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# Eden-Monaro

## Business and Community Grants Bulletin

An overview of grant and funding opportunities available to community groups, not-for-profit organisations, businesses and individuals in the Eden-Monaro electorate.

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## Message from the Hon Kristy McBain MP

Welcome to the latest edition of my Eden-Monaro Business and Community Grants Bulletin.

I am honoured to have the opportunity to continue to work hard for everyone in Eden-Monaro – in a positive way that unites us.

This bulletin provides details of well over **450 grants, scholarships and funding rounds** from Local Government, the NSW Government, the Australian Government and includes private and philanthropic grants.

Grant funding is available to assist individuals and organisations such as community groups, sports clubs, schools, students, researchers, small businesses and farmers. These grants can benefit our whole community and I am keen to see as many of them as possible come to Eden-Monaro.

It is a priority of the Albanese Labor Government to ensure grant funding is fair, responsible and tailored to support Australians build a better future for our community and our country.

As new grant opportunities and funding rounds become available, I will highlight them in future bulletins.

I trust you find this information useful. If you have any questions or I can help with a letter of support you can contact me by email at **[kristy.mcbain.mp@aph.gov.au](mailto:kristy.mcbain.mp@aph.gov.au)** or call my office on **02 6284 2442**.

Kind regards

**THE HON KRISTY MCBAIN MP**  
**MEMBER FOR EDEN-MONARO**

*We acknowledge the Ngunnawal, Ngambri, Ngarigo, Gandangara and Yuin people as Traditional Owners of Country in the Eden-Monaro Electorate. We recognise their continuing connection to lands, waters and communities and pay our respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures; and to Elders past, present and emerging.*





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 Copland Foundation Grants  
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 Cultural Fund - Grants for Organisations  
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**This bulletin is intended as a guide only.**  
**Please check information directly with the grant providers.**  
**Information updated 9 September 2025.**



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 JN Institute  
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 Marketing & Manufacturing Grants  
 Music Australia Export Development Fund  
 Music For All Community & Individual Grants  
 Narrative Content Development  
 Narrative Content Production  
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 Online & Games Grants

Playing Australia Project Investment  
 Post, Digital & Visual Effects Rebate  
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 Protostars Grants  
 Publishing Fellowships  
 Record Label Development Scheme  
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 Regional Event Fund - Various streams  
 Register of Cultural Organisations  
 Revive Live  
 Rodney Seaborn Playwriting Support Fund  
 Screen Australia First Nations Grants  
 Screen Industry Partnerships  
 Screen NSW Funding and Incentives  
 Short to Feature Fast Track Initiative  
 Touring and Travel Fund  
 Visions of Australia  
 Visual Arts Fellowship (Emerging)  
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## Business, Industry & Innovation

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AgriFutures Rural Women's Acceleration Grant  
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 Australia Japan Innovation Fund Research Grant Program  
 Australian Marketing Institute and ANZMAC Applied Research Grants  
 Australian Researcher Cooperation Hub (India)  
 Australian Trusted Trader  
 Automatic Dependent Surveillance (ADS-B) Broadcast Rebate Program  
 AXA Research Fund  
 Bin Trim Equipment Rebates Program  
 Black Sheep Capital  
 Business Enterprise Program  
 Business Events Bid Fund Program (BFP)  
 Certain Inputs to Manufacture (CIM)  
 Clean Energy Innovation Fund  
 CSIRO Kick-Start  
 Defence Industry Development Grants Program  
 Digital Games Rebate  
 Duty Drawback Scheme  
 Emissions Reduction Fund  
 Employer Support Payment Scheme (ESPS)  
 Employment Assistance Fund (EAF)  
 Energy Consumers Australia Grant Programs  
 Graphite Research and Development Grant  
 High Emitting Industries Grants  
 House to Grow Funding for Entrepreneurs  
 Heat Pump Feasibility Grant

Industry Growth Program  
 Innovate with nbn® Grants Program  
 IP in Motion Fund  
 JobCover Placement Program  
 Joint Strike Fighter Industry Support Program Sustainment Grants  
 Kickstarter Challenge  
 Land Tax Build to Rent  
 Landing Pads  
 Local Buying Foundation - NSW  
 MVP Ventures  
 National Energy Bill Relief for Small Businesses  
 Natural Disaster Relief Loans for Small Businesses  
 Office of Defence Industry Support (ODIS)  
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 Powering the Regions Industrial Transformation Stream  
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 Qantas Climate Fund  
 Research and Development Tax Incentive  
 SafeWork Small Business Rebate  
 Social Impact Pre-Accelerator Program  
 SPARK Biz Grants - Women in Business  
 Tyre Stewardship Fund  
 Uber x Rare Birds Business Booster program  
 Ultra Low Cost Solar PV Research and Development Round  
 Wage Subsidies  
 Wine Tourism and Cellar Door Grant



Australian Football Facilities Fund	Insignia Community Grants Program
Australian Sports Foundation	Mayor's Discretionary Fund
Awards, Donations and Grants – Snowy Monaro	Mazda Foundation Grants
Balnaves Foundation Grants	Microsoft for Nonprofits
Bega Group Community Sponsorship	National (Tennis) Court Rebate
Bendigo Bank Community Grants and Scholarships	NAB Foundation Community Grants
Boating Infrastructure Emergency Repair Pool	National Infrastructure Development Fund
Boating Infrastructure Maintenance	National Schools Grants Program
Boots For All Community Distribution Partner	Natural Disaster Relief Loans
Building Digital Communities Grant	NSWALC Community Fund Grants
Canon Community Sponsorship and Donations	Our Mob Our Media Our Message - Gambling Harm Prevention Grants
Canva for Non-Profits	Petstock Foundation Grant Program
Capital Wind Farm Community Fund	Pride Foundation Australia Large Grants
Catalysing Connections Mobile and Connectivity Grant	Qantas Regional Grants Program
Charitable Donations AO 2026	RAS Foundation Community Futures Grant
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Community Grants Program	Regional Precincts and Partnerships Program
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Community Sponsorship	SBS Community Service Announcement
Community Sponsorship and Grants Program	Scanlon Foundation Grants
Disaster Recovery Quick Response Grants	Silvan Community Sponsorship Program
EpicPromise Grants	SilverChef Community Grants Program
ETREA Foundation Grants	Small Community Grants Program
Eurobodalla Rates Assistance Donation	Small Grants
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Financial Assistance for Community Events, Projects and Representation	Straptor Sponsor / Partnership Program
Good360 Membership Program	Strengthening Rural Communities – Small & Vital
Google Ad Grants	Strengthening Rural Communities – Prepare & Recover
Goulburn Mulwaree Award	Stronger Together Project Grants
Grassroots Cricket Fund	Supercheap Auto Club Development Fund
Growing Cricket for Girls Fund	Transport Access Regional Partnerships (TARP) Grants
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IMB Bank Sponsorships	Veolia Mulwaree Trust Grants and Donations Program
Infrastructure Grants – Clubgrants Category 3	Virgin Australia Sponsorship
Inger Rice Foundation Grants	Zakat Foundation Funding

## Disability support

Aids, Appliances and Home Modifications	Mable Community Grants
Deaf Connect Grants and Sponsorships	National Auslan Interpreter Booking and Payment Service (NABS)
Deafness Foundation Grants	The Frankie Foundation Grants
Disability and Inclusion Program – Various Programs	We Care Therapy Grant
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Aurora Study Tour and Scholarships  
 Australian Academy of Science Awards and Opportunities  
 Australian Apprenticeships Incentives Program  
 Australian Literacy Educators' Association Research Grant  
 Australian Rural Leadership Foundation Programs  
 Australian Scholarships Foundation  
 Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust Scholarships  
 Backing the Future Grants NSW  
 Bert Evans Apprentice Scholarships  
 Boarding Scholarships for Isolated Students  
 Braidwood & District Education Foundation  
 CAGES Foundation grants - various  
 Capital Grants for Non-Government Schools  
 CCSP Family Partnerships Excellence Awards  
 Commonwealth Prac Payment (Vocational Education and Training) Program  
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 Community Enterprise Foundation Scholarships  
 Conference Sponsorship Program  
 Cooperative Research Centres Projects  
 Country Education Foundation Grants  
 Country Education Foundation of Snowy Monaro  
 Country to Coast Scholarship  
 CWA Education Grants  
 Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Worker Retention Payment  
 Early Childhood Education and Care Workforce Professional Development and Paid Practicum  
 Ecological Society of Australia Grants and Awards  
 Edstart Achievement Awards Program  
 Elsa Dixon Aboriginal Employment Grant  
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 Eurobodalla Shire Country Education Foundation Grants  
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 Feline Health Research Fund  
 First Nations Director Scholarship Program  
 Future Animal Carers Grant

Gifted Children's Grants - Various  
 Goulburn & District Country Education Foundation  
 Holsworth Wildlife Research Endowment  
 Industry Development Fund  
 Intercultural Understanding Partnership (ICUP) Grants  
 Japanese Studies and Global Partnerships Grants  
 Kids Tennis Program  
 Local Jobs Program - Local Jobs, Local People Grant  
 Matana Foundation for Young People Funding  
 National Intelligence Discovery Grants Program  
 National Science Week Grants  
 New Enterprise Incentive Scheme  
 NSWALC Educational Scholarship  
 Parliament & Civics Education Rebate (PACER)  
 Penguin Children's Bookseller Grant  
 Per Capita Grant  
 Period Pride Competition  
 Principal's Scholarships  
 Queen's Commonwealth Trust  
 Real School Grants Program  
 Reconnection, Employment and Learning (REAL) Program  
 Regional Kick Start Scholarships  
 Research Training Program  
 Return to Work Pathways Program  
 Scholarships AIEF  
 Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) First Nations  
 Spencer Foundation Education Research Grants  
 Sporting Schools Grants  
 Stanford Australia Foundation Scholarships  
 Start Strong for Preschools and Long Day Care  
 Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation  
 Supporting Young Scientists Equity and Access Program  
 Sustainable Schools Competition  
 Teachers Scholarships  
 Tertiary Access Payment  
 The Youi Student Grant

## Health & Medical Research

Abbvie Educational Event Sponsorship  
 Annamila First Nations Foundation  
 ANZCA Research Grants  
 ARC Research Support Grants  
 ASA Grants Program  
 Australian College of Nursing Scholarships  
 Australian Dental Association Grants  
 Australian Rotary Health Research Grants  
 Biomedical Translation Fund (BTF)  
 Cancer Institute NSW Grants  
 Community Resilience Grants  
 Continence Aids Payment Scheme (CAPS)  
 Eurobodalla Community Wellbeing Grant  
 HBF Community Investments  
 Health and Medical Research Sponsorship Program  
 Health Education and Training Institute Grants  
 Humpty Dumpty Foundation  
 Innovation and Evaluation Grants

Lowitja Institute Scholarships  
 Lowitja Institute Seeding Grants  
 Lung Foundation Australia Funding  
 Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF) Grants  
 Mito Research and Medical Grant Program  
 National Health and Medical Research Council Funding  
 MND Australia Research Grants  
 MS Australia Grants & Scholarships  
 National Foundation for Medical Research and Innovation Funding  
 National Shed Development Programme Defibrillator Grants  
 Nursing & Midwifery Undergraduate Clinical Placement Grants  
 Passe and Williams Foundation Fellowships and Grants  
 Practice Incentives Program (PIP)  
 Practice Sustainability Grant  
 Ramaciotti Awards  
 RANZCP Research Grants and Scholarships  
 RANZCR Research Grants  
 Rebecca L Cooper Medical Research Foundation Opportunities



Redkite Grants  
 Research Grants  
 RHRF Translational Challenge Grant  
 Rural Procedural Grants Program  
 Save Sight & Public Health Care Foundation Grants  
 Steve Waugh Foundation Australia Grants  
 Support for Rural Specialists in Australia

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 Djurwa Indigenous Youth Grant Program  
 Dream Hoops 1000  
 Emergency Relief Support  
 Energy Accounts Payment Assistance  
 Escaping Violence Payment Program  
 Financial and Welfare Assistance Grants  
 First Home Buyers Assistance scheme

Food Vouchers  
 I Am Me Foundation Grants  
 Junior Girls Golf Scholarship Program  
 Isolated Patients Travel and Accommodation Assistance Scheme  
 Living Away From Home Allowance  
 Local Sporting Champions  
 NSW East Coast Severe Weather grants, payments and financial support  
 M5 South-West Cashback Scheme  
 NSWALC Funeral Assistance Grants  
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 Building Digital Skills Grant  
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I have highlighted grants for a specific purpose or specific equity group with these symbols throughout the bulletin.

 **Youth**

 **Sport**

 **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander**

 **Multicultural and international partnerships**

 **Gender diversity and equity**



## Angus Foundation Research Grants

**Provider**

Angus Foundation

**Amount**

Unspecified

**Closes**

Various

**Who is it for?**

Undergraduate and post-graduate students

**Description**

*Allows eligible undergraduate and post-graduate students to undertake research towards higher degrees in disciplines able to be applied to the Australian beef industries with the purpose to enhance and promote the value of Angus genetics and beef.*

① [www.angusaustralia.com.au/angus-youth/scholarships-awards-bursaries](http://www.angusaustralia.com.au/angus-youth/scholarships-awards-bursaries)

## Advancing Renewables Programme

**Provider**

ARENA

**Amount**

\$100,000 to \$50 million

**Closes**

Not specified

**Who is it for?**

Various

**Description**

*Supports a broad range of development, demonstration and pre-commercial deployment projects that have the potential to lower the cost and increase the use of renewable energy technologies in Australia in the long term.*

① <https://arena.gov.au/funding/advancing-renewables-program/>

## Australian Orchid Foundation Project & Research Grants

**Provider**

Australian Orchid Foundation

**Amount**

Unspecified

**Closes**

30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**

Various

**Description**

*Funds a variety of projects related to orchids in Australasia. Eligible projects include: Studies to research orchids in their habitat and management practices to protect those orchids and their habitats; Studies of wild populations of orchids, their biology, distribution, conservation and taxonomy; Cultivation and propagation of orchids; Education of the public; Education of young people in particular in the sciences relevant to orchids; Publications.*

① <https://australianorchidfoundation.org.au/grant-applications-the-australian-orchid-foundation/>



## Australian Small Grants Program

**Provider**  
The Sunrise Project

**Amount**  
Up to \$10,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Community Groups

### Description

*The Sunrise Project provide small grants for community groups working to hasten the transition from fossil fuels to clean, renewable energy or to protect Australia's ecosystems and environment from the negative impacts of the coal and gas industries.*

① <https://sunriseproject.org/grants/>

## Australian Wildlife Society Conservation Group Grants

**Provider**  
Australian Wildlife Society

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

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Community groups

### Description

*Funds requests from wildlife conservation groups specialising in wildlife conservation and the preservation of wildlife habitats.*

① [www.aws.org.au/wildlife-groups/](http://www.aws.org.au/wildlife-groups/)

## Bega Better Farms Program

**Provider**  
Bega Group

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Dairy farmers

### Description

*Australian dairy farmers are eligible for a Better Farms Program grant if they have a current milk supply agreement with Bega Group or Dairy Farmers Milk Cooperative and if they apply to be considered for a grant.*

① <https://betterfarms.com.au/>

## Business Food Waste Partnership Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$200,000

**Closes**  
21 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Industry peak bodies, councils, sector leaders and member organisations

### Description

*The Business Food Waste Partnership grants are available to industry peak bodies, councils, sector leaders and relevant organisations to support their members and NSW businesses to reduce and source separate their food waste. The grants support activities that raise awareness and empower food businesses with knowledge and skills in food waste reduction and source separation.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/business-food-waste-partnerships-grants](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/business-food-waste-partnerships-grants)



## Clean Up Grant

### Provider

Bega Valley Shire Council

### Amount

Up to \$575 waived fees

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Organisations

### Description

Clean up grants aim to support organisations that are actively assisting in the clean-up of public areas by waiving or reimbursing waste fees. Clean Up grants aim to support organisations that are actively: cleaning up public areas; assisting community members with complex needs, including hoarding behaviours. This grant provides up to \$575 (in waste vouchers) to cover council waste facility fees.

① <https://begavalley.nsw.gov.au/community/clean-up-grant>

## Coastal and Estuary Grants

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

The Coastal and Estuary Grants Program underpins the implementation of the coastal management framework and supports local councils and communities to achieve the state's long-term vision for the coast.

① [www.environment.nsw.gov.au/topics/water/coasts/coastal-and-estuary-grants](http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/topics/water/coasts/coastal-and-estuary-grants)





## Conservation Management Program

**Provider**  
NSW Biodiversity  
Conservation Trust

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Landholders

### Description

*With these agreements, eligible landholders receive annual payments to manage and protect native habitat on their land. Agreement-holders commit to conservation management actions, covered by the costs they've bid for, or are offered.*

① [www.bct.nsw.gov.au/review-open-bids-offers](http://www.bct.nsw.gov.au/review-open-bids-offers)

## Conservation Partners Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Biodiversity  
Conservation Trust

**Amount**  
\$2,000 to \$15,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Landholders

### Description

*Conservation Partners Grants support landholders working to protect and manage biodiversity on their land. The grants are available on an on-going basis for landholders who are not seeking or are ineligible for conservation management payments under the Biodiversity Conservation Trust's Conservation Management Program.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/conservation-partners-grants](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/conservation-partners-grants)

## Cultural Flows Planning for Cultural Economies Grants

**Provider**  
Department of Climate  
Change, Energy, the  
Environment and Water

**Amount**  
\$300,000

**Closes**  
15 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
First Nations groups and  
organisations

### Description

*Basin First Nations, their clans and family groups and organisations supporting First Nations in the Basin can apply for a grant to plan for Cultural flows on their Country. The Cultural Flows Planning for Cultural Economies program provides grants of up to \$300,000 to develop Cultural flows plans, enhance business governance structures or develop business plans.*

① [www.dcceew.gov.au/water/policy/first-nations/supporting-cultural-flows-planning-cultural-economies-murray-darling-basin](http://www.dcceew.gov.au/water/policy/first-nations/supporting-cultural-flows-planning-cultural-economies-murray-darling-basin)

## DRIVEN Charger Rebate Stream

**Provider**  
Australian Government

**Amount**  
\$3,000 to \$21,000

**Closes**  
30 April 2028

**Who is it for?**  
EV dealerships and  
repairers

### Description

*The DRIVEN Charger Rebate Stream gives dealerships and EV repairers a rebate to assist in the funding of purchasing and installing eligible smart EV chargers on their sites including remote and regional areas. You get up to \$3,000 per eligible smart EV charger that has been purchased and installed on your site. Multiple EV chargers can be installed on your site and included in your claim. The maximum rebate amount for multiple chargers per eligible site is up to \$21,000.*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/driven-charger-rebate-stream>



## Driving the Nation Program – Trucks, Charging and Innovation

**Provider**  
ARENA

**Amount**  
See guidelines

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
See Guidelines

### Description

The Driving the Nation program is ongoing and accepting of applications that contribute to the program objectives and align with the program Focus Areas. The assessment process involves two stages, 'i' expressions of interest and full application. The current focus is on demonstration and deployment of heavy vehicles, charging solutions and other innovation supporting uptake of BEVs.

① <https://arena.gov.au/funding/driving-the-nation-program-2/>

## Drought Ready and Resilient Fund

**Provider**  
Rural Assistance  
Authority

**Amount**  
Up to \$250,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Primary producers

### Description

Through the Drought Ready and Resilient Fund, eligible primary producers can access a low interest loan up to \$250,000 to help prepare for, manage and recover from drought. The loan can be used for products, activities and services relating to animal welfare, farm preparedness, income diversification, environmental improvements as well as training and business development.

① [www.raa.nsw.gov.au/loans/drrf](http://www.raa.nsw.gov.au/loans/drrf)

## Ebbe Nielsen Challenge

**Provider**  
Global Biodiversity  
Information Facility  
(GBIF)

**Amount**  
Up to \$20,000

**Closes**  
7 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

The GBIF Ebbe Nielsen Challenge is an annual incentive prize that seeks to inspire innovative applications of open-access biodiversity data by scientists, informaticians, data modelers, cartographers and other experts. Challenge entries manifest a variety of forms and approaches – new analytical research, richer policy-relevant visualizations, web and mobile applications, or improvements to processes around data digitization, quality and access. There are 20,000 Euro in prizes.

① [www.gbif.org/ebbe](http://www.gbif.org/ebbe)

## Environmental Education Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Environmental Trust

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
11 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

The Environmental Education program funds projects that develop, broaden and transform the community's knowledge, skills, and intrinsic motivation to engage in sustainable behaviour and encourage participation in protecting the environment.

① [www.environment.nsw.gov.au/funding-and-support/nsw-environmental-trust/grants-available/environmental-education](http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/funding-and-support/nsw-environmental-trust/grants-available/environmental-education)



## EV Fast Charging Station Site Host

<b>Provider</b> NSW Department of Climate Change, Energy, Environment and Water	<b>Description</b> <i>The NSW Government is co-funding an EV fast charging network. They are seeking landowners and leaseholders interested in hosting stations, to share a list of potential sites to developers (Charge Point Operators).</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not applicable	① <a href="http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/ev-site-host-eoi-2024-2025">www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/ev-site-host-eoi-2024-2025</a>
<b>Closes</b> 31 December 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Landowners and leaseholders	

## Farm Household Allowance Program

<b>Provider</b> Australian Government	<b>Description</b> <i>Provides farming families experiencing financial hardship with assistance through planning and training for long-term financial improvements as well as income support for up to 4 years.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Unspecified	① <a href="https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Farm-Household-Allowance-Program">https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Farm-Household-Allowance-Program</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Farmers	

## Farm Management Deposits Scheme

<b>Provider</b> Australian Government	<b>Description</b> <i>The farm management deposits scheme provides primary production businesses with tax deductions on farm management deposits to help them deal with inconsistent income from natural disasters, climate and market changes. The scheme allows eligible primary producers to set aside pre-tax income from their primary production activities during years of high income. The income can then be drawn in future years as needed. Primary producers can include FMDs as part of their risk-management strategy.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Tax deductions	① <a href="https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Farm-Management-Deposits-Scheme">https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Farm-Management-Deposits-Scheme</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Primary producers	

## Food Rescue Grants

<b>Provider</b> NSW Government	<b>Description</b> <i>The NSW Environment Protection Authority are looking to support solutions that will increase the amount of rescued food in NSW. That is, different ways of collecting and using more good quality food from donors, rescuing it from being wasted and sent to landfill. Organisations providing Food Rescue and/or Food Relief support in NSW, and not-for-profit organisations, local councils, local government regional waste groups, and regional organisation of councils are encouraged to read the grant guidelines to check their eligibility.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$300,000	① <a href="http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/food-rescue-grants">www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/food-rescue-grants</a>
<b>Closes</b> 21 October 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Organisations and local government	



## Food Rescue Rebates

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

Up to \$2,000

### Closes

30 June 2027

### Who is it for?

Food relief and rescue organisations

### Description

The NSW EPA are looking for solutions to increase the amount of rescued food in NSW. Applicants are encouraged to consider how the rebate might support innovative approaches to rescue more food. Eligible food rescue/relief organisations can submit an application for funding up to \$2,000 (inc. GST) per financial year, per eligible address.

① [www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/organics-infrastructure-fund/food-rescue-rebates](http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/organics-infrastructure-fund/food-rescue-rebates)

## Forestry Industry - Support Plantation Establishment

### Provider

Department of  
Agriculture, Fisheries and  
Forestry

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

5 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Forestry industry

### Description

Invites organisations to apply to deliver services under the Support Plantation Establishment Program. The objectives of the program are to: increase future plantation forest resources available for processing, as well as for plantation forest management, harvesting and haulage employment; support private industry, First Nations businesses, farm foresters and state and territory government forestry bodies to expand the Australian plantation forest estate; and contribute to meeting Australia's carbon emission reduction targets, including under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, and the Kyoto Protocol to the Climate Change Convention.

① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=02dcf623-eb99-48b0-bccd-56ba1e12d2ae](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=02dcf623-eb99-48b0-bccd-56ba1e12d2ae)

Congratulations to our beautiful small town of Bungendore for taking home Gold in Australia's Small Top Tourism Town Awards!





## Future Drought Fund Drought Resilience Innovation Challenges Pilot Program

### Provider

Department of  
Agriculture, Fisheries and  
Forestry

### Amount

Up to \$2 million

### Closes

22 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Farmers and farmer-led  
organisations

### Description

The program adopts a challenge-based approach that supports innovative solutions to address complex and multi-dimensional challenges imposed by drought and climate impacts. You must apply as a consortium that includes farmers or farmer-led organisations. Your project should address one of the following challenges: Advancing Natural Capital and Biodiversity for Drought Preparedness and Resilience; Innovating Water Management for Enhanced Drought Resilience in Australian Agriculture; National Innovation for Enhancing Community Resilience to Drought in Australian Agricultural Regions.

① [www.agriculture.gov.au/agriculture-land/farm-food-drought/drought/future-drought-fund/drought-resilience-innovation-challenges](http://www.agriculture.gov.au/agriculture-land/farm-food-drought/drought/future-drought-fund/drought-resilience-innovation-challenges)

## Illegal Dumping Prevention Grants

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

Up to \$200,000

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Government

### Description

Illegal Dumping Prevention Grants has several streams. Stream 1 – Building an Evidence Base – provides funding for establishing baseline data either for dumping on publicly owned land or for developing an illegal dumping business case. Stream 2 is an introductory grant for entities with limited experience in running illegal dumping projects. Stream 3 is for major illegal dumping projects (bushland or kerbside) for local and state government. Stream 4 supports collaborative projects addressing illegal dumping across multiple land tenures.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/illegal-dumping-prevention-grant-round-3-stream-3](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/illegal-dumping-prevention-grant-round-3-stream-3)

## Joint Procurement Funded Support

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

\$250,000 to \$500,000

### Closes

30 June 2027

### Who is it for?

Local Councils and Waste  
Groups

### Description

This grant provides tailored advice and assistance to councils and groups of councils to explore and undertake joint procurement of waste management services. Up to \$500,000 is available to groups of councils to jointly procure services.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/joint-procurement-funded-support---stream-1](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/joint-procurement-funded-support---stream-1)

## Litter Prevention Grants Program

### Provider

NSW Environment  
Protection Authority

### Amount

Up to \$500,000

### Closes

30 March 2026

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

Provides funding to deliver litter prevention projects and develop strategic plans to address litter in local environments. Councils, community groups and other key stakeholders can apply for funding under 3 streams: Stream 1: Small-scale, on-ground projects, including a dedicated cigarette butt litter program; Stream 2: Strategic development and capacity building; Stream 3: Own It and Act strategic implementation.

