bristol North West Foodbank	£5,000	Towards two full-time advice workers who provide generalist advice to Foodbank clients.	Express Grant
Emmaus Bristol	£5,000	Towards work supporting people from overseas who are experiencing homelessness in Bristol, including families, people with trauma and those without eligibility for benefits.	Express Grant
Sprint Community Transport	£5,000	For core funding for Sprint community transport.	Express Grant

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Turtle CYP	£5,000	Towards 70 free 4-hour play sessions during the summer holidays in areas of high deprivation to 5-11 year olds, and 20 family sessions.	Express Grant
Carers Support	£4,958	To deliver a monthly 13 Up Club for young carers in South Gloucestershire, where they can relax, connect with others, enjoy respite activities, develop new skills and receive targeted support.	Express Grant
Climate Action Thornbury and Surrounding Areas-CIC	£4,000	For Initial community engagement work in support of the Thornbury 100 Homes Project encouraging residents to apply energy efficiency measures to their homes.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Eco-Centre CBS Limited	£2,904	To deliver a community-led energy-saving programme combining outreach, volunteer champions and a digital platform to reduce fuel poverty and household carbon emissions.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Global Goals Centre	£4,000	To deliver sustainability education activities, repair workshops and second-hand uniform pop-ups as part of a youth-led 'Better Uniforms Campaign', helping schools and families reduce carbon emissions and textile waste.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Pill Community Foundation	£4,000	To set up the Pill Community Supper Club and host educational events with a climate action focus to support residents to reduce food waste and their carbon footprint.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
South Gloucestershire Community Energy Network	£4,000	To develop a viable business model to enable community-owned solar PV installations on village halls and small community buildings across South Gloucestershire.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Emersons and Lyde Community Energy CIC	£3,400	For a Green Open Homes Day event where local people can visit homes with energy upgrades to meet the owners, hear their stories, and get inspiration.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant

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Share Bristol	£3,000	Toward subsidising memberships to enable families on low income to access Share Bristol's Library of Things to ensure an inclusive and fair transition to a more sustainable city.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Talking Money	£3,000	Toward providing money advice for people in fuel poverty across Bristol and surrounding areas, including advice on understanding energy bills, and reducing energy usage.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Windmill Hill City Farm	£4,000	Toward retrofitting the Outdoor Learning teams multi-use space to make it more energy efficient, reducing carbon emissions and enable energy and food education workshops to continue running.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Life Cycle UK	£3,978	Toward refurbishing unwanted bikes, saving them from landfill, to sell affordably, or give to people in transport poverty, unlocking low-carbon travel for Bristol's communities.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Green Schools Project	£4,000	Toward a Bristol-based Community Climate Action Coordinator, to coordinate extra-curricular climate action and community partnerships linking Bristol schools with climate action focused local organisations.	Megawatt Community Energy Grant
Multicultural Friendship Association	£5,000	To continue fortnightly drop-ins and to organise other events, workshops and meetings.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
HomeStart Bristol and South Gloucestershire	£8,000	To expand the provision of baby Start drop-in groups to areas of North Somerset where there is currently limited age-specific provision for parents with babies aged 0 - 2	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Churchill Music! ('CM!')	£2,400	Paying for the pianist, venue and printing of songs.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Jack Hazeldine Foundation	£19,000	Towards the Programme and Safeguarding team.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant

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Nailsea Shedders	£2,000	Towards core costs.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Age UK Somerset	£15,000	For two Memory Connections groups in North Somerset, Dementia MCST programme.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Brain Tumour Support	£8,000	To support costs for the patients living in North Somerset who have received a brain tumour diagnosis, including counselling services.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Osprey Outdoors Community Interest Company	£13,000	For community Horticulture activities.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Creative Outbursts CIO	£12,000	To deliver 12 months of mobile youth work delivery, opportunities and activities for young people aged 11-17 years living on the Oldmixon estate.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Nailsea & District Community Transport	£14,000	To support the ongoing delivery of transport services to meet needs of members of our community- protecting health and wellbeing, reducing isolation and promoting independence.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
North Somerset Training Community Interest Company	£18,000	A grant to fund a Digital Support Worker delivering 1:1 sessions and workshops, helping vulnerable residents master essential phone skills for health, employment, and financial independence.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant
Springboard Opportunity Group	£19,790	For Apprentice Early Years Practitioner hours across our Clevedon and Weston-Super-Mare centres to help sustain and strengthen SEND provision.	North Somerset Community Partnership Fund Grant

Donor-directed and Donor-advised grants (£1,000 and above) approved in July 2026

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Wells Cathedral School Foundation	£5,000
The Nest Project	£15,000
FareShare South West	£4,000
Afghanistan and Central Asian Association	£4,000
Evolve Music	£2,250
Redcatch Community Garden	£3,000
St Paul's Advice Centre	£279,000
Ardagh Community Trust	£3,000