① [www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/litter-prevention-grants-program/grants-available](http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/litter-prevention-grants-program/grants-available)



## Local Government Waste Solutions Fund

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$400,000

**Closes**  
10 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Local Government

### Description

*Supports innovative waste and recycling solutions designed in collaboration with partners to achieve impactful projects with long-term outcomes.*

① [www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/councils/local-government-waste-solutions-fund](http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/working-together/grants/councils/local-government-waste-solutions-fund)

## Local Heritage Grants

**Provider**  
Queanbeyan-Palerang  
Regional Council

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Business and other  
organisations

### Description

*This fund provides grants for work on heritage properties including those listed in one of the applicable local environmental plans, or on the State Heritage Register as it applies to Braidwood, or to properties within a heritage conservation area in the Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council Local Government Area. The aim of the project is to encourage and support as much positive work on heritage items as possible.*

① [www.qprc.nsw.gov.au/Community/Grants-Donations#section-2](http://www.qprc.nsw.gov.au/Community/Grants-Donations#section-2)

## Lost Birds Expedition Grants

**Provider**  
Ornis Birding Expeditions

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000 USD

**Closes**  
20 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Birdwatchers

### Description

*There are currently 121 birds lacking any scientific documentation for more than a decade, of which 77 are entirely missing from the Macaulay Library having never been photographed alive. To help fill these gaps in ornithology, Ornis are looking for birders aged 18-30 with the drive to explore some of the most remote places in the world! Two grants of up to \$5,000 USD each cover expenses for individuals or groups who wish to try and rediscover a lost bird and submit detailed eBird observations covering their entire expedition.*

① [www.ornis-birding.com/grants](http://www.ornis-birding.com/grants)

## Marking (First World War) Private Graves Grants Program

**Provider**  
Department of Veterans'  
Affairs

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
20 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*Community groups, ex-service organisations and individuals can now apply for funding assistance to mark unmarked private graves of First World War veterans, through the new Marking (First World War) Private Graves (MPG) Grants Program.*

① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=45e29269-d53f-49ca-83d1-409e4e907bed](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=45e29269-d53f-49ca-83d1-409e4e907bed)



## National Cultural Heritage Account

<b>Provider</b> Australian Government	<b>Description</b> <i>The National Cultural Heritage Account is a grant program that assists Australian cultural organisations to acquire significant cultural heritage objects that they could not otherwise afford.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not specified	<i>The program is available to public galleries, libraries, archives and museums as well as historic buildings, local cultural organisations and Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander keeping places.</i>
<b>Closes</b> Not specified	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Organisations	① <a href="http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/national-cultural-heritage-account">www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/national-cultural-heritage-account</a>

## Natural Disaster Transport Subsidy

<b>Provider</b> NSW Rural Assistance Authority	<b>Description</b> <i>A natural disaster assistance transport subsidy is available to eligible farmers who are affected by a declared natural disaster event. This subsidy pays for the cost of transporting: fodder and/or water to an affected property; stock to sale or slaughter; and/or stock to/from agistment. Refer to the Declared natural disasters table for LGA's eligible for this assistance.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$15,000	
<b>Closes</b> See guidelines	① <a href="http://www.raa.nsw.gov.au/grants/natural-disaster-transport-subsidy">www.raa.nsw.gov.au/grants/natural-disaster-transport-subsidy</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Eligible Farmers	

## NSW Curb Wombat Mange Grants

<b>Provider</b> Foundation for National Parks & Wildlife	<b>Description</b> <i>Provides funding to the volunteer wildlife rehabilitation sector and Aboriginal community organisations to purchase and use the approved chemicals and equipment needed to treat mange in free-living wombats.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Unspecified	① <a href="https://fnpw.org.au/grant/nsw-curb-wombat-mange-grant-program/">https://fnpw.org.au/grant/nsw-curb-wombat-mange-grant-program/</a>
<b>Closes</b> See guidelines	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Wildlife rehabilitation sector	

## Purves Environmental Fund

<b>Provider</b> Purves Environmental Fund	<b>Description</b> <i>Supports proposals that meet the Fund's current focus areas: species loss from habitat destruction, landscape and water management, and climate change and solutions. Projects of particular interest are those that can demonstrate they will bring about tangible benefits for the environment. All interested applicants must complete an Expression of Interest (EOI) prior to proceeding to an application.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$50,000	① <a href="http://www.purvesenvirofund.org.au/funding">www.purvesenvirofund.org.au/funding</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Organisations	



## Rabobank Agribusiness Sponsorships

**Provider**  
Rabobank

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Australian food and  
agribusiness industry

### Description

Rabobank takes requests for sponsorship that support the Australian food and agribusiness industry / major commodity sectors. For example, agribusiness conventions or conferences, scholarship and agricultural awards and agricultural research.

① [www.rabobank.com.au/sponsorship/apply/](http://www.rabobank.com.au/sponsorship/apply/)

## RFSA Grant Scheme

**Provider**  
NSW Rural Fire Service  
Association (RFSA)

**Amount**  
Up to \$25,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
RFSA

### Description

Assists NSW RFS Brigades and Districts in their endeavour to improve the level of equipment, training and welfare of their members; or to provide an overall community benefit. All NSW RFS Brigades (RFB) (individually or collectively) and Districts are eligible to apply for a Grant. Grants sums are limited to \$5,000 for Brigade Grants and up to \$25,000 for Special Grants.

① [www.rfsa.org.au/about-us/](http://www.rfsa.org.au/about-us/)



This cutting-edge facility, in Jerrabomberra, is home to revolutionary enzymatic recycling technology that uses AI-crafted enzymes to break down plastics destined for landfill into virgin-identical, low-carbon circular materials. This isn't just a win for Jerrabomberra - it's a win for Australia's circular economy, advanced manufacturing, and our net-zero future.



## Saving Native Species – Emergency Actions for Threatened Species

### Provider

Department of Climate  
Change, Energy, the  
Environment and Water

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$600,000

### Closes

1 December 2025

### Who is it for?

Selected organisations

### Description

The emergency actions for threatened species grant opportunity has been developed to prevent new extinctions of native plants and animals. The grant opportunity will provide emergency interventions where there is: a risk of imminent extinction of one or more native species from a major event (such as a bushfire or flood); unanticipated significant impacts to the species within short timeframes; a rediscovery of a species thought to be extinct that has a very small, insecure population.

① [www.dcceew.gov.au/environment/biodiversity/threatened/saving-native-species#saving-native-species-emergency-action-for-threatened-species-projects](http://www.dcceew.gov.au/environment/biodiversity/threatened/saving-native-species#saving-native-species-emergency-action-for-threatened-species-projects)

## Solar Sunshot

### Provider

ARENA

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

12 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Manufacturers

### Description

The Solar SunShot program aims to support innovative solar PV manufacturing facilities in Australia across the solar supply chain. The total funding allocated for the program is up to \$1 billion (total funding allocation). There are two funding rounds under the program, and each round has its own outcomes. Round 1 A focuses on modules, inputs to modules (e.g. solar glass and frames) as well as deployment systems (e.g. innovative solar racking). Round 1B: Solar PV Manufacturing Studies: feasibility studies and FEED. See website for details.

① <https://arena.gov.au/funding/solar-sunshot/>

## Sprout Grants

### Provider

The Hamer Sprout Fund

### Amount

Up to \$5,000

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

NGO and community  
groups

### Description

Supports projects and organisations that build communities inspired to take action for a sustainable future.

① [www.thehamersproutfund.com/apply-for-funding](http://www.thehamersproutfund.com/apply-for-funding)

## Wettenhall Environment Trust

### Provider

Wettenhall Environment  
Trust

### Amount

Various

### Closes

22 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals and  
organisations

### Description

The Trust provide grants that support projects that enhance and maintain the vitality and diversity of the Australian natural living environment. They like to fund small groups where our grants can make a big difference. Their programs include a Small Environmental Grants Scheme and Leadership Development Grants.

① <https://wettenhall.org.au/>



## WFI Insurance Sponsorship

### Provider

WFI Insurance

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Organisations

### Description

WFI have an interest in activity that is: rural, commercial and industry organisations and events; community organisations and events; organisations and events promoting safety at work, at home and in the community.

① [www.wfi.com.au/about/community-and-sponsorship](http://www.wfi.com.au/about/community-and-sponsorship)

## Wild Country Environmental Fund

### Provider

Wild Country  
Environmental Fund

### Amount

\$1,000 to \$5,000

### Closes

Quarterly

### Who is it for?

Charities

### Description

The Wild Country Environmental Fund distribute funds throughout the year to registered Australian charities with DRG1 status. They distribute \$10,000 a quarter and individual grants are between \$1,000 and \$5,000 per project. They encourage applications from registered charities small and focused or large and broad.

① [www.wildcountryfund.org/](http://www.wildcountryfund.org/)

## Wildlife Acoustics Grant Program

### Provider

Wildlife Acoustics

### Amount

Up to \$12,000

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Non-Government,  
Education, and  
Community Groups

### Description

Wildlife Acoustics quarterly grant program provides scientists with bioacoustics research tools to further their study of bats, birds, amphibians, and other vocal wildlife.

① [www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program](http://www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program)





## AAS Education Grant 'Richard Booker Education Grant'

### Provider

**Australian Acoustical Society**

### Amount

**Up to \$20,000**

### Closes

**31 July 2026**

### Who is it for?

**Various**

### Description

*The Australian Acoustical Society (AAS) Education Grant has been established to encourage and enhance the study of acoustics in Australia and in particular to encourage research in acoustics. The main criterion is the likely benefit that the successful completion of the proposed project will provide for acoustics, for the AAS and for its members.*

① [www.acoustics.org.au/index.cfm//activities/education-grant](http://www.acoustics.org.au/index.cfm//activities/education-grant)

## Actors Benevolent Fund Grants

### Provider

**Actors Benevolent Fund of NSW**

### Amount

**Various**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Actors**

### Description

*Offers support to entertainment professionals both young and old who, through illness, accident, disability or in times of financial hardship or difficulties, require financial or other forms of assistance.*

① [www.actorsbenevolentfund.org.au/page/80/grants-program](http://www.actorsbenevolentfund.org.au/page/80/grants-program)

## Arts Fund Grants

### Provider

**American Australian Association**

### Amount

**\$5,000 USD**

### Closes

**30 September 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Early career artists**

### Description

*Arts Fund Grants support emerging or early career artists pursuing or planning to pursue artistic development in the Australia to USA and USA to Australia direction. These Grants will provide support of up to US \$5,000 to artists in the fields of theatre, film, television, dance, music, visual arts, design, literature, photography and fashion. Grant funds may be used toward travel, living, tuition and other costs associated with the artistic development abroad. Two rounds are open each year for application, of which both American and Australian Artists may apply.*

① <https://americanaustralian.org/scholarships/arts-fund/all-artistic-discipline/>



## Arts Projects for Individuals & Groups / Organisations

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
\$10,000 to \$100,000

**Closes**  
3 March 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Practicing artists and  
arts workers / Arts  
organisations

### Description

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

*Grants for \$10,000 to \$50,000 are available for practicing artists and arts workers through the Individuals and Groups Stream.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/arts-projects-for-individuals-and-groups/>

*Organisations that undertake arts programs, projects or that provide services to artists can apply for grants of \$20,000 to \$100,000 through the Organisations Stream for a single project, a suite of projects or annual programs of activity.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/arts-projects-organisations/>

## Australian Cultural Fund

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
NFP Organisations and  
Groups

### Description

*The Australian Cultural Fund (ACF) is a fundraising platform for Australian artists. Through the ACF, artists upload their project, start their fundraising campaign and invite art lovers and supporters to donate with 100% of donations going directly towards artists' creative projects. Through the ACF you can offer tax deductibility to your donors. The ACF has helped raise millions of dollars for Australian artists, enabling a wide range of projects to come to life and offering support to Australia's cultural sector.*

① <https://australianculturalfund.org.au/about/>

## Australian Screen Production Incentives

**Provider**  
Australian Taxation Office

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
30 June 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Producers

### Description

*The Australian Screen Production Incentive provides tax incentives for film, television and other screen production in Australia.*

*The **producer offset** entitles production companies to a 40 per cent rebate on eligible feature films and 30 per cent on other eligible formats for productions with significant Australian content.*

*The **location offset** is a 30 per cent rebate for the production of large-budget film and television projects shot in Australia, starting principal photography on or after 1 July 2023.*

*The **post, digital and visual effects** offset is a 30 per cent rebate that supports work on post, digital and visual effects production in Australia, regardless of where a project is shot.*

*The **digital games tax offset** is a refundable tax offset which allows eligible companies that develop digital games in Australia to claim 30% of their total qualifying Australian development expenditure.*

① [www.arts.gov.au/what-we-do/screen/australian-screen-production-incentive](http://www.arts.gov.au/what-we-do/screen/australian-screen-production-incentive)



## Australian Lending Right Schemes

### Provider

Department of  
Infrastructure, Transport,  
Regional Development,  
Communications and the  
Arts

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

31 March 2026

### Who is it for?

Creators and publishers

### Description

*Public Lending Right (PLR) and Educational Lending Right (ELR) are Australian Government programs that compensate Australian creators and publishers in recognition of income lost through free multiple use of their books in public and educational lending libraries. These programs support the enrichment of Australian culture by encouraging the growth and development of Australian writing. See website for more information about eligibility. ebook and audiobook title claims can now be submitted for Lending Rights.*

① [www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/australian-lending-right-schemes-elrplr](http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/australian-lending-right-schemes-elrplr)

## Backroads Regional Touring Grants

### Provider

Arts on Tour NSW

### Amount

Up to \$10,000

### Closes

17 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

*The initiative aims to extend and support the reach of professional productions to regional towns that do not have performing arts centres as well as support small hall activation and the work of independent producers and artists. Backroads is best suited to adaptable, low-budget NSW-based productions that would feel at home in a community centre, old town hall, or small, independent theatre. Tours need to be self-sufficient, able to produce, mount and market their work in regional and remote towns.*

① <https://artsontour.com.au/initiatives/backroads/>



*Thank you to the Goulburn Regional Art Gallery team for your warm welcome and the inspiring work you do to make art accessible and engaging for our community.*





## Beddie Scholarship

**Provider**  
UNHCR

**Amount**  
\$75,000

**Closes**  
8 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Former refugees

### Description

*The Australia for UNHCR Beddie Scholarship is for a refugee intending to pursue a career in the creative industries. The Scholarship was established with the generous support of the Australian Film, Television and Radio School (AFTRS), Australia for UNHCR and the daughter of Rurer Beddie to help the scholarship recipient develop their storytelling talents. The scholarship, valued at over \$75,000, covers full tuition for a Bachelor of Arts program, living expenses and internship opportunities at Australia for UNHCR.*

① [www.unrefugees.org.au/get-involved/awards-and-scholarships/beddie-scholarship/](http://www.unrefugees.org.au/get-involved/awards-and-scholarships/beddie-scholarship/)

## Co-production Program

**Provider**  
Screen Australia

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Always Open

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*Screen Australia offers funding to support the development, production and marketing of Australian screen content, as well as for the development of Australian talent and screen production businesses. Official co-productions are made under formal arrangements between Australia and the governments of various countries, creating benefits for both partners. Visit the link for further information regarding Co-productions.*

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/co-production-program](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/co-production-program)

## Community Band Development Grants

**Provider**  
Create NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$2,000

**Closes**  
31 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Non-Government,  
Education, Community  
Groups and Others

### Description

*Provides funding to support the development and promotion of bands within NSW communities.*

① <https://bandnsw.com/grants-for-bands-from-create-nsw/>

## Contemporary Music Festival Viability Fund

**Provider**  
Create NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$500,000

**Closes**  
30 April 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Music festivals in NSW

### Description

*This program supports existing large-scale contemporary music festivals presented in NSW with a track record of delivering significant outcomes for contemporary music. Funding will be available for government-related and operational costs for contemporary music festivals with event capacity of at least 15,000 people and are currently experiencing financial challenges. Applications will be accepted on an as needs basis while the funding program is open. The program will close when the budget is exhausted, or 30 April 2026, whichever comes first.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/contemporary-music-festival-viability-fund](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/contemporary-music-festival-viability-fund)



## Contemporary Music Touring Program

### Provider

Creative Australia

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$55,000

### Closes

14 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals, Businesses  
and Community Groups

### Description

*The Contemporary Music Touring Program supports national touring activity undertaken by Australian musicians performing original contemporary music. Individuals or organisations may apply to tour live music performances within Australia. Touring musicians must be performing original Australian contemporary music. Funding can be provided to performers, managers, agents, and music networks on behalf of professionals working in the Australian music industry. Applications must contain one tour only.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/contemporary-music-touring-program/>

## Copland Foundation Grants

### Provider

Copland Foundation

### Amount

Up to \$50,000

### Closes

See guidelines

### Who is it for?

NFP Organisations and  
Groups

### Description

*Acquisition grants assist galleries, museums and historic houses in the acquisition of objects that may come up at auction. The trustees will consider such applications at any time of the year.*

*Interpretation and conservation grants support the provision of education programs, whether for staff of such museums, institutions, societies, organisations or for the general public. Applications close on 15 September 2025.*

① [www.coplandfoundation.com.au/grants](http://www.coplandfoundation.com.au/grants)

## Creative Australia fundraising support

### Provider

Creative Australia

### Amount

See website

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Non-Government,  
Community Groups and  
other

### Description

*Not a grant program, however, Creative Australia's fundraising programs and services aim to build the knowledge, skills and capabilities of artists and organisations, supporting financially sustainable creative careers and business models.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/partnerships-philanthropy/fundraising-support>

## Cultural Fund - Grants for Organisations

### Provider

Copyright Agency  
Cultural Fund

### Amount

\$10,000 to \$30,000

### Closes

15 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Organisations

### Description

*The Copyright Agency's Cultural Fund offers grants to leading Australian organisations for projects that deliver exceptional opportunities for Australian writers, journalists, editors, picture book illustrators, English and literacy teachers, visual artists and key industry stakeholders in the writing, publishing, education, and visual arts sectors. The aim is to support members and key industry stakeholders to create, award, present, publish, and to offer significant income generating, professional development and career sustaining opportunities for writers, visual artists and publishers.*

① [www.copyright.com.au/culturalfund/grants-for-organisations/](http://www.copyright.com.au/culturalfund/grants-for-organisations/)



## Cultural Gifts Program

### Provider

Office for the Arts

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

See guidelines

### Description

*The Cultural Gifts Program offers tax incentives to encourage people to donate cultural items to public art galleries, museums, libraries and archives in Australia. If you have an item recognised as important to Australia's culture you can donate it and receive a tax deduction. Donations include paintings, books, sculptures, installations, new media, manuscripts, personal papers, jewellery, ceramics, technological or scientific collections.*

① [www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/cultural-gifts-program](http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/cultural-gifts-program)

## Cultural Grants

### Provider

Queanbeyan-Palerang  
Regional Council

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

Cultural organisations in  
Queanbeyan-Palerang

### Description

*The QPRC Cultural Grants program is to assist local arts, artists, musicians, performers, writers and arts/cultural groups to start and develop their own projects, and to improve the community's opportunities for involvement in cultural and arts activities. Applications are open throughout the year, or until funds have been exhausted.*

*Cultural/community organisations, individuals or groups of individuals for projects within the Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council can apply. These need to meet the cultural grants aims and eligibility criteria, and demonstrate that they are of benefit to the community through their cultural or artistic outcomes.*

① [www.qprc.nsw.gov.au/Community/Grants-Donations#section-4](http://www.qprc.nsw.gov.au/Community/Grants-Donations#section-4)

## Documentary Australia Fiscal Sponsorship

### Provider

Documentary Australia  
Foundation

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

6 August 2025

### Who is it for?

Independent filmmakers

### Description

*Grants fiscal sponsorship to independent documentary filmmakers with a quality social impact project.*

① <https://documentaryaustralia.com.au/our-programs/fiscal-sponsorship/>

## Documentary Grants

### Provider

Screen Australia

### Amount

Various

### Closes

See Guidelines

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

*Offers a range of grants for documentary development, production and marketing.*

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/documentary](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/documentary)



## Eurobodalla Community Events Grant

### Provider

**Eurobodalla Shire Council**

### Amount

**Up to \$75,000 over 3 years**

### Closes

**30 September 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Local organisations and event planners**

### Description

*The Iconic Events Grant supports initiatives that contribute to Eurobodalla's strong economy through learning, employment and business opportunities. This grant will help local organisations, tourism and cultural groups, sporting bodies, and other event organisers plan and deliver successful iconic events that attract attention, stimulate economic activity, and enhance the region's reputation. Grants of up to \$75,000 (over three years) are available to support costs associated with running an iconic event.*

① [www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/iconic-events-grant](http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/iconic-events-grant)

## Eurobodalla Iconic Events Grant

### Provider

**Eurobodalla Shire Council**

### Amount

**Up to \$2,000**

### Closes

**30 September 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Local organisations and event planners**

### Description

*The Community Events Grant supports initiatives that contribute to Eurobodalla's strong economy through learning, employment and business opportunities. This grant will help local organisations and event organisers plan and deliver successful community events that develop a positive community spirit and celebrate the cultural and social life of our community.*

① <https://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/community-events-grant>

## Eurobodalla Major Events Grant

### Provider

**Eurobodalla Shire Council**

### Amount

**Up to \$20,000**

### Closes

**30 September 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Local organisations and event planners**

### Description

*The Major Events Grant supports initiatives that contribute to Eurobodalla's strong economy through learning, employment and business opportunities. This grant will help local organisations and event organisers plan and deliver successful major events that attract visitors and strengthen Eurobodalla's identity. Grants of up to \$20,000 are available to support costs associated with running a major event.*

① <https://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/major-events-grant>



## Event Funding

### Provider

Goulburn Mulwaree Council

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Groups in Goulburn Mulwaree

### Description

Goulburn Mulwaree Council is committed to supporting the development of vibrant, creative and innovative events that enhance the economic, social and cultural life in the Goulburn Mulwaree region. There are two streams of funding available:

- **Sports Tourism Event funding:** to attract, deliver, stage and promote a broad range of sporting events as identified by staff, through our partnerships with regional, state and national sporting organisation as well as Sports Marketing Australia.
- **Tourism Event Development funding:** offers funding to support the development of innovative tourism events that demonstrate sound organisational planning, have a unique alignment with the character and culture of the Goulburn Mulwaree area and can demonstrate a broad appeal likely to promote and enhance the Goulburn Mulwaree region and attract overnight visitation, contributing to a year-round event calendar.

① [www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance#section-5](http://www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance#section-5)

## Festivals Australia

### Provider

Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

### Amount

\$2,500 to \$150,000

### Closes

7 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Regional artists, arts workers, and organisations

### Description

Festivals Australia supports community participation in, and access to, the arts and aims to support partnerships and collaboration across the sector. Regional artists, arts workers, and organisations can apply for arts and cultural projects that encourage community participation and audience engagement from people living in regional and remote communities in a festival or community celebration.

① [www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/festivals-australia](http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/festivals-australia)



## Flourish - First Nations Textile Design & Fashion

### Provider

Creative Australia

### Amount

\$10,000 to \$50,000

### Closes

11 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals, Groups, Organisations

### Description

The Flourish: First Nations Fashion and Textiles Fund provides grants from \$10,000 to \$50,000 to build sustainable businesses and support economic, cultural, and social development opportunities. The opportunity is open to First Nations individuals, groups and organisations (including Art Centres) working in the textile design and fashion sector. Grants can be used to support innovation, production, capacity building, marketing, professional development, seed funding and/or increasing digital visibility.

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/first-nations-arts-and-culture/flourish-first-nations-textile-design-fashion/>



## Gordon Darling Foundation Grants

### Provider

Gordon Darling  
Foundation

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Arts Organisations

### Description

*Provides funding for a range of visual arts projects Australia-wide. It will assist with the costs of research, travel, publication, and the dissemination of knowledge and the enjoyment of all aspects of the visual arts to the widest possible audience.*

① [www.gordondarlingfoundation.org.au/guidelines.php](http://www.gordondarlingfoundation.org.au/guidelines.php)



## Indigenous Scholarships

### Provider

American Australian  
Association

### Amount

Up to \$10,000 USD

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Indigenous artists

### Description

*The American-Australian Arts Fund provides support of up to US \$10,000 to emerging Native American, Alaskan Native, Native Hawaiian, Aboriginal Australian and Torres Strait Islander artists to study or undertake artistic development in each other's countries respectively. These scholarships and grants support artists in the fields of theatre, film, television, dance, music, visual arts, craft, design, literature, photography and fashion. The Indigenous Arts Grant program will support one Aboriginal Australian or Torres Strait Islander undertaking or planning to undertake artistic development in any art field, in the United States. This scholarship will provide up to US \$10,000 of support which may be used toward travel, tuition, living expenses and any other associated artistic development costs.*

① <https://americanaustralian.org/scholarships/arts-fund/indigenous-applicants/>

## Infrastructure Grants: Arts and Culture

### Provider

NSW Government  
Clubgrants

### Amount

\$50,000 - \$200,000

### Closes

15 December 2025

### Who is it for?

Organisations

### Description

*Funding to support arts and culture infrastructure such as museums, art galleries or cultural centres. The objective of this program is to fund the costs of construction, alteration, renovation, completion and fit-out of buildings and community infrastructure to deliver outcomes for disadvantaged NSW communities including regional, remote and drought-affected areas, culturally and linguistically diverse, disability and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and disaster-affected communities.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-arts](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-arts)

## International Engagement Fund

### Provider

Creative Australia

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$30,000

### Closes

14 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Individual

### Description

*The International Engagement Fund supports Australian artists and creative workers to undertake reciprocal international exchange activities with confirmed international partners. A reciprocal exchange is one where all parties participate, share in, and benefit from the activity. The types of reciprocal exchange activities supported through this fund include: creative collaboration and development; cultural exchange and knowledge sharing; labs and practice-exchange models.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investments-opportunities/international-engagement-fund>



## International Finance

### Provider

Screen Australia

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$20,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Business and Individuals

### Description

The International Finance fund provides support to Australian projects with a very high level of global appeal, to assist them to develop pitching materials and strategy, in order to best attract international partnerships and finance in the current market.

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/feature-films/finance-attraction/international-finance](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/feature-films/finance-attraction/international-finance)

## International Travel Fund

### Provider

Screen NSW

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$6,000

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Screen practitioners

### Description

The International Travel Fund supports NSW screen practitioners for travel related to significant international festivals, markets, awards, industry trade missions and financing projects.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2025-26-international-travel-fund](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2025-26-international-travel-fund)

## JN Institute

### Provider

Judith Neilson Institute

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Journalists and storytellers

### Description

The Judith Neilson Institute supports and celebrates quality journalism and storytelling around the world. JNI's grants and education programs equip journalists with the resources they need to produce outstanding work. Their events are forums to discuss the issues shaping the world. JNI will accept grant proposals anytime. Proposals should be clear and concise with a plan of how you will reach an audience.

① <https://judithneilsonprojects.com.au/project/jninstitute>

## Live Performance Venue Grant Program

### Provider

Create NSW

### Amount

\$15,000 to \$80,000

### Closes

23 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

The Live Performance Venue Grant supports hospitality venues to host live performances, with funding for sound or staging equipment, programming, marketing, and other delivery costs. It is open to existing small to medium hospitality venues who meet the eligibility criteria and do not currently stage a regular and recurring program of live performance but have a desire to diversify their business to do so. The Program would suit a venue that has an existing space that could be dedicated to live performance, without needing to undergo significant structural alterations to the venue.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/venues-unlocked/live-performance-venue-program](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/venues-unlocked/live-performance-venue-program)



## Local Giants

**Provider**  
Local Giants

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Regional arts practitioners

### Description

*Local Giants offers support to regional practitioners by connecting artist residencies and producer training with creative development, the presentation of new work, and short-form touring. The program consists of three core elements: the Regional Producers Career Development Program, Regional Artist Residencies, and New Regional Work Co-Commissions.*

① [www.localgiants.au/](http://www.localgiants.au/)

## Marketing & Manufacturing Grants

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
\$2,000 to \$10,000

**Closes**  
14 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Small record labels

### Description

*Up to \$10,000 matched funding for eligible record labels to support marketing, promotion, manufacturing and distribution costs. These grants are designed to support Australian labels with a minimum of two active Australian artists on their roster.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investments-opportunities/marketing-manufacturing-grants>

## Music Australia Export Development Fund

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
16 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Australian artists and music businesses

### Description

*The Export Development Fund provides matched funding focused on three key pathways to international export, including:*

- *Performance and Touring*
- *Professional and Artistic Development*
- *Market and Audience Development.*

*The aim is to propel Australian artists into the global spotlight, while fostering sustainable, long-term careers.*

*The **International Performance and Touring** fund (Category 1) is designed to support international touring and showcase activity, with matched funding of \$5,000 to \$25,000.*

*The **International Professional and Artistic Development** fund (Category 2) is designed to support international professional development activity with matched funding of \$3,000 to \$15,000.*

*The **International Market and Audience Development** fund (Category 3) is designed to support activity that includes international promotional and content creation activities with matched funding of \$2,000 to \$10,000.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/music-australia>



## Music For All Community & Individual Grants

### Provider

Music For All

### Amount

Up to \$2,000  
(community) up to  
\$1,000 individual

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Organisations &  
individuals

### Description

*Provides up to \$2,000 to community groups and organisations that are engaged in delivering projects and initiatives that bring, develop or sustain music-making, learning or participation to the communities in which they serve.*

*Individual grants of up to \$1,000 aim to reduce the barriers that people face when accessing musical instruments and lessons or engaging in music-making. Regardless of your circumstances, age or location Music For All may provide support in your music-making. You may be a complete novice or an experienced musician or somewhere in between. Their aim is to truly deliver music for all and help all those meeting their criteria, achieve their ambition to make music.*

① [www.musicforall.org.au](http://www.musicforall.org.au)

## Narrative Content Development

### Provider

Screen Australia

### Amount

\$10,000 to \$75,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Content makers

### Description

*The Narrative Content Development Program supports content makers to develop narrative projects for Online/Direct-to-Audience, Television and theatrical Feature Film platforms. The program has an open and rolling deadline.*

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/narrative-content-development](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/narrative-content-development)

At the recent Dusty Boots Awards in Narromine, Matt Preo won the prestigious John P Toomey Songwriting Award for his track 'Quandialla Man'.

Matt also regularly busks in Bega - we love his music and proud to call him our own!





## Narrative Content Production

**Provider**  
Screen Australia

**Amount**  
\$150,000 to \$500,000

**Closes**  
30 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Content makers

**Description**  
*The Narrative Content Production Program supports content makers to produce narrative projects for online/direct-to-audience, television and theatrical feature film platforms. The program has four application rounds per financial year. The Narrative Content Short Film Production Funding Program supports teams of content makers to make a Narrative Content Short Film intended for theatrical festivals. The program has two application rounds per financial year.*

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/narrative-content-production](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/narrative-content-production)

## non/fictionLab Graphic Storyteller Fellowship

**Provider**  
RMIT & the Copyright Agency Cultural Fund

**Amount**  
\$15,000

**Closes**  
26 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Artists

**Description**  
*Proposals are invited for the inaugural non/fictionLab Graphic Storyteller Fellowship, supported by the Copyright Agency's Cultural Fund. This program is open to established artists working broadly in the field of comics – graphic novel, manga, cartooning, nonfiction comics or experimental narrative art – resident in Australia. The successful artist receives \$15,000 and is based for six weeks in RMIT University's non/fictionLab, a world-leading centre for creative practice research with a strong culture of Creative Writing, Comics and Graphic Storytelling.*

① <https://www.rmit.edu.au/research/centres-collaborations/nonfictionlab/projects/graphic-storyteller-fellowship>

## Online & Games Grants

**Provider**  
Screen Australia

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Various

**Description**  
*Screen Australia offers funding to support the development, production and marketing of Australian screen content, as well as for the development of Australian talent and screen production businesses. Games Grants include the Emerging Gamemakers Fund, Games Production Fund and the Games Festivals and Events Fund. Visit the link for further information regarding funding for Online and Games.*

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/online-and-games](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/online-and-games)

## Playing Australia Project Investment

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
14 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Artists

**Description**  
*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.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/playing-australia-project-investment/>



## Post, Digital & Visual Effects Rebate

**Provider**  
Screen NSW

**Amount**  
From \$50,000

**Closes**  
30 June 2026

**Who is it for?**  
See guidelines

### Description

The NSW Government offers a 10% rebate of qualifying expenditure on Post, Digital & Visual Effects work carried out in NSW on or later than 1 October 2019. To be eligible, projects must be registered with Screen NSW. The Rebate complements the Australian Government's PDV, Producer and Location Offsets, and Location Incentive. It may be stacked with any of those incentives.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/nsw-post-digital-and-visual-effects-pdv-rebate-2024-25](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/nsw-post-digital-and-visual-effects-pdv-rebate-2024-25)

## Protostars Grants

**Provider**  
Blackbird Foundation

**Amount**  
\$1,000

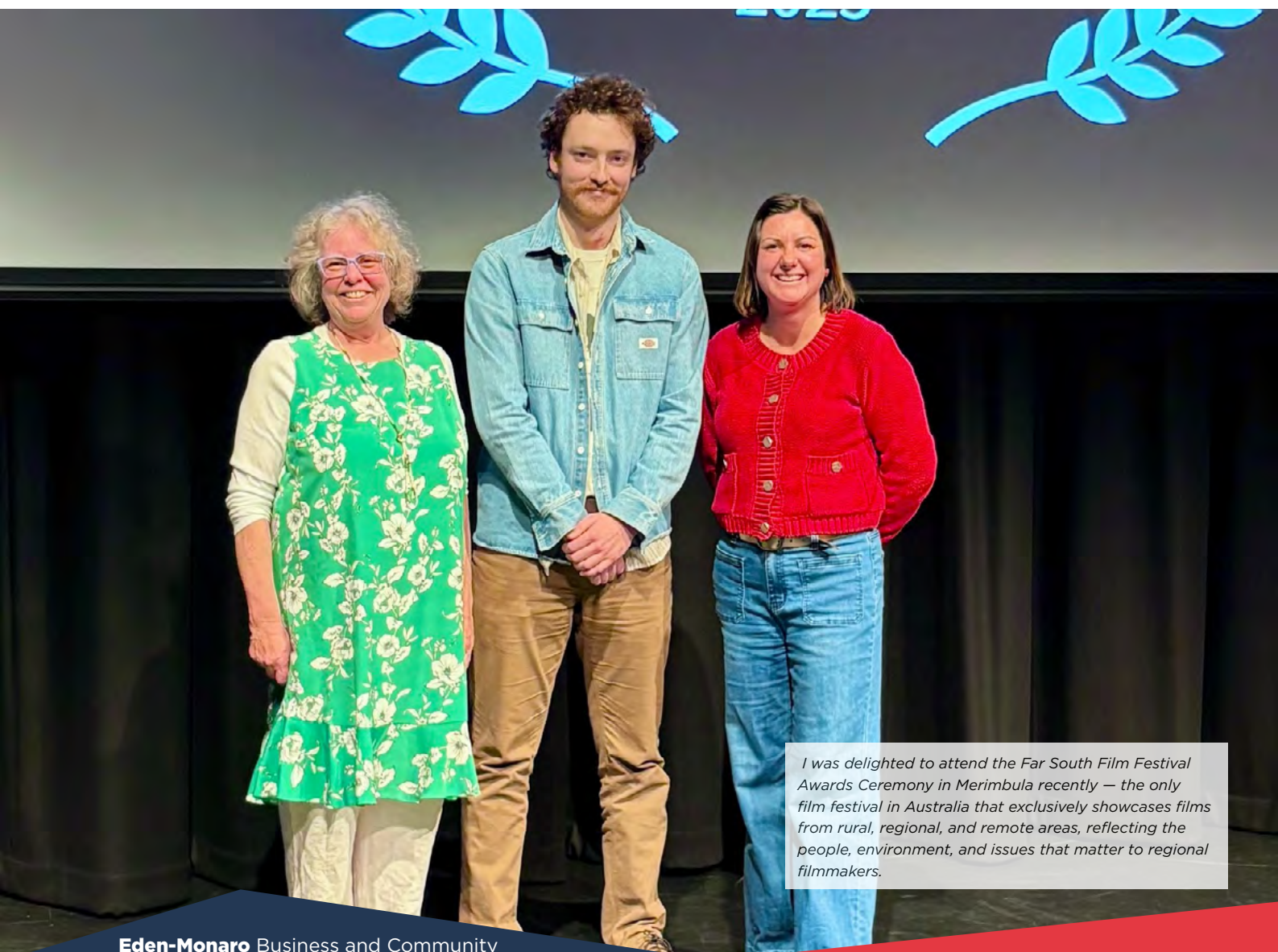
**Closes**  
14 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individual

### Description

Protostars isn't just a grant. It's a community. In addition to receiving funding, you'll join a cohort of likeminded creatives as they work towards launching their passion projects. At the end of the cohort, the Foundation will host an exhibition designed to help get further support for your work, and showcase everything achieved together. You can apply with any type of project; the Foundation is particularly interested in supporting projects that are unique, personally meaningful, and can reach a defined milestone in the next 3-6 months.

① <https://www.blackbird.vc/programs/protostars>



*I was delighted to attend the Far South Film Festival Awards Ceremony in Merimbula recently — the only film festival in Australia that exclusively showcases films from rural, regional, and remote areas, reflecting the people, environment, and issues that matter to regional filmmakers.*



## Protostars Grants

**Provider**  
Blackbird Foundation

**Amount**  
\$1,000

**Closes**  
16 June 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individual

### Description

*Protostars isn't just a grant. It's a community. In addition to receiving funding, you'll join a cohort of likeminded creatives as they work towards launching their passion projects. At the end of the cohort, the Foundation will host an exhibition designed to help get further support for your work, and showcase everything achieved together. You can apply with any type of project; the Foundation is particularly interested in supporting projects that are unique, personally meaningful, and can reach a defined milestone in the next 3-6 months.*

① [www.blackbird.vc/programs/protostars](http://www.blackbird.vc/programs/protostars)

## Publishing Fellowships

**Provider**  
Copyright Agency

**Amount**  
Up to \$15,000

**Closes**  
15 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Mid-career professionals

### Description

*Targeted specifically for mid-career professionals, these fellowships support individuals to think creatively about new opportunities to build their publishing skills and knowledge. Eligible applicants include: Individuals working in trade and educational book and resource publishing; Literary agents; Freelance editors and book designers; Editors at Australian literary journals; Fellowship funds can be used to expand skills, pursue innovative projects, engage in professional development, and explore new collaborations.*

① [www.copyright.com.au/culturalfund/individual-grants/publishing-fellowships/](http://www.copyright.com.au/culturalfund/individual-grants/publishing-fellowships/)

## Record Label Development Scheme

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
\$15,000 to \$125,000, ÄØ

**Closes**  
14 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Record labels

### Description

*Up to \$125,000 matched funding for eligible record labels to support holistic development and success of Australian music artists.*

① <https://creative.gov.au/investments-opportunities/record-label-development-scheme>

## Regional Arts Fund – Quick Response Grants

**Provider**  
Regional Arts NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$3,000 for individuals and \$5,000 for organisations

**Closes**  
Monthly

**Who is it for?**  
Councils, Community Groups, and Individuals

### Description

*Quick Response Grants support immediate need that arises where the activity is unable to be planned for or supported in other funding rounds, for example taking up professional development, skills development or small project opportunities at short notice. Quick Response Grants are delivered monthly from February to November and all applications will be competitively assessed at the end of each month.*

① <https://regionalartsnsw.com.au/quick-response-grants/>



## Regional Event Fund – Various streams

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Destination Australia</b>	<i>The Regional Event Fund identifies and supports events in regional NSW that have the potential to act as a 'cornerstone' or flagship tourism event for their area by attracting overnight visitation and delivering long term benefits to the region.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Up to \$50,000</b>	
<b>Closes</b>	① <a href="http://www.destinationnsw.com.au/tourism/business-development-resources/funding-and-grants">www.destinationnsw.com.au/tourism/business-development-resources/funding-and-grants</a>
<b>Various</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Business, organisations, councils</b>	

## Register of Cultural Organisations

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Australian Taxation Office</b>	<i>Prior to 1 January 2024, cultural organisations and their public fund had to be registered on the Register of Cultural Organisations, which was administered by the Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts, to have their public fund endorsed as a deductible gift recipient (DGR).</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>DGR Status</b>	<i>From 1 January 2024, the Australian Tax Office administer the DGR category for cultural organisations (item number 12.1.1) and assess eligibility for endorsement. Organisation's principal purpose needs to focus on areas such as literature, visual arts, performing arts, film radio, design and more.</i>
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>Not specified</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Cultural Organisations</b>	① <a href="http://www.ato.gov.au/businesses-and-organisations/not-for-profit-organisations/getting-started/in-detail/types-of-dgrs/a-k/cultural-organisations">www.ato.gov.au/businesses-and-organisations/not-for-profit-organisations/getting-started/in-detail/types-of-dgrs/a-k/cultural-organisations</a>

## Revive Live

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Australian Government</b>	<i>The program will provide essential support to established live music venues and music festivals to assist them to continue to operate in the current operating climate, limiting venue closures and event cancellations, and stimulating long-term sustainability. It will also focus on activities that improve accessibility and provide participation opportunities for audiences, and career pathways for musicians and music workers, with disability.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Up to \$200,000</b>	
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>26 September 2025</b>	① <a href="http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/revive-live">www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/revive-live</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Live music venues</b>	

## Rodney Seaborn Playwriting Support Fund

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Seaborn, Broughton &amp; Walford Foundation</b>	<i>The fund provides grants for up to \$5000 to assist playwrights and others working in the area to advance knowledge and appreciation of play writing as an art form, to help them realise their potential, leading to the production of works suitable for performance by a professional theatre company.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>\$5,000</b>	① <a href="http://www.sbwfoundation.com/rodney-seaborn-playwrighting-support-fund/">www.sbwfoundation.com/rodney-seaborn-playwrighting-support-fund/</a>
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>4 December 2025</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Playwrights</b>	





## Screen Australia First Nations Grants

### Provider

Screen Australia

### Amount

Various

### Closes

Various

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

Screen Australia's First Nations programs support creatively ambitious projects and people, and imaginative, resonant stories authored by Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander practitioners. First Nations funding programs include: documentary development, documentary production, feature development, drama development, internships and travel grants. See the website for more information and deadlines for each program.

① [www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/first-nations](http://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/first-nations)

## Screen Industry Partnerships

### Provider

Screen Australia

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Industry event organisers

### Description

Screen Australia is now accepting applications for events, conferences and activities which exhibit unique benefits to the Australian screen industry. These events must demonstrate an understanding of changes in audience engagement and how content is financed, made and delivered. Applications must demonstrate how they will have an impact on their audience/participants, or within their particular area of focus. Funding is available for one, two or three years at Screen Australia's discretion.

① <https://www.screenaustralia.gov.au/funding-and-support/industry-development/businesses/screen-industry-partnerships>

## Screen NSW Funding and Incentives

### Provider

Screen NSW

### Amount

Various

### Closes

Various

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

Whether it's film, TV, digital games, animation, visual effects or post-production, Screen NSW offer grants, incentives and rebates to help deliver high-value jobs and contribute to the NSW economy. They also support industry and audience development programs to create a thriving sector. The programs support local initiatives to enhance the cultural life of residents and visitors to the state.

Support includes:

- development funding
- production incentives
- rebates
- location scouting support
- career and industry development
- travel funding.

① [www.screen.nsw.gov.au/funding-support](http://www.screen.nsw.gov.au/funding-support)

## Short to Feature Fast Track Initiative

### Provider

Screen NSW

### Amount

Up to \$45,000

### Closes

15 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Producers

### Description

The Short to Feature Fast Track Initiative combines funding for the production of a short film or proof of concept, as well as script development funds for a low budget feature film.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/short-to-feature-fast-track-initiative-2025](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/short-to-feature-fast-track-initiative-2025)



## Touring and Travel Fund

**Provider**  
Create NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
28 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Contemporary music  
artists, acts and music  
industry professionals

### Description

*This quick response funding program is designed for domestic and international touring and travel activity for NSW contemporary music artists, acts and music industry professionals. The fund is open to artists, acts and music industry professionals, as well as music businesses applying on behalf of an artist or act.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/touring-and-travel-fund-2024/25](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/touring-and-travel-fund-2024/25)

## Visions of Australia

**Provider**  
Australian Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
3 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Arts and cultural heritage  
organisations

### Description

*The Visions of Australia regional exhibition touring program supports audience access to Australian arts and cultural material, with a particular focus on tours to regional and remote Australia.*

① [www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/visions-australia](http://www.arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/visions-australia)

*It was a pleasure to attend the official opening of the newly renovated Narooma Post Office. Post offices play a vital role in our communities — connecting people, services, and businesses — and it's great to see this important facility back up and running in its original location.*





## Visual Arts Fellowship (Emerging)

**Provider**  
Create NSW

**Amount**  
\$30,000

**Closes**  
7 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Emerging/early career  
visual artists

### Description

Funding to assist NSW emerging visual artists to undertake a self-directed professional development program to support their personal, creative and career advancement. The objective is to support NSW visual arts practitioners in the early stages of their career to challenge and expand their practice. Up to 6 applicants will be shortlisted to take part in the fellowship exhibition at Artspace, Sydney in May 2026. At the exhibition opening, the fellowship of \$30,000 will be awarded to 1 successful emerging visual artist to undertake a self-directed professional development program.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2026-visual-arts-fellowship-emerging](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2026-visual-arts-fellowship-emerging)

## Volunteer Museum Grant Program

**Provider**  
Museums & Galleries  
NSW

**Amount**  
\$50 - \$4,000

**Closes**  
2 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Museum volunteers

### Description

**Leg Up Grants** provide quick response skill development grants for workers in volunteer managed museums throughout NSW.

① <https://mgns.w.org.au/sector/funding/grants-we-administer/volunteer-museum-grants/leg-up/>

**Skill Development Grants** provide funding to volunteer museums and museum networks for regional or state focused skill development training and networking events.

① <https://mgns.w.org.au/sector/funding/grants-we-administer/volunteer-museum-grants/skills-development/>

## Writing NSW Prizes & Opportunities

**Provider**  
Writing NSW

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
NSW Writers

### Description

Writing NSW offers a range of mentorships and fellowships that support and nourish writing talent in the state. Current programs include: Diverse Writers' Mentorship Program; Writing NSW Varuna Fellowship; Boundless Indigenous Mentorship Program. They also have a constantly updated list of writing competitions, prizes, awards and opportunities open for submissions for adult writers residing in NSW.

① <https://writingnsw.org.au/getsupport/prizes-opportunities/>



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## Young People: First Nations Arts & Culture Project Fund

**Provider**  
Creative Australia

**Amount**  
\$10,000 to \$20,000

**Closes**  
11 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
First Nations artists or  
arts workers between the  
ages of 18 and 35

### Description

The Young People: First Nations Arts & Culture Project Fund is open to Australian First Nations artists or arts workers between the ages of 18 and 35 to support creative practice and career development, nationally and internationally across all art forms. This opportunity aims to build the capacity of First Nations young people's skills development, career pathways, marketing, and audience development to maintain and elevate their practice and engagement in the arts and cultural sectors and creative industries.

① <https://creative.gov.au/investment-and-development/first-nations-arts-and-culture/young-people-first-nations-arts-culture-project-fund/>





## **AgriFutures Rural Women's Acceleration Grant**

**Provider**  
AgriFutures Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$7,000

**Closes**  
Opening soon

**Who is it for?**  
Women

**Description**  
*Aims to provide a leadership and professional development opportunity for rural women to enable them to bring their idea, cause or vision to life.*  
① [www.agrifutures.com.au/people-leadership/acceleration-grant/](http://www.agrifutures.com.au/people-leadership/acceleration-grant/)

## **AgriFutures Rural Women's Award**

**Provider**  
AgriFutures Australia

**Amount**  
\$15,000 to \$35,000

**Closes**  
7 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Women

**Description**  
*The AgriFutures Rural Women's Award is Australia's leading award acknowledging and supporting the essential role women play in rural industries, businesses and communities. Each state and territory Winner receives a \$15,000 Westpac grant for their project, business or program, access to professional development opportunities and alumni networks.*  
① [www.agrifutures.com.au/people-leadership/rural-womens-award/](http://www.agrifutures.com.au/people-leadership/rural-womens-award/)

## **Australia Japan Innovation Fund Research Grant Program**

**Provider**  
Australia Japan  
Innovation Fund

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
15 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Innovators and  
researchers

**Description**  
*The Australia Japan Innovation Fund uses its funding and networks as catalysts to encourage national and sector-wide cooperation of the kind that calls forward serious, transformative responses from Japan. They support projects of a quality that is likely to attract interest and expanded financial support from the public and private sectors in Australia and Japan.*  
① [www.australiajapaninnovation.org/overview](http://www.australiajapaninnovation.org/overview)



## Australian Marketing Institute and ANZMAC Applied Research Grants

**Provider**  
Australian Marketing  
Institute and ANZMAC

**Amount**  
Up to \$15,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Marketing practitioners

### Description

The Australian Marketing Institute and ANZMAC (Australia and New Zealand Marketing Academy) have allocated funds to provide a number of research grants that are applicable for industry-based research across a range of themes.

① <https://ami.org.au/knowledge-hub/ami-anzmac-applied-research-grants-2025-2026/>



## Australian Researcher Cooperation Hub (India)

**Provider**  
ARCH India

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers

### Description

The Australian Researcher Cooperation Hub India (ARCH-India), established in 2021, supports researcher engagement between India and Australia. Its primary aim is to strengthen and increase bilateral research collaboration and showcase the research excellence of both countries. Visit the website to view the range of programs currently funded.

① <https://arch-india.org/funding-and-opportunities/funding-programs>

## Australian Trusted Trader

**Provider**  
Department of Home  
Affairs

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Businesses

### Description

Reduces red tape for Trusted Traders at the border, improves certainty in export markets, and expedites the flow of their cargo in and out of Australia, which means faster access to market. Australian Trusted Trader (ATT) is a partnership with Australian businesses to streamline legitimate trade. Become an accredited Trusted Trader and save your business time and money.

① [www.abf.gov.au/about-us/what-we-do/trustedtrader](http://www.abf.gov.au/about-us/what-we-do/trustedtrader)

## Automatic Dependent Surveillance (ADS-B) Broadcast Rebate Program

**Provider**  
Department of  
Infrastructure, Transport,  
Regional Development  
and Communications

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
31 May 2027

**Who is it for?**  
Registered owners of  
crewed aircraft

### Description

Grants of Up to \$5,000 to increase the uptake of ADS-B equipment in Australian-registered aircraft to improve safety and efficiency for Australian airspace users. The grant is for registered owners of crewed aircraft operating under Visual Flight Rules which are shown in an approved registration database.

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/automatic-dependent-surveillance-broadcast-rebate-program-round-2>



## AXA Research Fund

### Provider

AXA

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

Researchers

### Description

*Supports outstanding researchers committed to contributing to global societal challenges related to Life & Health, Data & Technology, Climate & Environment and Economics.*

① [www.axa-research.org/en/page/key-information](http://www.axa-research.org/en/page/key-information)

## Bin Trim Equipment Rebates Program

### Provider

NSW Department  
of Planning and  
Environment

### Amount

Up to \$50,000

### Closes

30 June 2027

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

*Rebates up to \$50,000 are being offered to cover up to 50% of the cost of small-scale, on-site equipment or technology that avoids, reduces, reuses, or recycles waste. The initiative is aimed at supporting businesses to transition to a circular economy.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/bin-trim-equipment-rebates-program](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/bin-trim-equipment-rebates-program)



*Thanks to Rob for the update and tour of his factory in Queanbeyan. They produce high-quality sheet metal products. With state-of-the-art design and manufacturing equipment, they are a fantastic example of the strength and capability of Australian manufacturing. A reminder of just how much we can achieve right here at home.*



## Black Sheep Capital

**Provider**  
Black Sheep Capital

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Business

### Description

Black Sheep Capital are focused on identifying exceptional founders with deep domain expertise building scalable technology companies. They provide hands on support from day one to day done.

① <https://blacksheepcapital.com.au/>



## Business Enterprise Program

**Provider**  
NSW Aboriginal Land Council

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Local Aboriginal Land Councils and related businesses

### Description

The LALC Business Enterprise Program supports LALCs and LALC-related business enterprises to develop local economic and business opportunities through the provision of tailored business support and funding. It is a competitive, merit-based program and three types of LALC Business Enterprise Funding are available: Business Development Funding: Up to \$50,000; Early Stage Investment Loans: Up to \$500,000; Equity Investment: Up to \$2 million.

① <https://alc.org.au/lalc-business-enterprise/>

## Business Events Bid Fund Program (BFP)

**Provider**  
Austrade

**Amount**  
Up to \$50,000

**Closes**  
30 June 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Business

### Description

The BFP is designed to deliver conversion of new business in situations where Australia is bidding against international competitors for the right to host the business event. The provision of funds via the BFP is designed to ensure a material difference to event costs in Australia. This can include, but is not limited to costs for accommodation, venue hire, transport etc. The BFP does not subsidise administrative, logistics or marketing costs for international bids, for example for overseas travel for client meetings or marketing materials.

① <https://businessevents.australia.com/en/media-and-australian-industry/Business-Events-Australia-Bid-Fund-Program.html>

## Certain Inputs to Manufacture (CIM)

**Provider**  
Australian Government

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Australian manufacturers

### Description

The CIM program helps reduce importing costs for Australian manufacturers of eligible goods. If you intend to import an eligible good and can show that your imported good has a performance advantage in producing the specific end product over a local input produced in Australia, you may be eligible for an import concession.

① <https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Certain-Inputs-to-Manufacture>



## Clean Energy Innovation Fund

### Provider

Clean Energy Finance Corporation (CEFC)

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Business

### Description

*The Innovation Fund draws on CEFC finance and expertise to invest in innovative businesses whose activities can lower Australia's emissions. Innovation Fund portfolio companies are pursuing diverse opportunities ranging from mobility and smart cities to agriculture, the circular economy and innovative energy demand management solutions.*

① [www.cefc.com.au/where-we-invest/special-investment-programs/clean-energy-innovation-fund](http://www.cefc.com.au/where-we-invest/special-investment-programs/clean-energy-innovation-fund)

## CSIRO Kick-Start

### Provider

Australian Government

### Amount

\$10,000 to \$50,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Eligible start-ups and SMEs

### Description

*The CSIRO Kick-Start program provides matched funding to Australian start-ups and very small SME's to utilise CSIRO expertise to undertake research activities that will enable your business to: research a new idea with commercial potential; develop a novel or improved product or process; or test a novel product or material.*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/CSIRO-KickStart>





## Defence Industry Development Grants Program

**Provider**  
Department of Defence

**Amount**  
\$100,000 to \$1 million

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Small to medium enterprises

### Description

*The Defence Industry Development Grants Program will fund small to medium enterprises to build Australia's sovereign capability, global competitiveness, technical superiority and national security.*

*There are four streams within the program:*

- Sovereign Industrial Priorities – \$1 million
- Skilling – \$250,000
- Exports – \$250,000
- Security – \$100,000.

*Grants will cover up to 50% of eligible expenditure. See the guidelines for the closing dates of the various streams.*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/defence-industry-development-grants-program>

## Digital Games Rebate

**Provider**  
Create NSW

**Amount**  
From \$50,000

**Closes**  
30 June 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Digital games sector

### Description

*The NSW Government is offering a 10 per cent rebate for eligible digital games. Games must have a Qualifying NSW Expenditure of at least \$500,000 to be eligible. This initiative complements the Australian Government's Digital Games Offset. It is administered by Screen NSW.*

① [www.screen.nsw.gov.au/funding-support/digital-games-rebate](http://www.screen.nsw.gov.au/funding-support/digital-games-rebate)

## Duty Drawback Scheme

**Provider**  
Austrade

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Exporters

### Description

*The Duty Drawback Scheme provides exporters with a refund of customs duty paid on unused imported goods, or goods that will be treated, processed or incorporated into other goods for export.*

① <https://business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Duty-Drawback-Scheme>

## Emissions Reduction Fund

**Provider**  
Clean Energy Regulator

**Amount**  
Australian carbon credit units

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Businesses wanting to reduce their carbon emissions

### Description

*The Emissions Reduction Fund provides businesses with the opportunity to earn Australian carbon credit units for every tonne of carbon dioxide equivalent a business stores or avoids emitting through adopting new practices and technologies. This can be through projects involving: new technology; upgrading equipment; changing business practices to improve productivity or energy use; changing the way vegetation is managed to store more carbon.*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/emissions-reduction-fund>



## Employer Support Payment Scheme (ESPS)

**Provider**  
Department of Defence

**Amount**  
\$1,888.80 per week

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Employers of Reservists  
and self-employed  
Reservists

### Description

*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.*

① [www.reserveemployersupport.gov.au/employers-of-reservists/employer-support-payment-scheme/](http://www.reserveemployersupport.gov.au/employers-of-reservists/employer-support-payment-scheme/)

## Employment Assistance Fund (EAF)

**Provider**  
Australian Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The EAF gives 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. The EAF is available to eligible people with disability who are about to start a job, are self-employed or who are currently working. It is also available to people with disability who need Auslan assistance or special work equipment to look for and prepare for a job.*

① [www.jobaccess.gov.au/i-am-a-person-with-disability/looking-applying-job/government-services-help-you/funding-workplace-changes/applying-eaf](http://www.jobaccess.gov.au/i-am-a-person-with-disability/looking-applying-job/government-services-help-you/funding-workplace-changes/applying-eaf)



Heidi and Wolfgang have been running their iconic tea house in Cooma for 55 years!



## Energy Consumers Australia Grant Programs

**Provider**  
Energy Consumers  
Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$15,000

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The purpose of the Grants Program is to build knowledge and capacity to support energy policy development that will benefit the long-term interests of consumers.*

① <https://energyconsumersaustralia.com.au/for-applicants>

## Graphite Research and Development Grant

**Provider**  
CSIRO

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

**Closes**  
30 March 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Small to medium  
enterprises

### Description

*The Graphite Research and Development (R&D) Grant provides Australian small to medium enterprises (SMEs) with funding and access to CSIRO experts on collaborative R&D projects. These projects will focus on developing innovative technologies and processes essential for natural graphite production, particularly for battery applications.*

① [www.csiro.au/en/work-with-us/funding-programs/SME/Graphite-Research-and-Development-Grant](http://www.csiro.au/en/work-with-us/funding-programs/SME/Graphite-Research-and-Development-Grant)



*I met with Martin and Rolfe in Jindabyne. Martin runs a local flight training school and I enjoyed learning about his small business. We also took the opportunity to discuss the sealing of the local airfield and aged care in Jindabyne. Flying over the snow capped snowy mountains must be spectacular!*



## High Emitting Industries Grants

<b>Provider</b> NSW Climate and Energy Action	<b>Description</b> <i>Provides grant funding to help high emitting industries significantly reduce their emissions and strengthen their resilience into the future.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$305 million	① <a href="http://www.energy.nsw.gov.au/business-and-industry/programs-grants-and-schemes/high-emitting-industries#how-to-get-involved-apply-now">www.energy.nsw.gov.au/business-and-industry/programs-grants-and-schemes/high-emitting-industries#how-to-get-involved-apply-now</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Industry	

## House to Grow Funding for Entrepreneurs

<b>Provider</b> House to Grow	<b>Description</b> <i>House to Grow offers funding for Entrepreneurs and Small Businesses. If you are ineligible for funding under the program you may be interested in the free Watering Women's Tree Program   Idea to Start-up to Business program. It offers valuable advice, resources, and guidance to help your business journey.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not specified	① <a href="https://housetogrow.org/programs/funding-for-entrepreneurs-and-small-businesses/">https://housetogrow.org/programs/funding-for-entrepreneurs-and-small-businesses/</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Entrepreneurs and Small Businesses	

## Heat Pump Feasibility Grant

<b>Provider</b> NSW Climate and Energy Action	<b>Description</b> <i>The Heat Pump Feasibility Grant is an opportunity for eligible NSW businesses to assess whether a heat pump is a feasible option for your site. You can apply for up to \$30,000 to cover 75% of the project costs.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$30,000	① <a href="http://www.energy.nsw.gov.au/business-and-industry/programs-grants-and-schemes/supporting-your-business-decarbonise/heat-pump-feasibility-grant">www.energy.nsw.gov.au/business-and-industry/programs-grants-and-schemes/supporting-your-business-decarbonise/heat-pump-feasibility-grant</a>
<b>Closes</b> 13 October 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Businesses	

## Industry Growth Program

<b>Provider</b> Australian Government	<b>Description</b> <i>The Industry Growth Program aims to support innovative small and medium businesses undertaking commercialisation and/or growth projects that align with government priorities to build Australian manufacturing capabilities and within priority areas for the National Reconstruction Fund. The program supports innovative small and medium enterprises undertaking commercialisation and/or growth projects through advisory services and opportunities for matched grant funding.</i>
<b>Amount</b> \$50,000 to \$5 million	① <a href="https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/industry-growth-program#apply-now">https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/industry-growth-program#apply-now</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Small and medium enterprises	



## Innovate with nbn® Grants Program

**Provider**  
nbn®

**Amount**  
\$15,000 to \$35,000

**Closes**  
12 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

nbn are looking for digital businesses in regional and remote Australia who are:

- making the most of the nbn network to help enable regional Australians to live, learn and work in a digital society
- challenging the traditional markets in regional Australia
- lifting digital participation and stimulating regional economies.

They will award \$15,000 to the winner of each category – Agriculture, Arts & Tourism, Education, Health, Indigenous Business, Sports & Recreation, Women in Regional Business. They will also award \$20,000 to the 2025 Innovate with nbn® Champion.

① [www.nbnco.com.au/campaigns/innovate-with-nbn-grants-program](http://www.nbnco.com.au/campaigns/innovate-with-nbn-grants-program)

## IP in Motion Fund

**Provider**  
Screen NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
2 April 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Screen and digital games producers

### Description

Screen NSW will wholly or partly reimburse, up to \$5,000, a screen and digital games producers' cost to option original intellectual property (IP) from NSW-based creators.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/ip-motion-fund-2025-26](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/ip-motion-fund-2025-26)



I recently met with Dival's Transport. They established their earthmoving and bulk haulage business in 1991. It now employs over 350 local people and is a major contributor to our economy. Thanks for the tour and your important contribution in keeping our region moving.



## JobCover Placement Program

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$27,400

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
NSW businesses

### Description

The JobCover Placement Program provides incentives to employers to employ a worker who has a work related injury or illness and is unable to return to work with their pre-injury employer. Employers participating in this scheme will receive: incentive payments for up to 12 months; an exemption of the injured worker's wages from the employer's workers compensation premium calculation for up to 2 years; protection against further costs associated with changes occurring to the worker's existing injury for up to 2 years.

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/jobcover-placement-program-nsw>

## Joint Strike Fighter Industry Support Program Sustainment Grants

**Provider**  
Department of Defence

**Amount**  
\$50,000 to \$250,000

**Closes**  
30 June 2028

**Who is it for?**  
Business

### Description

The Joint Strike Fighter Industry Support Program - Sustainment Grant provides Australian businesses with funding to develop new or improved capabilities to win work in the sustainment phase of the Joint Strike Fighter Program.

① [www.business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/joint-strike-fighter-industry-support-program-sustainment-grants](http://www.business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/joint-strike-fighter-industry-support-program-sustainment-grants)



## Kickstarter Challenge

**Provider**  
Accelerator for  
Enterprising Women

**Amount**  
\$60,000 equity funding

**Closes**  
1 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Entrepreneurs

### Description

The Kickstarter Challenge is giving five finalists the opportunity to take centre stage and pitch their new business idea for the chance to secure a share of \$60,000 in equity-free funding. Finalists will also be supported trip to Canberra and support for the journey ahead with mentoring sessions, media training and more.

① <https://enterprising-women.com.au/>

## Land Tax Build to Rent

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

Grants and tax concessions will be considered for proposals for affordable rental dwellings as as part of an existing or planned Build-to-Rent development.

① [www.revenue.nsw.gov.au/news-media-releases/land-tax-build-to-rent](http://www.revenue.nsw.gov.au/news-media-releases/land-tax-build-to-rent)



## Landing Pads

### Provider

Department of Industry,  
Science, Energy and  
Resources

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

*We provide specialised support for Australian technology companies seeking to grow internationally. You can get support to validate your market entry plans; or advice and connections as you scale into global markets.*

① [www.austrade.gov.au/landingpads](http://www.austrade.gov.au/landingpads)

## Local Buying Foundation - NSW

### Provider

Local Buying Foundation

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

19 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

*Seeks to build on the local capabilities and opportunities for growth in current and emerging industries, by supporting projects and programs which facilitate workforce development, innovation and the productive capacity of business and industry to grow the potential of their regional economies.*

① <https://localbuyingfoundation.com.au/funding/>

## MVP Ventures

### Provider

Department of  
Enterprise, Investment  
and Trade

### Amount

From \$20,000 to  
\$70,000

### Closes

28 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

*MVP Ventures is a competitive grant initiative aimed at supporting businesses to commercialise innovation. It supports eligible businesses throughout the pre-market development and commercialisation pathway of their innovative products in NSW. The Program targets products within Technology Readiness Level (TRL) 3 – 9 to help them move along the TRL scale and enable them to attract large-scale private investment.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/mvp-ventures-2025-2026-round-1](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/mvp-ventures-2025-2026-round-1)

## National Energy Bill Relief for Small Businesses

### Provider

Australian Government

### Amount

\$325

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Small businesses

### Description

*The Australian Government has announced that households will receive (up to) \$300 and eligible small businesses will receive (up to) \$325 to help with the cost of their energy bills in financial year 2024/25. The NSW Government is currently working with the Commonwealth Government to determine how the payment will be delivered.*

① [www.energy.nsw.gov.au/households/rebates-grants-and-schemes/national-energy-bill-relief#national-energy-bill-relief-for-small-businesses](http://www.energy.nsw.gov.au/households/rebates-grants-and-schemes/national-energy-bill-relief#national-energy-bill-relief-for-small-businesses)



## Natural Disaster Relief Loans for Small Businesses

### Provider

Rural Assistance  
Authority

### Amount

Up to \$130,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Small Business

### Description

Small businesses who have been directly affected by a declared natural disaster including floods, fires or storm damage, may be eligible for low interest loans of Up to \$130,000.

- ① [www.raa.nsw.gov.au/disaster-assistance/natural-disaster-relief-loans/natural-disaster-relief-loans-for-small-businesses](http://www.raa.nsw.gov.au/disaster-assistance/natural-disaster-relief-loans/natural-disaster-relief-loans-for-small-businesses)

## Office of Defence Industry Support (ODIS)

### Provider

Department of Defence

### Amount

Specialist advice

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

SMEs

### Description

The Office of Defence Industry Support (ODIS) provides a seamless experience for small and medium enterprises (SMEs) to engage with Defence. ODIS is the trusted link for Australian SMEs looking to enter or expand their footprint in the Defence industry. The core function of ODIS, through its industry engagement teams around Australia, is to provide advisory, guidance and mentoring services to SMEs. ODIS works closely with State and Territory agencies, industry associations and Defence business partners, to help deliver capability that equips and sustains the Australian Defence Force.

- ① [www.defence.gov.au/business-industry/finding-opportunities/office-defence-industry-support](http://www.defence.gov.au/business-industry/finding-opportunities/office-defence-industry-support)



Local businesses are the backbone of regional communities, and it was a pleasure to visit local funeral directors in Goulburn. With around 188 years of service to the region, they have built a legacy of care, compassion, and professionalism – establishing themselves as one of Australia's leaders in the funeral service industry.



## One10 Social Impact Accelerators

**Provider**  
One10

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Social ventures

### Description

*Pitch to get support, request a proposal or enter an accelerator program as the first step on your journey to building or scaling your social benefit supplier organisation or venture. One10 enable and support you to create transformative change and meaningful positive social and environmental impacts. Your application is reviewed by our panel and you should expect a response within a week.*

① <https://oneten.com.au/pitchit>

## Open Technology Funds - various

**Provider**  
Open Technology Fund

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

*Support technology projects that counter online censorship and combat repressive surveillance to enable all citizens to exercise their fundamental human rights online. A range of Funds and Fellowships provide support to researchers, technologists, and digital security experts developing solutions to empower and protect users from repressive government censorship and surveillance globally.*

① [www.opentech.fund/](http://www.opentech.fund/)

## Powering the Regions Industrial Transformation Stream

**Provider**  
Australian Renewable  
Energy Agency (ARENA)

**Amount**  
See guidelines

**Closes**  
15 July 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Industrial facilities in  
regional Australia

### Description

*The Industrial Transformation Stream is open for applications supporting a range of industrial decarbonisation solutions, including but not limited, to electrification, energy efficiency, low emissions processing and fuel switching. Enabling technologies such as energy storage, demand management and critical infrastructure supporting onsite decarbonisation may also be considered.*

① <https://arena.gov.au/funding/powering-the-regions-industrial-transformation-stream/>

## Prevention, Innovation and Technology Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$200,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*Seeks projects undertaken by experts from a variety of disciplines to ensure that technology is leveraged to most effectively deliver responsible gambling education, services and outcomes.*

① [www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/prevention-innovation--technology-grants](http://www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/prevention-innovation--technology-grants)



## Qantas Climate Fund

### Provider

**Qantas**

### Amount

**Unspecified**

### Closes

**See grant information**

### Who is it for?

**Innovators**

### Description

*The Qantas Climate Fund is dedicated to investing in the development of solutions critical to meeting our sustainability targets and reducing our impact on the planet – in the air and on the ground. The Fund's focus is to support the catalysation and scaling of solutions that fall within the investment priorities, including through: direct investment in technologies and projects, investment in managed funds with a clear nexus to our targets, and research and development partnerships.*

① [www.qantas.com/au/en/qantas-group/sustainability/our-planet/climate-fund.html](http://www.qantas.com/au/en/qantas-group/sustainability/our-planet/climate-fund.html)

## Research and Development Tax Incentive

### Provider

**Australian Government**

### Amount

**Tax-offset**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Eligible companies conducting eligible R&D activities.**

### Description

*The Research and Development Tax Incentive (R&DTI) offers a tax offset for companies conducting eligible R&D activities. It encourages investment in R&D to help your company to grow and innovate which generates benefits for the Australian economy. As well as providing financial support, the R&DTI can be an opportunity to collaborate with registered Research Service Providers (RSPs).*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/research-and-development-tax-incentive>

## SafeWork Small Business Rebate

### Provider

**Safe Work NSW**

### Amount

**Up to \$1,000**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Business**

### Description

*Helps NSW small business owners, charities and not-for-profits purchase safety items that improve work health and safety.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/1000-safework-small-business-rebate](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/1000-safework-small-business-rebate)



## Social Impact Pre-Accelerator Program

### Provider

**Investment NSW**

### Amount

**Unspecified**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Individual**

### Description

*Offers programs designed to support founders from diverse backgrounds and social impact driven startups.*

① [www.investment.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-rebates/pre-accelerator-program/](http://www.investment.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-rebates/pre-accelerator-program/)





## SPARK Biz Grants - Women in Business

**Provider**  
SPARK Business

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

**Closes**  
30 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Businesses and  
Individuals

### Description

*Helps women in business grow their profit and impact. SPARK does this by creating the resources, insights and community for women to shortcut their success. And while they believe you can do a lot on hustle, sometimes girls just need funds. So SPARK are reinvesting their profits back into quarterly grants.*

① <https://sparkbusiness.global/spark-women-in-business-grants>

## Tyre Stewardship Fund

**Provider**  
Tyre Stewardship  
Australia and Clark  
Rubber

**Amount**  
Up to \$250,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Manufacturers,  
innovators, entrepreneurs

### Description

*Tyre Stewardship Australia and Clark Rubber are calling out to Australian manufacturers, innovators, entrepreneurs, polymer experts and other relevant businesses who can demonstrate how rubber from Australia's used tyres can be used in new products. Grants of up to \$250,000 are available to applicants to help commercialise innovation to products, and be part of creating Australia's circular economy for used tyres.*

① [www.tyrestewardship.org.au/innovation/fund-guidelines-and-application/](http://www.tyrestewardship.org.au/innovation/fund-guidelines-and-application/)



*In Perisher for the official grand opening of the P6 Chairlift. Thanks to Perisher Ski Resort for continuing to support the local economy and tourism in Eden-Monaro. This is a real boost to the region.*



## Uber x Rare Birds Business Booster program

### Provider

Uber x Rare Birds

### Amount

Up to \$50,000

### Closes

30 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Uber drivers and delivery people

### Description

*Business Booster 2025 is a six-month online program designed to help drivers and delivery people develop or grow their business ideas. The program includes the opportunity to enter a pitch competition in November for a chance to win a share of \$50,000 in business funding.*

① [www.uber.com/au/en/u/business-booster/](http://www.uber.com/au/en/u/business-booster/)

## Ultra Low Cost Solar PV Research and Development Round

### Provider

Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA)

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

21 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Businesses and eligible institutions

### Description

*Aims to support the research and commercialisation of Ultra Low Cost Solar PV (ULCS) technologies. ARENA is continuing its support for research and development (R&D) and commercialisation of Australian solar PV, with this \$60 million funding round to push innovation and take solar to ultra low-cost levels. ARENA's ULCS goal is to achieve a Levelised Cost of Electricity (LCOE) for utility-scale solar PV of under \$20 per MWh. ARENA is seeking proposals from a broad range of Applicants including, but not limited to, Australian universities and research groups and innovative businesses to accelerate cost reductions and meet ARENA's ULCS LCOE goal.*

① <https://arena.gov.au/funding/ultra-low-cost-solar-pv-research-and-development-round-4/>

## Wage Subsidies

### Provider

Workforce Australia

### Amount

Up to \$10,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Business

### Description

*Wage subsidies up to a maximum of \$10,000 may be available to businesses that hire eligible individuals into ongoing jobs.*

① [www.workforceaustralia.gov.au/businesses/help/financial-support/wage-subsidies](http://www.workforceaustralia.gov.au/businesses/help/financial-support/wage-subsidies)

## Wine Tourism and Cellar Door Grant

### Provider

Wine Australia, Dep of Agriculture

### Amount

Up to \$100,000

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Wine producers

### Description

*The Wine Tourism and Cellar Door Grant program supports producers who add value by encouraging visitors to wine regions. Wine producers will be able to access an annual grant reflective of their eligible physical cellar door sales.*

① [www.wineaustralia.com/wine-tourism-and-cellar-door-grants](http://www.wineaustralia.com/wine-tourism-and-cellar-door-grants)





## Australian Football Facilities Fund

### Provider

AFL

### Amount

Up to \$50,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Sporting Clubs

### Description

Assists Leagues and Clubs in securing financial commitment from various stakeholders to contribute towards funding the improvement of existing or provision of new football facilities.

① <https://play.afl/learning-resource/facility-management#article-4>

## Australian Sports Foundation

### Provider

Australian Sports Foundation

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Clubs, schools and athletes

### Description

The Australian Sports Foundation provides a tax deduction for sport donations. This makes it much easier for you to raise money for your sporting facilities, equipment, travel and more.

① <https://asf.org.au>

## Awards, Donations and Grants - Snowy Monaro

### Provider

Snowy Monaro Regional Council

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Various

### Who is it for?

Community organisations

### Description

Snowy Monaro Council recognises and values the community in a number of different ways. This includes through programs of grants and donations, as well as the Monaro Sports Gallery for outstanding local sportspeople, and Australia Day Awards in a number of categories. Council can also support community groups to access external grant funding to support projects and opportunities which help build a more vibrant community.

① [www.snowymonaro.nsw.gov.au/Community/Awards-Donations-and-Grants](http://www.snowymonaro.nsw.gov.au/Community/Awards-Donations-and-Grants)



## Balnaves Foundation Grants

### Provider

Balnaves Foundation

### Amount

\$150,000 to \$250,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Charities

### Description

The Balnaves Foundation supports eligible organisations across Australia that aim to create a better Australia through education, medicine and the arts with a focus on young people, the disadvantaged and Indigenous Australia.

① <https://balnavesfoundation.com/>

## Bega Group Community Sponsorship

### Provider

Bega Group

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Community organisations in the Bega Valley

### Description

Sponsorship and donations are made to community organisations, in the communities in which the Bega Group operate, in line with the following general guidelines: organisations with as wide community benefit as possible and in projects that have a lasting benefit; organisations and activities that assist in areas such as education, sport, community service, the arts and health. The sponsorships would rarely support an individual sportsperson or similar application. 6-8 weeks is required to prepare goods or donation.

① <https://begagroup.com.au/community/>

## Bendigo Bank Community Grants and Scholarships

### Provider

Bendigo Bank

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Opening 1 November

### Who is it for?

Community groups and organisations

### Description

Local Bendigo Bank branches across Eden Monaro deliver a range of community grants and scholarships. Grants are paid to an organisation to support specific community projects. Bendigo Bank may sponsor events projects or organisations through the provision of money, goods or services in return for customer acquisition opportunities and brand recognition. Scholarships support students to further their studies with less financial burden.

① <https://www.bendigobank.com.au/community/foundation/community-grants/>

## Boating Infrastructure Emergency Repair Pool

### Provider

Transport for NSW

### Amount

\$5,000 to \$300,000

### Closes

30 June 2028

### Who is it for?

Councils, community groups and private sector

### Description

The NSW Boating Infrastructure Emergency Repair Pool (BIERP) grants provide funding to local councils and organisations to repair, replace, or improve public boating infrastructure damaged by natural disasters or severe weather events.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/boating-infrastructure-emergency-repair-pool-0](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/boating-infrastructure-emergency-repair-pool-0)



## Boating Infrastructure Maintenance

**Provider**  
Transport for NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$50,000

**Closes**  
26 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Councils and other organisations

### Description

*This program provides grant funding to councils and other organisations to maintain public boating infrastructure and facilities that directly support boaters, and promote safe, accessible, and enjoyable boating experience.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/boating-infrastructure-maintenance](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/boating-infrastructure-maintenance)



## Boots For All Community Distribution Partner

**Provider**  
Boots for All

**Amount**  
Equipment

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Community groups

### Description

*If you are a leader of a community sports program and your athletes are in need of quality, new and near-new sporting goods, apply today to become a Boots For All Community Distribution Partner.*

① [www.bootsforall.org.au/applyforsportinggods](http://www.bootsforall.org.au/applyforsportinggods)

## Building Digital Communities Grant

**Provider**  
Be Connected Network

**Amount**  
\$3,000

**Closes**  
Opening soon

**Who is it for?**  
Non-Government,  
Education, Community  
Groups and Others

### Description

*Round 3 opportunities for Braidwood and Bungendore are opening soon. Good Things has partnered with Bendigo Bank to ensure Australian communities have digital skills support and stronger local relationships. As more essential services are moving online, including banking, it's important that everyone has the skills and confidence they need to get online safely and confidently. Together, they are funding and supporting community partners across Australia to provide digital skills support, build long-lasting relationships with their local Bendigo Bank branch team and support Bendigo Bank customers who need an extra helping hand to get started online.*

① <https://goodthingsaustralia.org/mentor-resource/building-digital-communities-grant/>

## Canon Community Sponsorship and Donations

**Provider**  
Canon Oceania

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Charities and organisations

### Description

*Canon Oceania is able to support organisations in Australia and New Zealand that align with one of the four categories: Medical Research and Children's Health; Sustainability and environment; Creative programs for young people or disadvantaged; and Humanitarian Aid. More information is available on the Canon website.*

① [www.canon.com.au/about-canon/community/community-sponsorship-and-donations](http://www.canon.com.au/about-canon/community/community-sponsorship-and-donations)



## Canva for Non-Profits

**Provider**  
Canva

**Amount**  
Free program

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Not-for-Profits

### Description

Provides free access to Canva premium features to not-for-profit organisations.

① <https://canva.com/canva-for-nonprofits/>

## Capital Wind Farm Community Fund

**Provider**  
Iberdrola Australia

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Quarterly

**Who is it for?**  
Community organisations

### Description

Iberdrola Australia sponsors community projects that aim to make a positive difference in the areas of education, fire and police departments, social welfare, country shows, indigenous groups, sports clubs, art festivals and youth programs. They contribute \$42,000 per year to the Capital Wind Farm Community Fund to benefit the **Bungendore and Tarago communities**. The CCC meets on a quarterly basis and is involved in assessing the Community Fund applications.

① [www.iberdrola.com.au/for-communities/community-funds-and-sponsorships](http://www.iberdrola.com.au/for-communities/community-funds-and-sponsorships)

## Catalysing Connections Mobile and Connectivity Grant

**Provider**  
TechForGood

**Amount**  
Goods

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Charities and community organisations

### Description

Seeks charities to partner with to gift technology to your beneficiaries. TechForGood funds mobile phones, data, and internet access for Australians who may be digitally excluded – including First Nations people, seniors, refugees, rural communities and those experiencing hardship. Whether it's a phone for a domestic violence survivor or satellite internet for a remote health clinic, each connection is a step toward equity.

① <https://techforgood.com.au/pages/catalysing-connections>



## Charitable Donations AO 2026

**Provider**  
Tennis Australia

**Amount**  
Goods

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Charities & not-for-profits

### Description

Invites requests for donation of goods and services, including Australia Open tickets and packages.

① <https://tennis.smartygrants.com.au/charitabledonations>



## ClubGRANTS

**Provider**  
ClubsNSW

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Community organisations

### Description

*ClubGRANTS provides a portal for grant opportunities through a number of NSW Community Clubs. The site provides a search function to find local grants relevant to your organisation. The process and closing dates vary for different clubs. To be eligible to apply, you must be a not-for-profit organisation and provide the following project and/or services: community welfare or social services; community development; community health services or employment assistance activities. You are also eligible if you or your organisation is involved in community or professional sport.*

① [www.clubgrants.com.au/how-to-apply](http://www.clubgrants.com.au/how-to-apply)

## Coles Community Support

**Provider**  
Coles

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Charities and community organisations

### Description

*To find out how your local Coles store can help your community organisation or group download and complete the Local Community Support Application Form on the website and return it to your local store manager.*

① [www.coles.com.au/about/our-partners/community/partnerships](http://www.coles.com.au/about/our-partners/community/partnerships)



*It was a pleasure to attend the Pambula Merimbula Lions Club 60th Anniversary and changeover lunch. A special mention to outgoing President Jon Webb, Director Lyn Matthews and incoming President Tracy Fleming. Thank you to all Pambula Merimbula Lions members for continuing to support our community in so many ways.*



## Community Benefit Payment Scheme

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
NGOs and community groups

### Description

Community benefit payments fund programs for not-for-profits and registered charities that support the social wellbeing of the local community. Check detail on the website below to see if there is an establishment in your community currently distributing funds.

① [www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/community-benefit-payment-program](http://www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/community-benefit-payment-program)

## Community Grants Program

**Provider**  
Mary MacKillop Today

**Amount**  
Up to \$10,000

**Closes**  
25 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Non-Government organisations

### Description

The Community Grants Program aims to help people in need by improving access to quality learning opportunities which allow people to realise their rights, achieve positive social outcomes, and make a difference in their lives and communities.

① [www.marymackilloptoday.org.au/what-we-do/our-projects/grants/](http://www.marymackilloptoday.org.au/what-we-do/our-projects/grants/)



## Community Initiated Grants

**Provider**  
National Indigenous Australians Agency

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
30 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

Under the IAS, the Agency considers grant proposals that address a need for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. Proposals should be developed with the target community or group who will be impacted by the activity.

① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=af51f2f8-e3e3-4628-9a9d-ab0607ca11e8](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=af51f2f8-e3e3-4628-9a9d-ab0607ca11e8)



## Community Projects Grant

**Provider**  
Australian Chinese Charity Foundation Inc.

**Amount**  
Up to \$10,000

**Closes**  
12 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
NGOs and community groups

### Description

ACCF provides annual fundings of up to \$10,000 for community projects that directly benefit those in need in the community. ACCF recognises the important contribution that community organisations make to the social, cultural, economic and environmental aspects that are in parallel with the aims and objectives of ACCF. Applications may be made on the basis of the following categories: youth, aged, special needs.

① <https://accfnsw.org/community-project-grant/>



## Community Road Safety Grants

<b>Provider</b> Transport for NSW	<b>Description</b> <i>Helps community groups across NSW to develop small-scale, local projects that aim to increase road safety awareness in local communities and promote safer behaviours on our roads.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$30,000	
<b>Closes</b> 15 September 2025	① <a href="https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/roadsafety/community/community-grants">https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/roadsafety/community/community-grants</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Not-for-profits	

## Community Sponsorship

<b>Provider</b> Squadron Energy	<b>Description</b> <i>Provides funding or in-kind support to community organisations and/or community-based activities, events, initiatives and projects. Sponsorship decisions are discretionary, however priority will be given to those organisations and events within the local area in which Squadron Energy is developing, constructing or operating projects.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Unspecified	
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	① <a href="http://www.squadronenergy.com/community">www.squadronenergy.com/community</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Various	

## Community Sponsorship and Grants Program

<b>Provider</b> AVID Property Group	<b>Description</b> <i>AVID's Community Sponsorship and Grants Program is divided into three categories: Build, Connect, Activate. The program offers a range of grants, each designed to help communities prosper, with a focus on promoting local growth and regional sustainability.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Unspecified	
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	① <a href="http://www.avid.com.au/community-sponsorship-and-grants-program-application-guidelines/">www.avid.com.au/community-sponsorship-and-grants-program-application-guidelines/</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Community organisations	

## Disaster Recovery Quick Response Grants

<b>Provider</b> Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation	<b>Description</b> <i>Assists any Indigenous corporation whose property has been directly affected by a declared natural disaster, such as a flood, bushfire, or cyclone. Indigenous corporations (incorporated) may be eligible for assistance through the program if: their property is within a State or Territory declared natural disaster area; or they require immediate assistance to make their property safe to access. The funding can be used for immediate clean up your property, work to make your property safe and purchase plant and equipment to assist with recovery efforts.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Up to \$20,000	
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	① <a href="http://www.ilsc.gov.au/what-we-do/disaster-recovery-quick-response-grants/">www.ilsc.gov.au/what-we-do/disaster-recovery-quick-response-grants/</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Indigenous corporations	



## EpicPromise Grants

**Provider**  
Perisher

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*Focuses on support for youth programs and environmental initiatives that impact local communities in the Snowy Mountains. This includes Perisher Valley, Smiggin Holes, Guthega, Jindabyne, Berridale, Dalgety and Cooma.*

① [www.perisher.com.au/resort-info/epicpromise/epicpromise-grants](http://www.perisher.com.au/resort-info/epicpromise/epicpromise-grants)

## ETREA Foundation Grants

**Provider**  
ETREA Foundation

**Amount**  
\$2,000 to \$10,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
NGO and community groups

### Description

*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.*

① [www.etrea.com.au/apply-for-a-grant/](http://www.etrea.com.au/apply-for-a-grant/)

## Eurobodalla Rates Assistance Donation

**Provider**  
Eurobodalla Shire Council

**Amount**  
Rates discount

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Community organisations

### Description

*Each year funds are provided to a number of community groups to partially subsidise the annual rates and charges showing on the rates notice for some registered charities and not-for-profit sporting, social and cultural organisations providing community services or benefits.*

*The Rates Assistance Donation is a four yearly donation aligning with the Council term. Once your application is approved in the first year, you do not need to apply again for the remaining three years of the Council term. However, applications will open each year for new entities to obtain the donation and would be for the remaining term of Council. New applications would be required at the beginning of each new Council term.*

① [www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/rates-assistance-donation](http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/rates-assistance-donation)

## Felton Industries Outdoor Furniture Grants Program

**Provider**  
Felton Industries

**Amount**  
\$10,000 furniture

**Closes**  
12 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools and community groups

### Description

*You can apply for one-off grants of up to \$10,000 to be used on Felton outdoor furniture. This is the perfect opportunity to transform your outdoor area, turning empty spaces into meeting places. Whether your outdoor spaces are in need of sun-safe shelters, tables and chairs for outdoor lunch or learning, a grandstand for your oval or bench seating for footpaths and courtyards, our new grant opportunity can assist.*

① <https://felton.net.au/felton-industries-grant/>



## Expansion Grants

**Provider**  
Financial Counselling  
Industry Fund

**Amount**  
Up to \$156,000 over 3  
years

**Closes**  
29 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Financial counselling  
services

### Description

*Funding additional financial counselling service delivery in areas of high disadvantage and high unmet demand for services. The grants fund activities that help to reduce wait times and, along with other funding bodies, enable financial counselling service providers to better meet the demand for financial counselling services now, and in the future.*

① [www.fcif.org.au/2025-expansion-grants](http://www.fcif.org.au/2025-expansion-grants)

## Financial Assistance for Community Events, Projects and Representation

**Provider**  
Goulburn Mulwaree  
Council

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals and groups in  
Goulburn Mulwaree

### Description

*Financial contribution to assist with the cost of a community event and/or project or to assist individuals/groups representing their community. Funding under this stream may be in the form of financial contribution/sponsorship, in-kind support or up to 50% fee waiver of Council venue hire. Requests for financial assistance can be made at any time during the financial year and must be made in writing using a completed application form.*

① [www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance](http://www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance)



*A big thumbs up for the new female changerooms at Seiffert Oval! Thanks to funding from the NSW Government and delivery by Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council, these new facilities are a fantastic addition to Seiffert Oval – providing a safe, comfortable space for women and girls to change, connect, and participate in local sport.*



## Good360 Membership Program

**Provider**  
Good360

**Amount**  
Donation of goods

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Charities and schools

### Description

Good360 provides you access to the goods you need when you need them, saving you time and precious budget, so you can focus on helping your community. As a member of Good360 you will be able to select brand new goods you need for your program services, which have been donated by leading Australian brands and retailers. Products include nappies and toys for domestic violence shelters, notebooks for schools, clothing and toiletries for residential centres, make-up for teens and women experiencing hardship and much more. Best of all, because it's spare stock, the goods are free, you just pay a small shipping and handling cost.

① <https://good360.org.au/get-the-goods/>

## Google Ad Grants

**Provider**  
Google

**Amount**  
Up to \$13,000 per month

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Not-for-profit charities.  
Exceptions.

### Description

Google will help eligible organisations increase their online presence by enhancing Google search results. Organisations must have a current charity status and apply online.

① [www.google.com.au/grants/](http://www.google.com.au/grants/)



Thank you to the Queenbeyan District Girl Guides for visiting my workplace at Parliament House. I was so impressed by your thoughtful questions and genuine interest in our democracy — our future is in safe hands!



## Goulburn Mulwaree Award

### Provider

Goulburn Mulwaree Council

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Individuals

### Description

*This local award is designed to recognise outstanding service or meritorious achievement by individuals to the community of the Goulburn Mulwaree Local Government area. Anyone can nominate someone to be recognised and nominations can be submitted throughout the year. Announcements and presentations of this award will be held in conjunction with the Lilac Festival held annually on the October long weekend.*

① [www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Community/Goulburn-Mulwaree-Award](http://www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Community/Goulburn-Mulwaree-Award)



## Grassroots Cricket Fund

### Provider

Cricket Australia

### Amount

Up to \$3,000

### Closes

14 September 2024

### Who is it for?

Community Groups,  
Sporting Clubs and  
Businesses

### Description

*Each season, the Grassroots Cricket Fund (GCF) will fund specific priority areas in grassroots cricket. This season, the GCF's focus is on empowering community clubs and indoor cricket centres to promote themselves in their communities, create quality experiences for their members through contingency plans and succession strategies and upskilling administrators and volunteers. Consequently, grants will now be targeted towards implementing programs that maximise impact in this area.*

① [www.community.cricket.com.au/clubs/running-your-club/grants-and-fundraising/grassroots-cricket-fund](http://www.community.cricket.com.au/clubs/running-your-club/grants-and-fundraising/grassroots-cricket-fund)



## Growing Cricket for Girls Fund



### Provider

Cricket Australia and  
Commonwealth Bank

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Sporting clubs

### Description

*Supports the nurturing and growth of girls' participation in cricket at community clubs across the country.*

① [www.cricket.com.au/social-impact-and-sustainability/diversity-and-inclusion/women-and-girls](http://www.cricket.com.au/social-impact-and-sustainability/diversity-and-inclusion/women-and-girls)

## Harcourts Foundation Grants

### Provider

Harcourts Foundation

### Amount

Project specific

### Closes

3 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Charities and community  
organisations

### Description

*Grant funding for small to large scale organisations to support their communities. Applications must be for a specific event, project or initiative. Priority is given to projects that have the widest community impact.*

① <https://harcourtsfoundation.org/australia/>



## HV McKay Charitable Trust

### Provider

HV McKay Charitable Trust

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

Projects that meet needs

### Description

*Funds: the relief of poverty; the advancement of education; the advancement of religion in accordance with the tenets of the Presbyterian church; and the general benefit of the community not falling under any of the preceding headings.*

① [www.hvmckaytrust.org.au](http://www.hvmckaytrust.org.au)

## IMB Bank Sponsorships

### Provider

IMB Bank Community Foundation

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

*Provides sponsorship for events or activities that are beneficial to the local community.*

① [www.imb.com.au/sponsorships-applying-for-sponsorship.html](http://www.imb.com.au/sponsorships-applying-for-sponsorship.html)



*The upgraded Bermagui Indoor Sports Stadium was officially opened recently thanks to more than \$1 million from the Bushfire Local Economic Recovery Fund. Thanks to the Bermagui Indoor Stadium Committee, the Bega Valley Shire Council, local sporting groups, and community volunteers for delivering a modern, inclusive venue to support the whole community for years to come.*



## Infrastructure Grants – Clubgrants Category 3

### Provider

Office of Responsible  
Gaming NSW

### Amount

\$50,000 to \$250,000

### Closes

15 December 2025

### Who is it for?

Organisations, schools  
and local councils

### Description

*The objective of the Clubgrants Category 3 Infrastructure Grants program is to fund the costs of construction, alteration, renovation, completion and fit-out of buildings and community infrastructure to deliver outcomes for disadvantaged NSW communities including regional, remote and drought-affected areas, culturally and linguistically diverse, disability and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and disaster-affected communities.*

*There are a number of streams including:*

**Funding to support disaster readiness infrastructure** such as evacuation centres, capital equipment or a multipurpose community facility.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-ready](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-ready)

**Funding to support sport and recreation infrastructure** such as sports centres, playgrounds and swimming pools.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-sport](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure-sport)

**Funding to support community infrastructure** such as a multipurpose community hub or a service for an eligible community group.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/clubgrants-category-3-fund/clubgrants-infrastructure)

## Inger Rice Foundation Grants

### Provider

Inger Rice Foundation

### Amount

Up to \$7,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Organisations supporting  
Families and Carers

### Description

*The Foundation provides funding to Australian charities and not-for-profit organisations whose programs support relationships between young children and their families or carers. The Foundation also provides funding to prenatal programs.*

① [www.ingerricefoundation.org/](http://www.ingerricefoundation.org/)

## Insignia Community Grants Program

### Provider

Insignia Financial

### Amount

\$10,000 to \$300,000

### Closes

30 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Charities

### Description

*The Insignia Community Foundation partners with Australian not-for-profit organisations to help create financial wellbeing for people who have limited access to opportunities. The foundation look for impactful programs addressing and relieving a specific need of people in the community, and look to ensure people who participate in the program will leave the program in a better way. People usually supported through our grants are low-income families, at-risk young people and those who are experiencing inequalities.*

① [www.insigniafinancial.com.au/corporate-responsibility/community/foundation](http://www.insigniafinancial.com.au/corporate-responsibility/community/foundation)



## Mayor's Discretionary Fund

### Provider

Goulburn Mulwaree Council

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Community groups in Goulburn Mulwaree

### Description

Financial assistance available at the discretion of the Mayor and Deputy Mayor to assist with small projects and community initiatives. Requests for financial assistance can be made at any time during the financial year and must be made in writing using a completed application form.

① [www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance](http://www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance)

## Mazda Foundation Grants

### Provider

Mazda Foundation

### Amount

N/A

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals and organisations that share the Foundations goals.

### Description

Aims to provide financial aid for community advancement, such as the improvement of education and employment skills, development of technology and the protection of the environment. The current focus is funding community based organisations with projects supporting primary producers facing hardship; and programs addressing literacy and numeracy issues amongst primary school aged children, especially remedial programs for children from disadvantaged areas.

① <https://mazdafoundation.org.au/obtaining-funding>

## Microsoft for Nonprofits

### Provider

Microsoft

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Not for profit organisations

### Description

Provides grants and discounts across Microsoft cloud products, including Azure, Dynamics 365, Microsoft 365, and more.

① [www.microsoft.com/en-us/nonprofits/offers-for-nonprofits?rtc=1](http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/nonprofits/offers-for-nonprofits?rtc=1)



## National (Tennis) Court Rebate

### Provider

Tennis Australia

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Tennis venues, councils and schools

### Description

The National Court Rebate (NCR) is Tennis Australia's facility funding program assisting affiliated venues, local councils and schools to create positive environments for the long-term success of tennis in Australia. Projects supported by the program range from developing new courts, upgrading existing facilities, building or line-marking Tennis Hot Shots courts, Tennis Australia's Book a Court with integrated gate access technology, major projects and strategy & planning.

① [www.tennis.com.au/clubs/funding-and-facilities/national-court-rebate-scheme](http://www.tennis.com.au/clubs/funding-and-facilities/national-court-rebate-scheme)



## NAB Foundation Community Grants

**Provider**  
NAB Foundation

**Amount**  
Up to \$25,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

The NAB Foundation Community Grants program provides funding of up to \$25,000 for local projects that help communities withstand and recover from natural disasters. The program awards \$1 million in Community Grants each year, with additional \$200,000 available in Impact Grants, for projects with big potential. These Impact Grants provide a further \$25,000 to recipients to maximise the impact they have on their communities. NAB Foundation Community Grants support community-led projects that relate to: Training and planning, Community Recovery, Environment and wildlife, Equipment and Infrastructure.

① [www.nab.com.au/about-us/sustainability/nab-foundation/community-grants](http://www.nab.com.au/about-us/sustainability/nab-foundation/community-grants)

## National Infrastructure Development Fund

**Provider**  
Karting Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$140,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Karting organisations

### Description

Offers financial support to members of the Karting Australia to enable collaboration between clubs and local stakeholders for the enhancement of karting facilities and the promotion of greater participation in karting throughout Australia.

① [www.karting.net.au/karting-australia/national-infrastructure-development-fund](http://www.karting.net.au/karting-australia/national-infrastructure-development-fund)

## National Schools Grants Program

**Provider**  
AFL Schools

**Amount**  
See guidelines

**Closes**  
14 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools

### Description

Schools can apply for grants for:

- CRT Cover to allow teachers to either attend an AFL Professional Learning session, or attend an AFL School Competition day.
- Guernseys for school teams.
- Event attendance support for teams participating in competition or event days.
- Goal post padding for school oval goal posts.
- 'AFL Starter' Equipment pack.

① <https://www.play.afl/schools/grants/>

## Natural Disaster Relief Loans

**Provider**  
Rural Assistance  
Authority

**Amount**  
Up to \$130,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Primary producers, small  
businesses and non-profit  
organisations

### Description

Primary producers, small business operators and non-profit organisations in disaster declared local government areas (LGAs) may apply for a concessional loan to support rapid recovery.

① [www.raa.nsw.gov.au/loans/natural-disaster-relief-loans](http://www.raa.nsw.gov.au/loans/natural-disaster-relief-loans)





## NSWALC Community Fund Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Aboriginal Land  
Council

**Amount**  
Up to \$150,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Local Aboriginal Land  
Councils

### Description

*Eligible LALCs can apply for a grant for land acquisition – where all other avenues for funding have been exhausted; land management where the LALC has a legal interest; and projects which demonstrate clear community outcomes.*

① <https://alc.org.au/community-fund/>



## Our Mob Our Media Our Message - Gambling Harm Prevention Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Office of  
Responsible Gaming

**Amount**  
Up to \$150,000

**Closes**  
20 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Aboriginal organisations

### Description

*Funding to support the creation of culturally relevant social media content about gambling harm, developed in partnership with young Aboriginal people.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/our-mob-our-media-our-message-gambling-harm-prevention-grants](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/our-mob-our-media-our-message-gambling-harm-prevention-grants)

## Petstock Foundation Grant Program

**Provider**  
Petstock

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Grassroots organisations

### Description

*These grants are for organisations or projects that create long-term change and care for or help rehabilitate those in need (whether that's people, animals or the planet!). They support projects that:*

- *assist abused, abandoned and neglected pets through rescue, rehabilitation and/or rehoming initiatives*
- *will support those who require assistance within our communities through companion animal projects and disaster assistance*
- *will help raise awareness about rescue pets, animal health and the impact of animals on human happiness and health.*

① [www.petstock.com.au/pages/foundation-grant-program](http://www.petstock.com.au/pages/foundation-grant-program)



## Pride Foundation Australia Large Grants

**Provider**  
Pride Foundation  
Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$20,000

**Closes**  
29 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*Supporting LGBTQIA+ people living in regional and rural areas of Australia. A total funding pool of \$100,000, has a focus on building and supporting LGBTQIA+ inclusive rural and regional health services and their partnerships to organisations with significant expertise in LGBTQIA+ health and inclusion. Grant applications should be to the value of up to \$20,000 over two years (if applicable).*

① <https://pridefoundation.org.au/large-grants/>



## Qantas Regional Grants Program

### Provider

**Qantas**

### Amount

**Unspecified**

### Closes

**10 May 2026**

### Who is it for?

**Individuals or organisations**

### Description

*Supports Australian based not-for-profit community groups and projects which benefit regional areas. The grants include a combination of flights, cash and marketing support, and will be determined by a panel made up of Qantas management and community group representatives.*

① [www.qantas.com/au/en/about-us/our-company/in-the-community/qantas-regional-grants.html](http://www.qantas.com/au/en/about-us/our-company/in-the-community/qantas-regional-grants.html)

## RAS Foundation Community Futures Grant

### Provider

**Royal Agricultural Society of NSW Foundation**

### Amount

**Up to \$25,000**

### Closes

**Not specified**

### Who is it for?

**Organisations and individuals**

### Description

*The RASF invites ideas that deliver strong community benefits and result in enhanced economic and social outcomes for your community. Projects that involve collaboration between people in your town and deliver sustained and broad community benefit will be highly regarded. Applicants will be passionate about rural and regional NSW, and have a good understanding of issues affecting their community.*

① [www.rasnsw.com.au/foundation/grants/ras-foundation-community-futures-grant/](http://www.rasnsw.com.au/foundation/grants/ras-foundation-community-futures-grant/)

## Real Futures Grant

### Provider

**Real Insurance**

### Amount

**\$5,000**

### Closes

**31 October 2025**

### Who is it for?

**University students**

### Description

*Encourages the best people into the healthcare, business and finance industries by providing a \$5000 to one individual.*

① <https://www.realinsurance.com.au/real-futures-grant>

## Reddit Community Funds

### Provider

**Reddit**

### Amount

**\$1,000 to \$50,000**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Individuals**

### Description

*Community Funds is a Reddit program that was launched to provide financial support for community projects and events that help make Reddit a better community for everyone.*

① [https://mods.reddithelp.com/hc/en-us/articles/4959902393741-Community-Funds#h\\_01G6TQF7CQX1JJYJ7DPAJBORF](https://mods.reddithelp.com/hc/en-us/articles/4959902393741-Community-Funds#h_01G6TQF7CQX1JJYJ7DPAJBORF)



## Reduction or Waiver of Council Fees & Charges

### Provider

Goulburn Mulwaree  
Council

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Community groups in  
Goulburn Mulwaree

### Description

*Consistent and equitable assessment of requests for the reduction or waiver of Council fees and charges for the use of Council facilities and/or services provided by Council. It is highly recommended that applicants read the Financial Assistance & Reduction or Waiver of Council Fees & Charges Policy prior to submitting an application.*

① [www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance](http://www.goulburn.nsw.gov.au/Council/Grants-Financial-Assistance)

## Regional Precincts and Partnerships Program

### Provider

Department of  
Infrastructure, Transport,  
Regional Development,  
Communications, Sport  
and the Arts

### Amount

\$50,000 to \$50 million

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Government, business  
and community

### Description

*The rPPP focuses on a partnership approach, bringing together governments, businesses and communities to deliver multi-purpose precincts that are place-based, tailored to local needs and positioned around a shared vision, need or theme.*

*The rPPP supports both precinct development proposals and the delivery of construction-ready precinct projects.*

*Stream One: Precinct development and planning project funding of between \$500,000 to \$5 million is available to activate partnerships and deliver an investment-ready precinct plan.*

*Stream Two: Precinct delivery project funding of \$5 million to \$50 million is available to help deliver one or more elements of a precinct. This could include enabling infrastructure (roads, pathways, underground infrastructure), open spaces between elements, or a particular building/s that is the catalyst for, or complements, other investments within a precinct.*

① [www.infrastructure.gov.au/territories-regions/regional-australia/regional-and-community-programs/regional-precincts-and-partnerships-program](http://www.infrastructure.gov.au/territories-regions/regional-australia/regional-and-community-programs/regional-precincts-and-partnerships-program)

*See also the urban Precinct Development and Planning Program.*

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/urban-precincts-and-partnerships-program-stream-1-precinct-development-and-planning>

## Return and Earn Fundraising

### Provider

Return and Earn

### Amount

10 cents per container  
recycled

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Schools, sports clubs,  
charities or community  
groups

### Description

*Return and Earn is set up with two methods to fundraise. You can either partner with the scheme or collect containers and refunds. You can choose either or both methods.*

*Partner with Return and Earn to receive refunds directly from people recycling their drink containers at any Return and Earn machine or depot. Schools, sports clubs, charities or community groups can be featured on the Return and Earn app.*

*Once set up, simply encourage your supporters, your community and everyone else in your network to begin collecting eligible containers and donate some or all of their drink container refunds to support you when they return and earn. It's that simple. You can also organise collections of eligible containers and then return them for a refund of 10c each.*

① <https://returnandearn.org.au/fundraising/>





## Sail Our Way Participation Grant Program



**Provider**  
She Sails

**Amount**  
\$1,500

**Closes**  
9 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Sailing clubs and associations

### Description

The Sail Our Way Participation Grant Program, an initiative of Australian Sailing and funded through a successful grant from the Department of Health and Aged Care, aims to change that – supporting clubs and class associations to create safe, inclusive and welcoming environments where women and girls can thrive in sailing. Sailing clubs and class associations can apply for up to \$1,500 (ex GST) to run projects that increase participation, boost representation in leadership and coaching roles, and help foster a club culture that values and respects women and girls from all backgrounds.

① [www.shesails.org.au/resources/sail-our-way-grant](http://www.shesails.org.au/resources/sail-our-way-grant)

## Saluting Their Service Commemorative Grants Program

**Provider**  
Department of Veterans' Affairs

**Amount**  
Up to \$10,000 &  
\$10,000 to \$150,000

**Closes**  
5 February 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Open

### Description

The program is designed to preserve Australia's wartime heritage; involve people around the country in a wide range of projects and activities that highlight the service and sacrifice of Australia's service personnel in wars, conflicts and peace operations; and promote appreciation and understanding of the experiences of service and the roles that those who served have played in shaping the nation.

- **Community Grants** are to a maximum of \$10,000 are available for local, community-based projects and activities.
- **Major Grants** between \$10,001 and \$150,000 are available for major commemorative projects and activities that are significant from a national, state, territory and/or regional perspective.

① [www.dva.gov.au/about-us/grants-and-bursaries/community-grants-hub/saluting-their-service-commemorative-grants-program](http://www.dva.gov.au/about-us/grants-and-bursaries/community-grants-hub/saluting-their-service-commemorative-grants-program)

## SBS Community Service Announcement

**Provider**  
SBS

**Amount**  
Airtime

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Charities and community organisations

### Description

SBS allocates free airtime to Australian charities, community organisations and other relevant entities to promote services or events of a social, cultural, welfare, educational or beneficial nature aligned to the SBS Charter.

① <https://www.sbs.com.au/aboutus/in-the-community/community-service-announcements/>



## Scanlon Foundation Grants

**Provider**  
Scanlon Foundation

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Organisations

### Description

The Scanlon Foundation provides support to organisations working to improve Australia's social cohesion in areas where there is the greatest need. Using a research-based approach, it responds to opportunities and supports local communities through different grant types – from small, pace-based projects to larger scale initiatives that aim to influence systems and institutions.

① <https://scanlonfoundation.org.au/grants/>



## Silvan Community Sponsorship Program

**Provider**  
Silvan

**Amount**  
\$500

**Closes**  
31 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Rural and local  
community based  
sporting clubs

### Description

*Silvan are offering local sporting clubs the chance to apply for a one time cash grant to go towards the operation of club-based events, activities, projects, and equipment.*

① [www.silvan.com.au/community-sponsorship-program/](http://www.silvan.com.au/community-sponsorship-program/)

## SilverChef Community Grants Program

**Provider**  
SilverChef

**Amount**  
\$5,000

**Closes**  
30 June 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Community organisations

### Description

*The SilverChef Community Grants Program is open to eligible Australian community groups that use hospitality or food services to help disadvantaged or under-served members of their local community.*

① [www.silverchef.com.au/pages/community-grants](http://www.silverchef.com.au/pages/community-grants)



## Small Community Grants Program

**Provider**  
NSW Aboriginal Land  
Council

**Amount**  
\$1,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Community members and  
community organisations

### Description

*NSWALC will make small grants available to community members and community organisations in each NSWALC region for the following purposes: To assist Aboriginal people to participate in arts, crafts, and sporting activities; To encourage participation in and the maintenance of contemporary and traditional cultural life of the Aboriginal community; For promoting understanding of and respect for Aboriginal culture; For supporting personal development opportunities for Aboriginal people; and For supporting the health and wellbeing of Aboriginal peoples in NSW.*

① <https://alc.org.au/scg/>



## Small Grants

**Provider**  
Pride Foundation

**Amount**  
\$1,000

**Closes**  
17 November 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The Small Grants program supports projects proposed by individuals and or organisations and or communities who would otherwise be limited by the constraints of other funding programs. The project needs to directly or indirectly assist, involve and benefit LGBTQIA+ people and promote positive social outcomes and mental health in the community.*

① <https://pridefoundation.org.au/small-grants/>



## Social Enterprise Capability Building Grants

### Provider

Impact Investing  
Australia

### Amount

Up to \$120,000

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Social enterprises

### Description

*Social Enterprise Development Initiative (SEDI) Grants help social enterprises, including trading Indigenous owned or controlled organisations with a defined social benefit, grow their business, scale their impact and further their missions of creating positive social change. The grants, valued at up to \$120,000 each, are targeted towards supporting social enterprises to be more effective and efficient in demonstrating and increasing social impact for the people and communities they exist to support.*

① <https://impactinvestingaustralia.com/looking-for-funding-or-investors/>

## Splash Foundation Grant

### Provider

Narellan Pools

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

30 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Community organisations

### Description

*The Splash Foundation offers a fibreglass swimming pool grant that covers the cost of installation, including all necessary council requirements, for an in-ground swimming pool for an Australian community group. This program aims to provide access to swimming facilities, encouraging physical activity, social interaction, and overall well-being.*

① <https://narellanpools.com.au/the-splash-foundation/>



## Straptor Sponsor / Partnership Program

### Provider

Straptor

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Sports clubs and  
individual athletes

### Description

*Straptor offer sponsorship and partnership opportunities exclusively for sporting clubs and athletes who share their commitment to sports and health.*

① [www.straptor.com.au/pages/sponsor-program](http://www.straptor.com.au/pages/sponsor-program)

## Strengthening Rural Communities – Small & Vital

### Provider

FRRR

### Amount

Up to \$10,000

### Closes

17 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Non-Government,  
Community Groups,  
Health and Sporting  
Clubs

### Description

*The Strengthening Rural Communities (SRC) Small & Vital stream gives small remote, rural and regional communities across Australia the opportunity to access funds for a broad range of initiatives that directly and clearly benefit local communities.*

① <https://frrr.org.au/funding/place/strengthening-rural-communities/>



## Strengthening Rural Communities – Prepare & Recover

**Provider**  
FRRR

**Amount**  
Up to \$25,000

**Closes**  
17 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Non-Government,  
Education, Health and  
Community Groups

### Description

*Supports communities in remote, rural and regional communities across Australia to implement initiatives that prevent and prepare for future climate related impacts, or recover from existing disasters through the medium to long term process.*

① <https://frrr.org.au/funding/place/src-prepare-recover/>



## Stronger Together Project Grants

**Provider**  
Multicultural NSW

**Amount**  
\$20,000 to \$50,000

**Closes**  
15 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Multicultural and  
multifaith community  
groups

### Description

*The Multicultural NSW Stronger Together Grants Program aims to support multicultural projects across NSW. They invest in community projects and activities that foster community harmony and celebrate cultural diversity as a precious part of our identity and way of life. The program funds projects that can make a lasting positive impact on social cohesion and meet a community need at the grassroots level.*

① <https://multicultural.nsw.gov.au/project-grants/>



*Great to catch up with Warwick Brown from the Goulburn & Districts Cricket Association to hear about the Club's progress and exciting plans for the future! Local sport plays a vital role in bringing our communities together, and it's fantastic to see the vision driving cricket in the region. Looking forward to seeing what's next for the Club!*



## Supercheap Auto Club Development Fund

**Provider**  
Motorsport Australia &  
Supercheap Auto

**Amount**  
Up to \$1,500

**Closes**  
31 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Car clubs

### Description

Motorsport Australia, in partnership with Supercheap Auto, is proud to be able to offer to its Affiliated Sporting and Enthusiast Car Clubs the opportunity to obtain funding under the Supercheap Auto Club Development Fund. Clubs are encouraged to submit applications for initiatives and events that positively contribute towards Diversity and Inclusion in the sport, helping grow both club membership numbers and participants in the sport more broadly.

① <https://motorsport.org.au/clubs/developmentfund>

## Transport Access Regional Partnerships (TARP) Grants

**Provider**  
Transport NSW

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
See website

**Who is it for?**  
Community groups

### Description

The Transport Access Regional Partnerships (TARP) Grants Program has small scale funding available to support initiatives to improve services and outcomes for sections of the community that need improved transport. TARP provides funding for people who are affected by specific circumstances that leave them with limited or no access to private transport. The program supports initiatives to improve services and outcomes for transport disadvantaged groups in rural and regional community.

① [www.transport.nsw.gov.au/operations/community-transport-operators/transport-access-regional-partnerships-tarp-grants-program](http://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/operations/community-transport-operators/transport-access-regional-partnerships-tarp-grants-program)

## Unity Mining Sponsorship Fund

**Provider**  
Unity Mining

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Community groups and  
organisations

### Description

Unity Mining Sponsorship Program is aimed at providing funding for projects that deliver tangible community benefits in communities close to their mining activities such as **Majors Creek**. Sponsorships may include financial and/or in-kind support such as the contribution or transfer of skills, expertise and knowledge.

① <https://unitymining.com.au/community-relations/sponsorships/>

## Universal Charitable Fund Grants

**Provider**  
Universal Charitable Fund  
(UCF)

**Amount**  
Up to \$3,000

**Closes**  
17 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Charities

### Description

Makes grants to small and medium-sized Australian charities making a big difference in the lives of people in need both in Australia and overseas. Its focus is on community projects that positively contribute to the alleviation of poverty, disadvantage, marginalisation and distress while building both individual and community capacity. They only make grants to Australian registered charities with ATO Deductible Gift Recipient status.

① <https://communityfoundation.org.au/grant-rounds/universal-charitable-fund-grant-round/>



## Veolia Mulwaree Trust Grants and Donations Program

### Provider

Veolia Mulwaree Trust

### Amount

Up to \$1,000 and over \$1,000

### Closes

24 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Community groups

### Description

Two funding programs are available:

- donation program for small community based projects, valued at \$1,000 and under
- a grant program, for projects valued at over \$1,000.

Grant applications may cover a wide range of projects undertaken by not-for-profit community organisations. In Eden Monaro, this grant is available to organisations in the Goulburn Mulwaree Council and former Palerang Council areas. The Trust's funding is provided by Veolia Australia and New Zealand which operates the Woodlawn Eco-Precinct near Tarago in Southern NSW.

① [www.anz.veolia.com/about-us/corporate-social-responsibility/veolia-mulwaree-trust/funding-grants](http://www.anz.veolia.com/about-us/corporate-social-responsibility/veolia-mulwaree-trust/funding-grants)

## Virgin Australia Sponsorship

### Provider

Virgin Australia

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Always Open

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

Invests in partnerships with organisations who align with Virgin Australia's purpose, values, policies and who make a significant contribution to their community.

① [www.virginaustralia.com/au/en/about-us/sponsorship/](http://www.virginaustralia.com/au/en/about-us/sponsorship/)

## Zakat Foundation Funding

### Provider

Zakat Foundation

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Muslim community

### Description

The fund aims to utilise Zakat funds and voluntary donations collected in Australia for the benefit of local Muslim community. Programs include a range of community welfare, emergency relief and education programs.

① [www.nzf.org.au/programs/](http://www.nzf.org.au/programs/)





## Aids, Appliances and Home Modifications

### Provider

**Department of Veterans' Affairs**

### Amount

**N/A**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Veterans who are are a Gold or White Card holder**

### Description

*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.*

① [www.dva.gov.au/get-support/providers/programs-services/rehabilitation-program-providers/rehabilitation-appliances-program-rap](http://www.dva.gov.au/get-support/providers/programs-services/rehabilitation-program-providers/rehabilitation-appliances-program-rap)

## Deaf Connect Grants and Sponsorships

### Provider

**Deaf Connect**

### Amount

**Not specified**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Individuals**

### Description

*Supports Deaf, Deafblind, and hard of hearing Australians and activities and organisations that benefit the community.*

① <https://deafconnect.org.au/get-involved/grants-sponsorships>

## Deafness Foundation Grants

### Provider

**Deafness Foundation**

### Amount

**See guidelines**

### Closes

**31 October 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Organisations**

### Description

*Supports the deaf and hearing impaired community through research, prevention, education, early detection or technology. Deafness Foundation is currently inviting applications from organisations across Australia for funding for projects that support the deaf and hard of hearing and which address one of the Deafness Foundation's Strategic Priorities.*

① [www.deafness.org.au/grant-programs](http://www.deafness.org.au/grant-programs)



## Disability and Inclusion Program – Various Programs

### Provider

NSW Department of Education

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

HGO, Community groups, education

### Description

The Disability and Inclusion Program provides funding and support to enable children with disability or additional needs in not-for-profit community preschools to participate in a quality early childhood education program on the same basis as their peers.

The program includes funding streams for:

- High Learning Support Needs to develop and deliver each child's Individual Learning Plan (ILP)
- Inclusive Environments for minor environment adjustments and specialised educational equipment/furniture
- Sector Capacity Building Program a training and support program for preschool staff
- Early Childhood Inclusive Education Scholarships

① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/early-childhood-education/operating-an-early-childhood-education-service/grants-and-funded-programs/disability-and-inclusion-program>

## Disability Leadership Scholarships

### Provider

Social Impact Hub

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Individuals who are living with disabilities

### Description

This capability-building scholarship program aimed at empowering individuals with moderate to severe disability by providing access to mainstream leadership programs internationally and here in Australia. Through six fully-funded scholarships, the hub provide pathways for people with disability to gain the leadership skills, education, and confidence to serve on Boards in the for-purpose sector. The scholarship covers tuition fees, additional course costs, and any additional accessibility resources the institution is not able to provide.

① [www.socialimpacthub.org/pwd-scholarships-opportunity](http://www.socialimpacthub.org/pwd-scholarships-opportunity)







## Dylan Alcott Foundation Grant

### Provider

**Dylan Alcott Foundation**

### Amount

**Not specified**

### Closes

**Not specified**

### Who is it for?

**Individuals**

### Description

*The Dylan Alcott Foundation is committed to helping young Australians with disabilities overcome the barriers of entry to sport and education by providing fundraising for grants, scholarships and mentoring.*

① <https://dylanalcottfoundation.com.au/grant-application/>



## Frank Hall-Bentick Education Fund

### Provider

**Frank Hall-Bentick Education Fund**

### Amount

**Up to \$2,500**

### Closes

**31 December 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Education providers and Individuals**

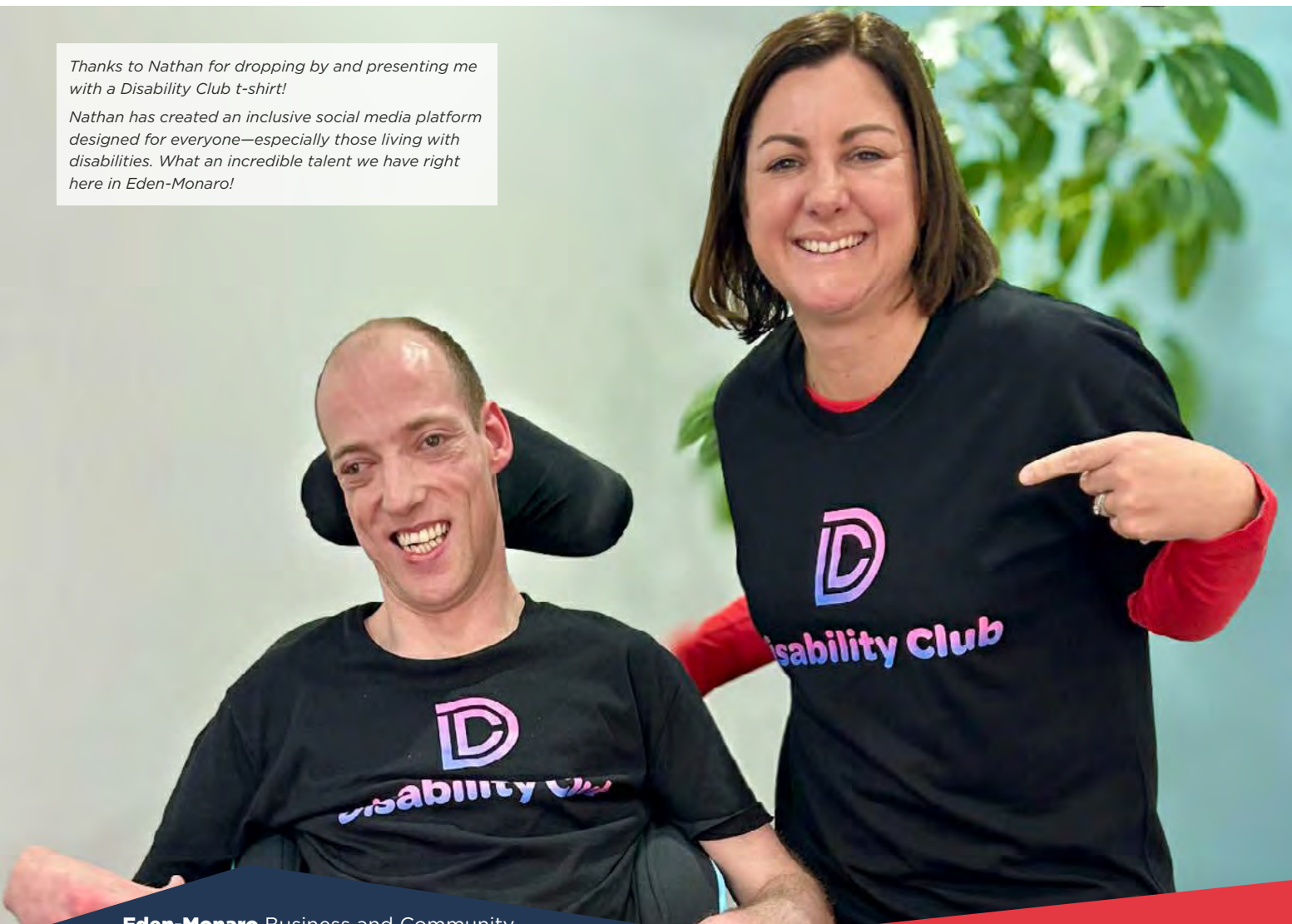
### Description

*Assists indigenous and non-indigenous people with disability to participate in both formal and informal education programs through small financial grants.*

① <https://fhbef.org/>

*Thanks to Nathan for dropping by and presenting me with a Disability Club t-shirt!*

*Nathan has created an inclusive social media platform designed for everyone—especially those living with disabilities. What an incredible talent we have right here in Eden-Monaro!*







## Local Para Champions

**Provider**  
Sport Australia

**Amount**  
\$750 to \$1,000

**Closes**  
31 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals and sports groups

### Description

The Local Para Champions program provides financial assistance for coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-24 participating in state, national or international championships for athletes with a disability.

① [www.sportaus.gov.au/grants\\_and\\_funding/local-para-champions](http://www.sportaus.gov.au/grants_and_funding/local-para-champions)

## Mable Community Grants

**Provider**  
Mable

**Amount**  
\$10,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

Funds projects and organisations that promote independence and inclusion for people with disability and older Australians in the arts, sports and recreation and business and technology initiatives.

① <https://mable.com.au/communitygrants/>

## National Auslan Interpreter Booking and Payment Service (NABS)

**Provider**  
Department of Social Services

**Amount**  
N/A

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Deaf, Deafblind and hard of hearing people

### Description

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). Sign language services to Deaf Indigenous people are provided for both public and private health care appointments. Services include face to face interpreting (onsite) and video remote interpreting (online).

① [www.nabs.org.au/about-nabs.html](http://www.nabs.org.au/about-nabs.html)

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## The Frankie Foundation Grants

**Provider**  
The Frankie Foundation

**Amount**  
Up to \$1,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Families with kids on NDIS plan

### Description

The Frankie Foundation grants to help support kids continue or start therapy if their NDIS plan budget has run out or a therapy or service is not covered by their current NDIS plan. Families can apply for a grant of up to \$1,000 to cover up to 10 therapy sessions for a child ages 2 to 12 years of age and currently on a NDIS plan or waiting plan approval.

① <https://thefrankiefoundation.org/apply-for-a-grant/>



## We Care Therapy Grant

**Provider**  
Variety NSW/ACT

**Amount**  
Up to \$2,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
People under 18 with a disability

### Description

*For children living in NSW or ACT who require therapy for physical or behavioural disability, but cannot access clinicians due to financial hardship or ineligibility for NDIS support. Grants of up to \$2000 are available over a twelve-month period and applications are open all year round. Eligible therapy requests include: Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy, Hydrotherapy, Psychology, Exercise Physiology, Assessments or reports by eligible therapists.*

① <https://www.variety.org.au/nsw/we-care-therapy-grant/>

## We Move Grant

**Provider**  
Variety NSW/ACT

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
People under 18 with a disability

### Description

*Funds specialist disability equipment that is not easily available through statutory services such as the NDIS. This life-changing equipment increases physical development, independence and social inclusion.*

① [www.variety.org.au/nsw/we-move-grant/](http://www.variety.org.au/nsw/we-move-grant/)

## Youngcare – Home Support Grants

**Provider**  
Youngcare

**Amount**  
Up to \$20,000

**Closes**  
See guidelines

**Who is it for?**  
Individulas aged 18-65

### Description

*The Home Support Grants provide essential funding to assist people in moving from inappropriate housing, such as aged care, rehabilitation or hospital, into somewhere more appropriate. This may be back home or to Specialist Disability Accommodation. Funding is available for people, aged 18 to 65, with extreme functional impairment caused by a physical disability. This can be used for essential disability equipment, home modifications, and basic household items such as whitegoods and essential furniture. The grant can fill gaps of NDIS.*

① [www.youngcare.com.au/what-we-do/grants/home-support-grants/](http://www.youngcare.com.au/what-we-do/grants/home-support-grants/)

## Youth Grants

**Provider**  
Deaf Children Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$2,500

**Closes**  
3 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Deaf or hard of hearing young people between the ages of 12 and 23.

### Description

*The purpose of the grants is to assist, inspire and encourage deaf and hard of hearing young people in Australia to realise their potential. Your application needs to illustrate how receiving a Youth Grant will assist in breaking down the barriers you've experienced associated with hearing loss and how you will be a positive role model for future generations of deaf and hard of hearing young people.*

① [www.deafchildrenaustralia.org.au/youth-grants/](http://www.deafchildrenaustralia.org.au/youth-grants/)





## Aurora Study Tour and Scholarships

### Provider

**Aurora Education Foundation**

### Amount

**See opportunity**

### Closes

**Various**

### Who is it for?

**Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and executives**

### Description

*The foundation provide several programs to open pathways for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and executives to further their academic excellence through the Study Tour, the Scholarship Program and Executive Education Scholarships. Aurora Scholars are trailblazing new pathways for Indigenous students and guiding the paths for the next generation.*

① <https://aurorafoundation.com.au/our-work/study-tours-and-scholarships/>

## Australian Academy of Science Awards and Opportunities

### Provider

**Australian Academy of Science**

### Amount

**Various**

### Closes

**Various**

### Who is it for?

**Scientists**

### Description

*Recognises and supports outstanding contributions to the advancement of science. A range of awards and grants are available, including:*

- *Medals and awards to recognise outstanding contributions to the advancement of science at the early, mid and career life-long achievement.*
- *Grants and lectures: the Academy supports scientists to undertake research projects as well as travel and lectures at a national and international level.*
- *Conference funding: the Academy supports research through the sponsorship of research conferences that focus on rapidly developing fields of research.*

① [www.science.org.au/supporting-science/awards-and-opportunities](http://www.science.org.au/supporting-science/awards-and-opportunities)

## Australian Apprenticeships Incentives Program

### Provider

**Department of Education, Skills and Employment**

### Amount

**\$750 to \$4,000**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Employers and apprentices**

### Description

*The Program contains a range of employer incentives and personal benefit payments to Australian Apprentices. The Program links into the industries and occupations traditionally associated with the apprenticeship system. In addition, the Program targets a broad range of traineeships and apprenticeships in new and emerging industries especially where future skills shortages are projected.*

① [www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au/](http://www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au/)



## Australian Literacy Educators' Association Research Grant

**Provider**  
Australian Literacy  
Educators' Association  
(ALEA)

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
15 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools or teachers

### Description

ALEA provides small grants for schools and teachers who wish to conduct research inquiries with a focus on literacy education and with the support of an academic partner.

① [www.alea.edu.au/index.cfm//grantsawards/alea-research-grant/](http://www.alea.edu.au/index.cfm//grantsawards/alea-research-grant/)

## Australian Rural Leadership Foundation Programs

**Provider**  
Australian Rural  
Leadership Foundation

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

Offers purpose-made experiential leadership programs tailored to rural, regional and remote Australia.

① <https://rural-leaders.org.au/>

## Australian Scholarships Foundation

**Provider**  
Australian Scholarships  
Foundation

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Not Specified

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

Provides a wide range of annual scholarships in order to build capability for the not-for-profit sector to thrive

① <https://scholarships.org.au/>

## Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust Scholarships

**Provider**  
Australian Veterans'  
Children Assistance Trust

**Amount**  
Up to \$18,000

**Closes**  
31 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Children and  
grandchildren of Vietnam  
Veterans

### Description

Helps eligible children and grandchildren of Vietnam veterans pay for their tertiary education. AVCAT scholarships include Long Tan Bursaries and sponsored scholarships. Sponsored scholarships are for the children and grandchildren of ex-serving veterans. Long Tan Bursaries are for the children and grandchildren of Vietnam Veterans and are available in each state and territory.

① <https://avcat.org.au/scholarships/>



## Backing the Future Grants NSW

### Provider

Vincent Fairfax Family Foundation

### Amount

\$50,000

### Closes

Opening soon

### Who is it for?

Individuals or groups of individuals

### Description

*Backing the Future awards \$50,000 grants to 20 individuals or groups of individuals whose work supports rural and regional young people aged 12-30 to: access decent work, care for the environment, contribute to society, or explore Christian faith and values. The Foundation are eager to support early-stage work that might not otherwise be eligible for philanthropic funding. Backing the Future does not accept applications from registered charities or organisations.*

① <https://vfff.org.au/backing-the-future/>

## Bert Evans Apprentice Scholarships

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

\$5,000 for each year up to three years

### Closes

19 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Apprentices

### Description

*The Bert Evans Apprentice Scholarships aims to assist NSW apprentices, who are experiencing financial hardship, in successfully completing their trade training. Applications are welcome from apprentices in both metropolitan and regional areas, including school-based apprentices.*

① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/skills-nsw/apprentices-and-trainees/support-with-your-apprenticeship-or-traineeship/bert-evans-apprentice-scholarships>



*I always love it when students from Eden-Monaro visit Parliament House – I had the pleasure of welcoming students from Mumbulla School in Bega!*

*If your school would like to find out how many clocks there are in Parliament House, get in touch with my office – we'd love to help you arrange a visit!*



## Boarding Scholarships for Isolated Students

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
School students

### Description

*Boarding Scholarships for Isolated Students (BSIS) assist eligible students from rural areas who are required to board to attend NSW public specialist high schools – including agricultural boarding schools – or those required to board at a school term hostel to access a NSW public secondary school. Scholarships are available for students in Years 7 to 12 who are disadvantaged by a low family income and geographical isolation.*

① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/rural-and-distance-education/rural-and-remote-education#Scholarships2>

## <25 Braidwood & District Education Foundation

**Provider**  
Country Education  
Foundation of Australia

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Youth in Braidwood  
district

### Description

*The Braidwood & District Education Foundation provides financial assistance and support young people achieve their post high school education, training and vocation aspirations. The Foundation support a diverse range of education and career pursuits including apprenticeships, traineeships, cadetships, degrees, diplomas and certificate level studies or entry careers. They do not provide cash grants directly to the recipients—the local foundation reimburses the student for a pre-agreed expense or pays the goods and services providers directly. Grants are available to local youth who have lived and/or attended school in the Braidwood region for the majority of their high school years.*

① <https://cef.org.au/foundations/braidwood/>

## CAGES Foundation grants - various

**Provider**  
CAGES Foundation

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Aboriginal controlled  
organisations

### Description

*CAGES Foundation is a vehicle to help strengthen the Indigenous early childhood sector, for First Nations' children to grow up healthy, happy and safe in culture and identity. The Foundation supports Aboriginal controlled organisations to promote economic inclusion for First Nation people through a range of programs.*

① <https://cagesfoundation.org/>

## Capital Grants for Non-Government Schools

**Provider**  
Department of Education,  
Skills & Employment

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Non-government schools

### Description

*The Capital Grants Program provides funding to non-government primary and secondary school communities to improve infrastructure, if they do not have enough capital resources.*

① [www.education.gov.au/payments-and-grants-schools/capital-grants-non-government-schools](http://www.education.gov.au/payments-and-grants-schools/capital-grants-non-government-schools)



## CCSP Family Partnerships Excellence Awards

**Provider**  
Catholic School Parents  
Council of NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$10,000

**Closes**  
17 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Catholic Schools

### Description

*These annual grants are offered to NSW/ACT Catholic schools that show exemplary practice in building partnerships between home and school to enhance the learning outcomes of students. The school awarded first place receives \$5000 to continue their partnership-focused initiative.*

① [www.ccsp.catholic.edu.au/awards](http://www.ccsp.catholic.edu.au/awards)

## Commonwealth Prac Payment (Vocational Education and Training) Program

**Provider**  
Department of  
Employment and  
Workplace Relations

**Amount**  
\$331.65 per week

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Diploma of Nursing  
students

### Description

*The CPP (VET) is a grant from the government paid to eligible Diploma of Nursing students in instalments each time they undertake a prac placement during their qualification. When students first apply, they are applying for a grant amount that would cover up to a maximum of 400 mandatory prac placement hours. As of 1 July 2025, eligible students will be able to access \$331.65 per week (benchmarked to the single Austudy rate on 1 January each year).*

① [www.yourcareer.gov.au/commonwealth-prac-payment-vet](http://www.yourcareer.gov.au/commonwealth-prac-payment-vet)

## Community Child Care Fund

**Provider**  
Department of Education

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Child care provider

### Description

*CCCF grants help services address barriers to ECEC participation. They're particularly for disadvantaged, regional and remote communities, and Indigenous communities*

*Grants include: special circumstances grant, disadvantaged and vulnerable communities grant, limited supply grant, and connected beginnings grants for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.*

① [www.education.gov.au/child-care-package/community-child-care-fund](http://www.education.gov.au/child-care-package/community-child-care-fund)

## Community Enterprise Foundation Scholarships

**Provider**  
Bendigo Bank

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Students

### Description

*Helps young Australians reach their academic goals by assisting with the costs of pursuing their education. The Scholarship program is one of the leading privately funded scholarship programs in Australia. It offers a range of options to assist students studying with Secondary or Tertiary studies.*

① <https://cia.communityenterprisefoundation.com.au/Program/Index/2>



## Conference Sponsorship Program

### Provider

Office of the Chief  
Scientist and Engineer

### Amount

Up to \$10,000

### Closes

26 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

The Conference Sponsorship Program aims to encourage groups to meet in NSW to exchange ideas, knowledge and expertise, making a significant contribution for NSW. The Program supports research conferences taking place in 2026 in NSW in areas of relevance to the NSW 20-Year R&D Roadmap.

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/conference-sponsorship-program-round-19-2026](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/conference-sponsorship-program-round-19-2026)

## Cooperative Research Centres Projects

### Provider

Department of Industry,  
Science and Resources

### Amount

\$100,000 to \$3,000,000

### Closes

7 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Business and NFPs

### Description

Cooperative Research Centres Projects (CRC-P) Grants provide funding for short-term research collaborations. This grant supports short-term (up to 3 years), industry-led research collaborations to develop a new technology, product or service.

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/cooperative-research-centres-projects-crcp-grants>

## Country Education Foundation Grants

### Provider

Country Education  
Foundation of Australia

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

CEF grants are non-cash. Instead you are reimbursed for education or work related expenses, or a supplier can be paid directly. Grants can cover any education or work related expenses, such as, text books, tools, work equipment, petrol, transport, accommodation, computers, internet access.

① <https://cef.org.au/apply-for-a-grant/>

## Country Education Foundation of Snowy Monaro

### Provider

Country Education  
Foundation of Australia

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

Provides much needed financial assistance and support to local youth to help them achieve their post high school education, training and vocation aspirations. Covering Cooma, Bombala and Jindabyne.

① <https://cef.org.au/foundations/snowymonaro/>



## Country to Coast Scholarship

### Provider

University of Wollongong

### Amount

\$5,000

### Closes

See guidelines

### Who is it for?

Early Admission offer holders from high schools

### Description

Country to Coast Scholarships and benefit regional students by easing their relocation and supporting their transition to university. This scholarship helps with the costs associated with getting set up for university and securing accommodation. Plus, this scholarship is 'stack-able' which means that if you receive a Country to Coast Scholarship, you may also be eligible for other scholarships offered by UOW, and the Australian Government Tertiary Access Payment (TAP). The 2026 Country to Coast Scholarship is automatically made available to Early Admission offer holders from high schools located in defined regional and remote areas across NSW.

① [www.uow.edu.au/study/scholarships/regional-kick-start/](http://www.uow.edu.au/study/scholarships/regional-kick-start/)

## CWA Education Grants

### Provider

Country Women's Association of New South Wales

### Description

Offers a variety of Education Grants to students from New South Wales.

① [www.cwaofnsw.org.au/Web/About/Education-Grants/Web/About/Education-Grants.aspx](http://www.cwaofnsw.org.au/Web/About/Education-Grants/Web/About/Education-Grants.aspx)

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

NSW students



Huge congratulations to Jyothi from Narooma, who's once again representing Australia as Chief Expert in Jewellery at the 48th WorldSkills International Competition in Shanghai as part of the 2026 Team Australia Skillaroos Training Squad.

Jyothi's journey is nothing short of inspiring — from winning silver as a participant, to returning as a judge, then being elevated to Expert, and now stepping into the Chief Expert role for the second time, coordinating judges from around the world.



## Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Worker Retention Payment

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
Department of Education	<i>Provides funding to support the Australian Government's wage increase for all eligible Early Childhood Education and Care workers.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	① <a href="http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=99ae5ad1-d749-4a9c-8fdc-72259be9469d">www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=99ae5ad1-d749-4a9c-8fdc-72259be9469d</a>
<b>Not specified</b>	
<b>Closes</b>	
30 September 2026	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
Early Childhood Education and Care providers	

## Early Childhood Education and Care Workforce Professional Development and Paid Practicum

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
Australian Government	<i>The purpose of the Professional Development grant is to provide support to ECEC educators, early childhood teachers and directors to undertake professional development for one day. Only ECEC services currently approved for and receiving the Childcare Subsidy (CCS) under Family Assistance Law, including long day care, family day care, in-home care, centre-based day care and outside school hours care services, are eligible and can apply for their employees.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	① <a href="http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=82607ef8-397d-454f-a9e6-ccef5164f609">www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=82607ef8-397d-454f-a9e6-ccef5164f609</a>
\$272 to \$1,203	
<b>Closes</b>	
19 September 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
Early childhood education centres	

## Ecological Society of Australia Grants and Awards

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
Ecological Society of Australia	<i>Awards more than 100 prizes each year to students and professionals for research excellence, study, travel, conference presentations and science communication.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	① <a href="http://www.ecolsoc.org.au/awards/">www.ecolsoc.org.au/awards/</a>
Not specified	
<b>Closes</b>	
Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
Ecological researchers	

## Edstart Achievement Awards Program

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
Edstart	<i>Edstart's Achievement Awards Program is an opportunity for students to be recognised in an area they are passionate about. The program is open to students from primary and secondary schools across Australia. Categories include visual and performing arts; environmental and social impact; innovation and entrepreneurship; and sport and physical wellbeing. Each winner will receive an award to recognise their achievement, as well as a \$2,000 grant to fund a project, initiative or training related to their category.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	① <a href="https://edstart.com.au/award">https://edstart.com.au/award</a>
\$2,000	
<b>Closes</b>	
31 October 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
School students	





## Elsa Dixon Aboriginal Employment Grant

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
\$10,000 to \$40,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
NSW public services  
agencies or local  
government authorities

### Description

*Subsidises the salary, development and support costs of Aboriginal employees in public service agencies and local government authorities, including:*

- *Permanent Employment: \$30,000 to \$40,000*
  - *Temporary Secondment: \$20,000 Up to \$40,000 to support a temporary position of up to 12 months that offers significant skill development*
  - *School-based Apprenticeships and Traineeships: \$10,000 one off payment.*
- ① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/skills-nsw/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-peoples/elsa-dixon-aboriginal-employment-grant>

## Eurobodalla Schools and Education Donation

**Provider**  
Eurobodalla Shire Council

**Amount**  
up to \$200 per school  
per year

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools in the  
Eurobodalla Shire

### Description

*The Schools and Education Donation support local primary and high schools to celebrate student achievement and strengthen Council's connection with the education sector.*

① [www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/schools-and-education-donation](http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/schools-and-education-donation)

## Eurobodalla Shire Country Education Foundation Grants

**Provider**  
Country Education  
Foundation of Australia

**Amount**  
\$5,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Students in Eurobodalla

### Description

*The Country Education Foundation provides grants to local youth to help them achieve their post-high school education, training and vocation aspirations. They recognise that for young people from coastal areas, the cost of pursuing their career goals is often much greater than their metropolitan counterparts, and that sometimes these costs can be prohibitive. With the support of the Snow Foundation, there are four scholarships valued at \$5000 each for students who live in the Eurobodalla Shire or attended one of the local high schools.*

① <https://cef.org.au/foundations/eurobodalla-cef/>

## Environment Grants

**Provider**  
Independent Education  
Union of Australia

**Amount**  
\$3,000

**Closes**  
10 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools

### Description

*Apply for one of six grants of \$3000 to get environment projects at your school, college or early childhood centre off the ground. Past grant-winning projects include habitat and biodiversity conservation, tree-planting, composting and vegetable gardens, water and energy saving initiatives, waste and recycling, as well as projects that draw on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander connections to land, community and the local environment.*

① [www.ieu.asn.au/2025-environment-grants/](http://www.ieu.asn.au/2025-environment-grants/)



## Feline Health Research Fund

### Provider

Feline Health Research Fund

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

31 August 2025

### Who is it for?

Scientists, veterinarians and post-graduate students

### Description

The Fund supports relevant research from scientists, veterinarians and post-graduate students from Australian universities and research institutes. Applicants could also consider research projects relating to improved or preventative health care for cats.

① [www.fhrf.org.au/apply-for-a-grant/](http://www.fhrf.org.au/apply-for-a-grant/)



## First Nations Director Scholarship Program

### Provider

Australian Institute of Company Directors

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

14 September 2025

### Who is it for?

New and aspiring NFP directors

### Description

The AICD is partnering with the Australian Indigenous Governance Institute (AIGI) and the Observership Program. It will provide up to 56 full-fee scholarships to directors and leaders reporting to the boards of First Nation and non-Indigenous organisations. Applicants who provide evidence of being on the board or committee of an Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO) will be considered more favourably for this program. Participants will gain access to world-class governance education as well as mentoring and workshop program to build their network and professional skills as a director.

① [www.aicd.com.au/courses-and-programs/scholarships/first-nations-scholarship.html](http://www.aicd.com.au/courses-and-programs/scholarships/first-nations-scholarship.html)

## Future Animal Carers Grant

### Provider

RSPCA Australia

### Amount

\$5,000

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Veterinary and animal science students

### Description

Offers a \$5,000 grant to a student or trainee undertaking a veterinary or animal related course.

① [www.rspcapetinsurance.org.au/grants/animal-carers-grants](http://www.rspcapetinsurance.org.au/grants/animal-carers-grants)

## Gifted Children's Grants - Various

### Provider

Mensa Australia

### Amount

Various

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Students

### Description

Grants are awarded annually to gifted students from either the Bull Bequest or the Gifted Students fund. Grants may be made to students under 18 on the 31 December for: special tuition fees, travel and accommodation expenses, equipment, or for any specific purpose directly facilitating advanced studies. Applications close in September each year.

① [www.mensa.org.au/grants/gifted-childrens-grants](http://www.mensa.org.au/grants/gifted-childrens-grants)



## Goulburn & District Country Education Foundation

### Provider

Country Education  
Foundation of Australia

### Amount

Up to \$5,000

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

*Provides much needed financial assistance and support to local youth to help them achieve their post high school education, training and vocation aspirations. Covering Goulburn, Crookwell, Taralga, Tarago, Marulan and Bungonia.*

① <https://cef.org.au/foundations/goulburn/>

## Holsworth Wildlife Research Endowment

### Provider

Ecological Society of  
Australia

### Amount

Up to \$8,500

### Closes

30 September 2025

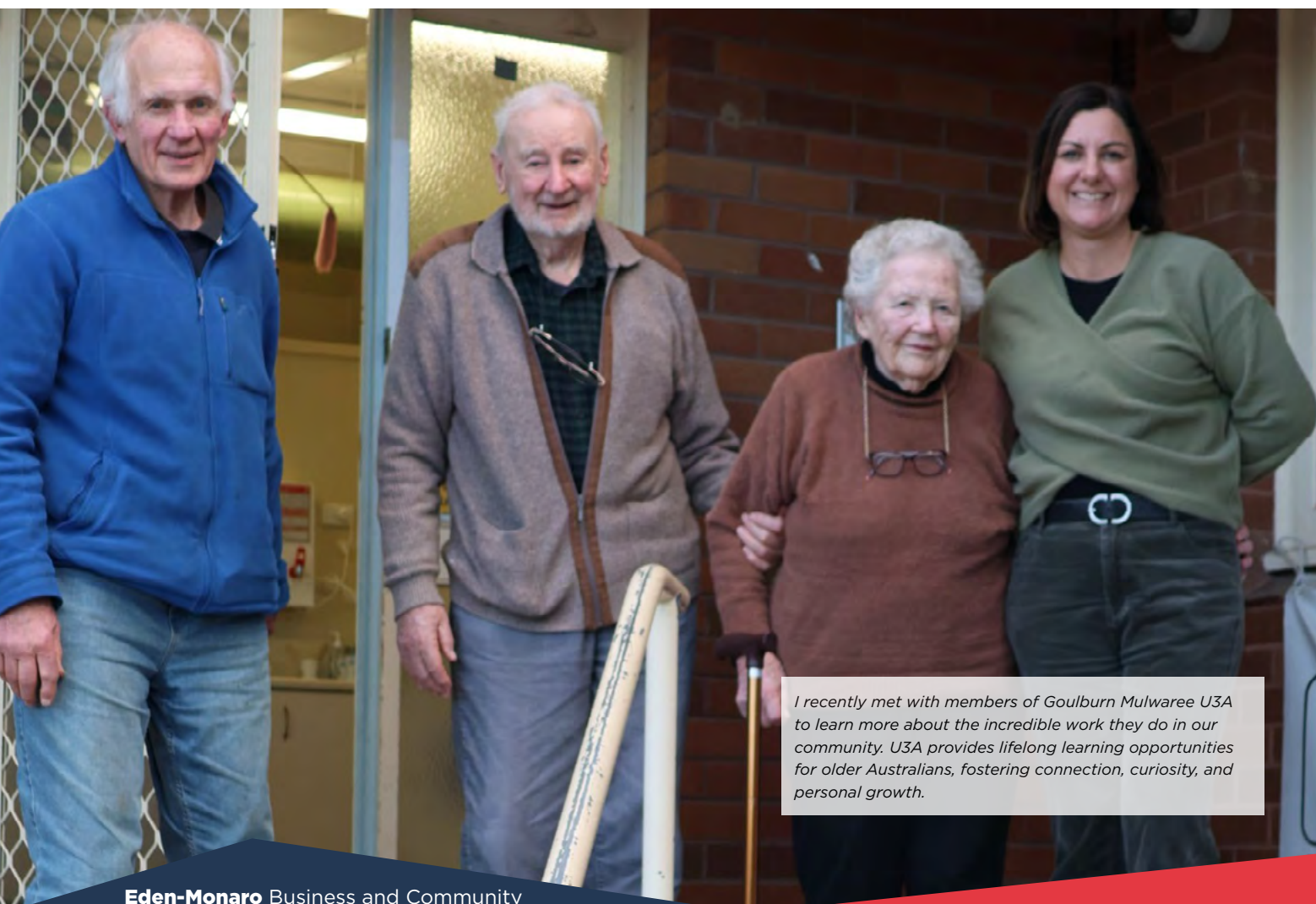
### Who is it for?

Tertiary students

### Description

*The Holsworth Wildlife Research Endowment invites applications for post-graduate student research support. Three general areas are especially encouraged: Field work on Australian native species (flora, fauna, fungi) to gain understanding of ecological interactions, population dynamics, animal behaviour, and species distribution; Conservation biology and biodiversity studies relating to the management of protected areas and rare or threatened species in Australia; Wildlife management relating to sport hunting, harvesting, pest control, management of non-game animals, and effect of land management on native species.*

① [www.ecolsoc.org.au/grants-awards/holsworth/application-guidelines/](http://www.ecolsoc.org.au/grants-awards/holsworth/application-guidelines/)



*I recently met with members of Goulburn Mulwaree U3A to learn more about the incredible work they do in our community. U3A provides lifelong learning opportunities for older Australians, fostering connection, curiosity, and personal growth.*



## Industry Development Fund

### Provider

**Manufacturing Skills Australia**

### Amount

**\$1,000 to \$10,000**

### Closes

**Not specified**

### Who is it for?

**Individuals**

### Description

*Manufacturing Skills Australia are encouraging and supporting people that work or study in sectors and occupations within manufacturing industries, including:*

- metal, engineering and boating
- aerospace
- process manufacturing, including chemicals, hydrocarbons, mineral products, plastics and rubber
- laboratory operations
- recreational vehicles
- textiles, clothing and footwear
- furnishing
- competitive systems and practices; environmental monitoring and sustainable operations.

*Applicants can apply for between \$1,000 and \$10,000 to develop their skills and knowledge through research, education and/or training.*

① [www.mskills.org.au/industry-development-fund/](http://www.mskills.org.au/industry-development-fund/)



## Intercultural Understanding Partnership (ICUP) Grants

### Provider

**Together for Humanity**

### Amount

**Up to \$10,000**

### Closes

**Ongoing**

### Who is it for?

**Education**

### Description

*The Partnership Grants program, a national initiative by Together For Humanity and funded by the Australian Government, offers you the chance to make a lasting change in your school. Successful ICUP applicants will receive up to \$10,000 and work closely with Together For Humanity to address intercultural and/or interfaith challenges, enhancing student learning and wellbeing.*

① <https://togetherforhumanity.org.au/icup-home-2024/>



## Japanese Studies and Global Partnerships Grants

### Provider

**Japan Foundation**

### Amount

**Unspecified**

### Closes

**Various**

### Who is it for?

**Various organisations**

### Description

*Offers opportunities for scholars and related institutions whose projects involve Japan. Major Grants have one application round per year and are administered in collaboration with the Japan Foundation Head Office. These are designed to support medium- to large-scale initiatives such as conferences, symposia or projects requiring in-country research.*

① <https://sydney.jpf.go.jp/japanese-studies/grants/>



## Kids Tennis Program

### Provider

**Tennis Australia**

### Amount

**Up to \$3,500**

### Closes

**24 October 2025**

### Who is it for?

**Schools and tennis clubs**

### Description

*Our Kids Tennis Program offers grants to schools and clubs to provide free before-and-after school tennis programs for disadvantaged kids. The program focuses on building confidence through rewarding positive behaviour, teaching valuable resilience skills and promoting social connections.*

① <https://www.tennis.com.au/about-tennis-australia/australian-tennis-foundation/what-we-do/kids-tennis>



## Local Jobs Program - Local Jobs, Local People Grant

### Provider

Department of  
Employment and  
Workplace Relations

### Amount

\$50,000 to \$250,000

### Closes

24 September 2024

### Who is it for?

Businesses

### Description

The Local Jobs Program's Local Jobs, Local People Grant opportunity will fund activities addressing local employment needs, supporting individuals and help people get jobs, access training, and create pathways leading to jobs across Australia. Activities can support anyone who is unemployed or underemployed and needs help connecting with work.

① [www.dewr.gov.au/local-jobs/local-jobs-local-people](http://www.dewr.gov.au/local-jobs/local-jobs-local-people)

## <25 Matana Foundation for Young People Funding

### Provider

Matana Foundation

### Amount

Up to \$10,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Youth organisations

### Description

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. There are two stages for applications: 1. Preliminary Submission; and 2. Detailed Submission.

① <http://matanafoundation.org.au/apply-for-a-grant>

## National Intelligence Discovery Grants Program

### Provider

Office of National  
Intelligence

### Amount

\$400,000 to \$800,000

### Closes

18 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Government, Non-  
Government and  
Education

### Description

The Australian Research Council (ARC), on behalf of the Office of National Intelligence (ONI), is conducting an Expression of Interest (EOI) grant opportunity for the National Intelligence Discovery Grants (NIDG) program. The NIDG Program supports excellent innovative research that deepens understanding of emerging science and technology that addresses intelligence and national security interests. The grant program will facilitate innovation and develop national security and intelligence capacity. It will also enable Australia's National Intelligence Community (NIC) to systematically engage with Australia's research and technology community.

① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=e517a820-b7ab-415f-b40b-fca9a8eb41c6](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=e517a820-b7ab-415f-b40b-fca9a8eb41c6)

## National Science Week Grants

### Provider

Australian Government

### Amount

\$2,000 to \$20,000

### Closes

29 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals or  
organisations

### Description

The National Science Week Grants 2026 provide individuals and organisations with up to \$20,000 to support the delivery of science engagement activities during National Science Week - 15 to 23 August 2026 - Australia's major national celebration of science.

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/national-science-week-grants-2026>



## New Enterprise Incentive Scheme

### Provider

Department of Education,  
Skills and Employment

### Amount

Dependent on eligibility

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

Individuals

### Description

Federal Government assistance through the New Enterprise Incentive Scheme (NEIS) can help you to start and develop your small business by providing: Accredited small business training; Help to develop a business plan; Personalised mentoring from a NEIS provider; NEIS Allowance for up to 39 weeks and NEIS Rental Assistance for up to 26 weeks (if eligible).

① [www.dewr.gov.au/new-business-assistance-neis/neis-training-support-and-payments](http://www.dewr.gov.au/new-business-assistance-neis/neis-training-support-and-payments)

## NSWALC Educational Scholarship

### Provider

NSW Aboriginal Land  
Council

### Amount

\$15,000

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Organisations

### Description

Supports Aboriginal students through the provision of a financial scholarship and internship program – 2 scholarships, valued at \$15,000 each with a 6 week paid internship in a NSWALC Business Unit.

① <https://alc.org.au/educational-scholarship/>

Want to know how to brighten your day? Catch up with students from Monaro High School! It was such a pleasure to welcome these enthusiastic young leaders to Parliament House. Thanks for visiting and for bringing your energy and genuine enthusiasm to the heart of democracy!





## Parliament & Civics Education Rebate (PACER)

### Provider

Department of  
Education, Employment &  
Workplace Relations

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Schools

### Description

*Provides subsidies for schools travelling to visit the national capital as part of a civics and citizenship education excursion. The program now also includes a subsidy for schools travelling less than 150km.*

① [www.pacer.org.au](http://www.pacer.org.au)

## Penguin Children's Bookseller Grant

### Provider

Penguin Random House  
Australia

### Amount

\$1,000 to \$8,000

### Closes

20 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Booksellers

### Description

*Penguin Random House recognise the important role booksellers play in promoting literacy. In response to declining literacy levels, they have been exploring ways we could make reading more appealing to young people. To make a meaningful impact on that introduction to reading, we are supporting booksellers with grants to fund initiatives aimed at encouraging children's interest in reading. They hope booksellers will dream big and be inspired to try their wildest ideas to get kids excited about reading – whether it's events, activations, installations or workshops.*

① [www.penguin.com.au/articles/5014-penguin-childrens-bookseller-grant-2025](http://www.penguin.com.au/articles/5014-penguin-childrens-bookseller-grant-2025)

## Per Capita Grant

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 April 2026

### Who is it for?

Education

### Description

*Helps cover language school operating costs such as teaching materials, staff wages and new equipment.*

① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/community-languages-schools/community-languages-school-grants/per-capita-grant>

## <25 Period Pride Competition

### Provider

Share the Dignity

### Amount

up to \$5,000

### Closes

25 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Schools and community  
groups

### Description

*Share the Dignity is on a mission to end the shame and stigma that surrounds periods. The Creating Period Pride competition encourages Australia's youth to submit creative, thought-provoking content that aims to remove the shame and stigma associated with having a period.*

① [www.sharethedignity.org.au/end-period-poverty/creating-period-pride](http://www.sharethedignity.org.au/end-period-poverty/creating-period-pride)



## Principal's Scholarships

**Provider**  
Public Education  
Foundation

**Amount**  
Up to \$15,000

**Closes**  
10 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Principals

### Description

The Public Education Foundation's Principal's scholarships provide 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. The Scholarship provides a successful applicant with the opportunity to 'reflect, refocus and recharge' through a professional education program tailor-made for school Principals.

① [www.publiceducationfoundation.org.au/principals-scholarship/](http://www.publiceducationfoundation.org.au/principals-scholarship/)

## Queen's Commonwealth Trust

**Provider**  
Queen's Commonwealth  
Trust

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Young leaders

### Description

Support for young Commonwealth leaders. The trust provides their organisations with flexible funding, practical tools and support, and a vibrant network to help them transform their communities. This is across the areas of agriculture & food, education & employability, environment, health, and inclusion.

① <https://queenscommonwealthtrust.org/>

## Real School Grants Program

**Provider**  
Real Insurance

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
31 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools

### Description

Helps aid school funding to schools and school groups/committees across Australia.

① [www.realinsurance.com.au/grants/school-grant](http://www.realinsurance.com.au/grants/school-grant)

## Reconnection, Employment and Learning (REAL) Program

**Provider**  
Department of  
Employment and  
Workplace Relations

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
15 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Organisations

### Description

The Reconnection, Employment and Learning (REAL) Program will be available to First Nations people, aged 15 years and older, who have been incarcerated, with a known release date, or who are on remand. Support will commence up to 6 months before release and continue for up to 12 months post release. The REAL Program will focus on personalised mentoring and support to build pathways to employment, education and training opportunities.

① [www.dewr.gov.au/reconnection-employment-and-learning-real-program](http://www.dewr.gov.au/reconnection-employment-and-learning-real-program)



## Regional Kick Start Scholarships

<b>Provider</b> University of Wollongong	<b>Description</b> <i>The \$3,000 Regional Kick Start scholarships aim to support regional University of Wollongong students with resources and living costs during their first year of study and make it easier to undertake their uni study close to home. Applications are open to non-school leavers and mature-age students.</i>
<b>Amount</b> \$3,000	<i>Potential students with an application or offer to start an eligible degree at a UOW Regional location in the first semester 2025 are eligible to apply.</i>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	<i>If you are currently completing Year 12 or equivalent, and applying to study at UOW through Early Admission, you are not eligible to be considered for this scholarship. Please see the information on our Country to Coast scholarships.</i>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Students at UOW regional campus's	
	① <a href="http://www.uow.edu.au/study/scholarships/regional-kick-start/">www.uow.edu.au/study/scholarships/regional-kick-start/</a>

## Research Training Program

<b>Provider</b> Australian Government	<b>Description</b> <i>The Research Training Program (RTP) provides block grants to higher education providers (HEPs) to support both domestic and overseas students undertaking research doctorate and research masters degrees, known as higher degrees by research (HDRs). Funding is provided on a calendar year basis.</i>
<b>Amount</b> See guidelines	① <a href="http://www.education.gov.au/research-block-grants/research-training-program">www.education.gov.au/research-block-grants/research-training-program</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Higher education providers	



## Return to Work Pathways Program

<b>Provider</b> Women NSW	<b>Description</b> <i>Funds NSW organisations to implement projects that support women from focus communities who are experiencing persistent barriers to employment.</i>
<b>Amount</b> \$100,000 to \$250,000	① <a href="http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/return-to-work-pathways-program">www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/return-to-work-pathways-program</a>
<b>Closes</b> 6 December 2025	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Various	



## Scholarships AIEF

<b>Provider</b> Australian Indigenous Education Foundation	<b>Description</b> <i>AIEF provides scholarships that enable Indigenous students in financial need to attend leading Australian schools and universities.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not specified	① <a href="http://www.aief.com.au/scholarships/">www.aief.com.au/scholarships/</a>
<b>Closes</b> Various	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Indigenous students	





## Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) First Nations

### Provider

Department of  
Employment and  
Workplace Relations

### Amount

\$30,000 to \$3 million

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Community and training  
organisations

### Description

The Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) Program is available across metropolitan, regional and remote areas of Australia. All Australians aged 15 years and over and have left school and need help with their language, literacy, numeracy and digital (LLND) skills are eligible. Training is offered in two distinct and complementary training delivery streams. See website for more detail.

① [www.dewr.gov.au/skills-education-and-employment/see-first-nations](http://www.dewr.gov.au/skills-education-and-employment/see-first-nations)

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## Spencer Foundation Education Research Grants

### Provider

Spencer Foundation

### Amount

Various

### Closes

Various

### Who is it for?

Non-Government,  
Education, Individuals  
and Government

### Description

Supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived. A range of programs provide funding for education-focused research projects, research training fellowships, and additional field-building initiatives.

① [www.spencer.org/why-we-grant](http://www.spencer.org/why-we-grant)



## Sporting Schools Grants

### Provider

Sports Australia

### Amount

Up to \$4,100

### Closes

See info for details of  
next round

### Who is it for?

Schools

### Description

Sporting Schools offers grant opportunities for primary schools, and targeted grant opportunities for secondary schools in relation to year 7 and 8 students. Grants support the delivery of sport-based programs to help students build the confidence and capability to be active for life. Sport Australia has partnered with more than 35 national sporting organisations (NSOs) to facilitate delivery of Sporting Schools programs.

① [www.sportaus.gov.au/schools/schools/funding](http://www.sportaus.gov.au/schools/schools/funding)

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## Stanford Australia Foundation Scholarships

### Provider

Stanford Australia  
Foundation

### Amount

Up to \$20,000

### Closes

10 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Individual

### Description

Supports not-for-profit leaders with an opportunity to study at Stanford Graduate School of Business (GSB) in the United States.

① <https://www.stanford.org.au/saf/saf-2>



## Start Strong for Preschools and Long Day Care

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
31 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Community preschools

### Description

*The Start Strong for Community Preschools program provides funding to deliver affordable quality preschool education for 3 to 5 year old children enrolled in eligible long day care services, community and mobile preschools in NSW.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2025-start-strong-for-community-preschools](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/2025-start-strong-for-community-preschools)

## Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation

**Provider**  
Stephanie Alexander  
Kitchen Garden  
Foundation

**Amount**  
See guidelines

**Closes**  
See guidelines

**Who is it for?**  
Schools

### Description

*The Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation provides professional development, educational resources and access to the Shared Table, their online community of educators. Our Support Team will help you choose the best tools to get your kitchen garden program growing.*

① [www.kitchengardenfoundation.org.au/](http://www.kitchengardenfoundation.org.au/)

## Supporting Young Scientists Equity and Access Program

**Provider**  
Office of the Chief  
Scientist and Engineer

**Amount**  
\$2,500 to \$10,000

**Closes**  
26 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Eligible high school  
students

### Description

*The Supporting Young Scientists Equity and Access Program (Program) supports a diverse sector of NSW high school students who wish to further their education in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics).*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/supporting-young-scientists-equity-access-program-2026-round-1](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/supporting-young-scientists-equity-access-program-2026-round-1)

## Sustainable Schools Competition

**Provider**  
Coles & Planet Ark

**Amount**  
\$5,000

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Schools

### Description

*Schools have the chance to win \$5,000 to help enhance or create a sustainability initiative, to celebrate Planet Ark's National Recycling Week in November. With a total of \$100,000 up for grabs, primary and secondary schools from across the country are encouraged to enter the competition throughout the month of September. From developing a composting or waste sorting system, to installing a food garden or habitat box, even running a swap day or clean-up event – this is to help schools 'Join the Cycle' for National Recycling Week.*

① [www.coles.com.au/about/our-partners/community/sustainable-schools-competition](http://www.coles.com.au/about/our-partners/community/sustainable-schools-competition)



## Teachers Scholarships

**Provider**  
Public Education  
Foundation

**Amount**  
Up to \$12,000

**Closes**  
10 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Teachers

### Description

*The Teachers Scholarships were created to highlight the important role played by teachers in transforming the lives of students. The Teachers Health Early Career Scholarship supports public school teachers in the first three years of their career.*

① [www.publiceducationfoundation.org.au/scholarships/teachers-scholarship/](http://www.publiceducationfoundation.org.au/scholarships/teachers-scholarship/)

## Tertiary Access Payment

**Provider**  
Services Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$5,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
School leavers

### Description

*The Tertiary Access Payment (TAP) is a non-indexed, means-tested payment to school-leavers from regional or remote areas who need to relocate for full-time, higher-level tertiary education (Certificate IV and above) at an education provider located at least 90 minutes by public transport from their family home.*

① [www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/tertiary-access-payment](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/tertiary-access-payment)

## The Youi Student Grant

**Provider**  
Youi

**Amount**  
\$5,000

**Closes**  
24 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

*Aims to back students with different skillsets, perspectives and experiences who can add uniqueness to what Youi does.*

① [www.youi.com.au/about-us/youi-student-grant](http://www.youi.com.au/about-us/youi-student-grant)



*It was a pleasure to deliver new Australian, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags to Goulburn North Public School. I was especially delighted to meet members of the school's parliament who are already showing great promise as future leaders.*





## Abbvie Educational Event Sponsorship

**Provider**  
**AbbVie**

**Amount**  
**Not specified**

**Closes**  
**8 weeks before an event**

**Who is it for?**  
**Healthcare professionals**

### Description

*Medical science evolves rapidly and Abbvie are pleased to offer support to healthcare professionals to continue their education to provide the best patient care possible. Individual HCP or HCO members can seek funding from AbbVie to enable attendance at an educational event.*

① [www.abbvie.com.au/responsibility/Educational-Event-Sponsorship](http://www.abbvie.com.au/responsibility/Educational-Event-Sponsorship)



## Annamila First Nations Foundation

**Provider**  
**Annamila Foundation**

**Amount**  
**Not specified**

**Closes**  
**Ongoing**

**Who is it for?**  
**Individuals and organisations**

### Description

*The Annamila First Nations Foundation provides charitable contributions through 3 streams: country and culture, healing and wellbeing, and truth and justice.*

① <https://www.annamila.com/>

## ANZCA Research Grants

**Provider**  
**ANZCA**

**Amount**  
**Unspecified**

**Closes**  
**1 April 2026**

**Who is it for?**  
**Health, Education and Individuals**

### Description

*Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists & Faculty of Pain Medicine grants support fellows and registered trainees for projects related to anaesthesia, perioperative medicine or pain medicine.*

① [www.anzca.edu.au/research/research-grants/apply-for-an-anzca-research-grant](http://www.anzca.edu.au/research/research-grants/apply-for-an-anzca-research-grant)



## ARC Research Support Grants

**Provider**  
Australian Research  
Council

**Amount**  
\$20,000

**Closes**  
10 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers

### Description

*Grants will be awarded for researchers and scholars undertaking research activities in basic science, clinical and public health research relating to: infectious lung diseases due to M. tuberculosis or other respiratory pathogens; and chronic respiratory diseases related to environmental factors such as tobacco or bushfire smoke exposure.*

① [www.thearc.org.au/arc-research-support-grants/](http://www.thearc.org.au/arc-research-support-grants/)

## ASA Grants Program

**Provider**  
Australasian  
Sonographers  
Association

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
29 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Health, Education and  
Individual

### Description

*Provides funding to support sonography research and clinical audit projects.*

① [www.sonographers.org/research/asa-grants](http://www.sonographers.org/research/asa-grants)

## Australian College of Nursing Scholarships

**Provider**  
Department of Health  
and Aged Care

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Nurses

### Description

*Australian College of Nursing provides access to a range of scholarships, grants and awards. They administer a range of Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care scholarships for undergraduate and postgraduate aged care, nursing and midwifery courses as well as scholarships for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students studying entry-level health courses. They also offer grants and awards to support nurses to complete continuing professional development as well as postgraduate study and research.*

① [www.acn.edu.au/scholarships](http://www.acn.edu.au/scholarships)

## Australian Dental Association Grants

**Provider**  
Australian Dental  
Association (ADA)

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Dental profession

### Description

*The Australian Dental Association offers a range of study grants for post-graduate, Indigenous, rural and remote students, and those involved in nursing and allied health professions.*

① [www.ada.org.au/about/grants](http://www.ada.org.au/about/grants)



## Australian Rotary Health Research Grants

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Australian Rotary Health</b>	<i>Australian Rotary Health provides funding towards research grants, fellowships and PhD scholarships focused on finding preventative and curative solutions for mental illness in children aged 0-12. They also provide funding into a broad range of general health areas, provide scholarships for rural medical and nursing students, as well as Indigenous health students. Australian Rotary Health provides funding into areas of health that do not readily attract funding, and promotes findings to the community.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Various</b>	
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>Various</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Researchers</b>	① <a href="https://australianrotaryhealth.org.au/">https://australianrotaryhealth.org.au/</a>

## Biomedical Translation Fund (BTF)

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Australian Government</b>	<i>Supports commercialisation of biomedical discoveries in Australia and helps translate biomedical discoveries into high growth potential companies to deliver long term health benefits and national economic outcomes.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Not specified</b>	① <a href="https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/biomedical-translation-fund">https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/biomedical-translation-fund</a>
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>Ongoing</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Early-stage biomedical companies.</b>	

## Cancer Institute NSW Grants

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Cancer Institute NSW</b>	<i>Provides a range of grants and fellowships to individuals and organisations that implement relevant programs, resources and research that align to the goals and objectives of the NSW Cancer Plan.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Various</b>	① <a href="http://www.cancer.nsw.gov.au/research-and-data/grants/grant-opportunities">www.cancer.nsw.gov.au/research-and-data/grants/grant-opportunities</a>
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>Various</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Various</b>	

## Community Resilience Grants

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Stay Afloat Australia</b>	<i>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.</i>
<b>Amount</b>	
<b>Up to \$2,000</b>	① <a href="http://www.stayafloat.com.au/grants/">www.stayafloat.com.au/grants/</a>
<b>Closes</b>	
<b>Ongoing</b>	
<b>Who is it for?</b>	
<b>Various</b>	



## Continence Aids Payment Scheme (CAPS)

### Provider

Department of Health,  
Disability and Ageing

### Amount

The CAPS payment rate  
for 2025-26 is \$717.10

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

See website

### Description

CAPS is an Australian Government program. It provides a payment to eligible people, to help with some of the costs of buying continence products. The basic requirements are that the recipient: have permanent and severe incontinence; have an eligible neurological condition or eligible other condition that is the cause of your permanent and severe incontinence; be 5 years or older; and be an Australian citizen.

① [www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/continence-aids-payment-scheme-caps](http://www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/continence-aids-payment-scheme-caps)

## Eurobodalla Community Wellbeing Grant

### Provider

Eurobodalla Shire Council

### Amount

Up to \$2,000

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Individuals, community  
groups, schools, NFP  
organisations

### Description

The Community Wellbeing Grant supports initiatives that enhance the health, safety, and inclusion of Eurobodalla residents. This grant will help local organisations deliver initiatives and projects that enhance community health and wellbeing, support youth development, strengthen community resilience and encourage environmental stewardship. Grants of up to \$2,000 are available to support costs associated with delivering a community wellbeing project.

① [www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/community-wellbeing-grant](http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/community/grant-opportunities/community-wellbeing-grant)



I was delighted to attend the official opening of the Tuross Head Medical Centre recently. A huge congratulations to Dr Milan Walia for her efforts in getting the Centre open and for her ongoing support of the Tuross Head community. This is a fantastic step forward for local healthcare access, and it's wonderful to see the community come together to celebrate it.



## HBF Community Investments

**Provider**

**HBF**

**Amount**

**Not specified**

**Closes**

**Ongoing**

**Who is it for?**

**Community organisations**

**Description**

*HBF aims to invest directly and indirectly to support activities which encourage the community to live happy, healthy and active lives. See details on the website about the program objectives and contact information.*

① [www.hbf.com.au/about-hbf/community](http://www.hbf.com.au/about-hbf/community)

## Health and Medical Research Sponsorship Program

**Provider**

**NSW Health**

**Amount**

**Up to \$10,000**

**Closes**

**12 October 2025**

**Who is it for?**

**Research organisations**

**Description**

*The NSW Health and Medical Research Sponsorship Program offers sponsorship grants to support health and medical research events held in NSW, helping to advance and translate research and innovation and build capability in the workforce.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/nsw-health-and-medical-research-sponsorship-program](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/nsw-health-and-medical-research-sponsorship-program)

## Health Education and Training Institute Grants

**Provider**

**NSW Government**

**Amount**

**Various**

**Closes**

**Various**

**Who is it for?**

**Health workers**

**Description**

*HETI provides a range of scholarships and grants that aim to provide equal access to health education in areas of need. Programs include workplace learning and rural and regional practitioner grants.*

① [www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants](http://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants)

## Humpty Dumpty Foundation

**Provider**

**The Humpty Dumpty Foundation**

**Amount**

**Unspecified**

**Closes**

**Ongoing**

**Who is it for?**

**Hospitals**

**Description**

*The Humpty Dumpty Foundation provides urgently required medical equipment for neonatal units and paediatric wards in public hospitals and health services Australia-wide. Humpty supports around 500 hospitals and health services across Australia. If your hospital needs equipment to support the care of sick babies and children, they can help.*

① [www.humpty.org.au/for-hospitals](http://www.humpty.org.au/for-hospitals)



## Innovation and Evaluation Grants

**Provider**  
Community Mental Health, Drug & Alcohol Research Network

**Amount**  
\$20,000

**Closes**  
16 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Community-managed organisations

### Description

*This \$20,000 grant supports community-managed organisations working across mental health (MH) and alcohol and other drugs (AOD) to undertake a project that: champions innovation and evaluation; addresses both MH and AOD service delivery contexts; and builds sector knowledge and capacity.*

① <https://cmhdaresearchnetwork.com.au/our-work/innovation-and-evaluation-grants-2/>

## Lowitja Institute Scholarships

**Provider**  
Lowitja Institute

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
15 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individual

### Description

*The scholarships contribute to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander leadership of health research by providing opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to develop skills in areas relevant to meaningful health research.*

① [www.lowitja.org.au/page/services/grants-and-scholarships](http://www.lowitja.org.au/page/services/grants-and-scholarships)

## Lowitja Institute Seeding Grants

**Provider**  
Lowitja Institute

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
26 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Research organisations

### Description

*Lowitja Institute's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Seeding Grants support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities to grow small ideas, transform, and action research from community priorities into meaningful research projects.*

① [www.lowitja.org.au/research/research-grants/seeding-grants/](http://www.lowitja.org.au/research/research-grants/seeding-grants/)

## Lung Foundation Australia Funding

**Provider**  
Lung Foundation Australia

**Amount**  
from \$20,000

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers

### Description

*Lung Foundation Australia's awards and grants program aims to support early and mid-career researchers in their career development. These grants are designed to support projects that aim to advance the diagnosis, treatment and care of lung conditions and lung cancer.*

① <https://lungfoundation.com.au/research/our-research/apply-for-funding/>



## Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF) Grants

<b>Provider</b> Department of Health	<b>Description</b> <i>The Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF) is a \$20 billion long-term investment supporting Australian health and medical research. The MRFF aims to transform health and medical research and innovation to improve lives, build the economy and contribute to health system sustainability.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Various	
<b>Closes</b> Various	<i>Opportunities currently open for application include:</i>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Research organisations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Australia-UK Platform Studies in Areas of Unmet Clinical Need</li> <li>• Research Data Infrastructure</li> <li>• Genomics Health Futures</li> <li>• Maternal Health and Healthy Lifestyles</li> <li>• Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes Models of Care</li> <li>• Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes Risk Prediction and Data Solutions</li> <li>• International Clinical Trial Collaborations</li> <li>• Frontier Health and Medical Research</li> </ul>
	① <a href="http://www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/medical-research-future-fund">www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/medical-research-future-fund</a>

## Mito Research and Medical Grant Program

<b>Provider</b> Mito Foundation	<b>Description</b> <i>The Mito Foundation Research and Medical Grant Program supports high quality, impactful research and clinical work in the field of primary mitochondrial disease (mito). Since 2010, Mito Foundation has committed more than \$8 million to support researchers and clinicians around the world. Mito Foundation supports projects across all research areas, including discovery, clinical medicine and science, health services and public health. They welcome high quality proposals directly relevant to mito from research scientists, clinicians, and allied health professionals.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Various	
<b>Closes</b> Various	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Non-Government, Education, Health and Individuals	① <a href="http://www.mito.org.au/grant-program/">www.mito.org.au/grant-program/</a>

## National Health and Medical Research Council Funding

<b>Provider</b> Department of Health and Aged Care	<b>Description</b> <i>NHMRC helps achieve the best health outcomes for Australians by disseminating evidence-based health advice to the community, via all levels of government and health professionals.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Various	<i>Current opportunities that are open for application include:</i>
<b>Closes</b> Various	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Partnership Projects</b> providing funding and support to create new opportunities for researchers and policy makers to work together</li> <li>• <b>Centres of Research Excellence (CRE) scheme</b> provides support for teams of researchers to pursue collaborative research and develop capacity in basic science research, clinical research, health services research and public health research.</li> </ul>
<b>Who is it for?</b> Research Organisations	<i>More detail about these opportunities and a database of other medical research funding opportunities is available on the NHMRC website.</i>
	① <a href="http://www.nhmrc.gov.au/funding/find-funding">www.nhmrc.gov.au/funding/find-funding</a>



## MND Australia Research Grants

### Provider

MND Research Australia

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Researchers

### Description

*Provides a range of grants, prizes and fellowships for motor neurone disease research.*

① [www.mndaustralia.org.au/research/for-researchers/apply-for-a-research-grant](http://www.mndaustralia.org.au/research/for-researchers/apply-for-a-research-grant)

## MS Australia Grants & Scholarships

### Provider

MS Australia

### Amount

Up to \$250,000

### Closes

Various

### Who is it for?

Researchers

### Description

*MS Australia offers a range of grants, including Incubators, Project, Fellowships and Scholarships to support and accelerate research into finding better treatments and a cure for MS. Whilst eligibility requirements and conditions differ between awards, all applications must have a direct link to advancing our knowledge of MS.*

① [www.msaustralia.org.au/annual-funding-opportunities/types-of-grants/](http://www.msaustralia.org.au/annual-funding-opportunities/types-of-grants/)



*Thanks Dave from The Man Walk Goulburn for having the Special Envoy for Men's Health, Dan Repacholi MP, and me along for a walk and a chat! Love your work walking, talking, and supporting each other - it's grassroots initiatives like this that make a real difference in men's lives.*



## National Foundation for Medical Research and Innovation Funding

### Provider

National Foundation for Medical Research and Innovation

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Researchers

### Description

*Supports innovative areas of biomedical research to help benefit mankind through the prevention or eradication of diseases. The Foundation seeks to partner with biomedical researchers and donors to identify, evaluate and support innovative and high quality research projects with identified impact objectives.*

① <https://nfmri.org.au/>

## National Shed Development Programme Defibrillator Grants

### Provider

Department of Health and Aged Care

### Amount

Up to \$8,000

### Closes

12 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Men's Sheds

### Description

*The NSDP is a competitive grants programme and applications are open to all Men's Sheds across Australia. There are five categories of funding. Category Five: Automated External Defibrillators (\$2,250 maximum) remains open until 12 September. See website for more detail.*

① <https://mensshed.org/nsdp/>

## Nursing & Midwifery Undergraduate Clinical Placement Grants

### Provider

NSW Health, Education & Training

### Amount

Up to \$1,000

### Closes

7 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Nursing and midwifery students

### Description

*Grants to support clinical placements in a NSW public health facility are available if you're a NSW student studying a Bachelor of Nursing or Bachelor of Midwifery degree. These grants assist with the accommodation and travel expenses associated with your placement. The amount of the grant is based on the distance between your home University campus and the location of the clinical placement. Distance (one way): 751km+: \$1,000, 351-750km: \$600, 150-350km: \$400.*

① [www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants/undergraduate-clinical-placement-grants](http://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants/undergraduate-clinical-placement-grants)

## Passe and Williams Foundation Fellowships and Grants

### Provider

Passe and Williams Foundation

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Scientists and clinical practitioners

### Description

*The Foundation offers a suite of Awards and Grants to scientists and clinical practitioners in Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, supporting career pathways and promoting the development of related products and technologies.*

① <https://gprwmf.org.au/awards-grants/>



## Practice Incentives Program (PIP)

**Provider**  
Services Australia

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
General Practitioners

### Description

The Practice Incentives Program (PIP) encourages general practices to continue providing quality care, enhance capacity, and improve access and health outcomes for patients. You must read the relevant guidelines for the program to make sure your practice meets all of the eligibility requirements. Participants in the PIP can apply for individual incentives including: After Hours, eHealth, GP Aged Care Access, Indigenous Health, Procedural GP Payment, Quality Improvement, Rural Loading, and Teaching.

① [www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/practice-incentives-program](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/practice-incentives-program)

## Practice Sustainability Grant

**Provider**  
Rural Doctors Network

**Amount**  
\$1,000

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Rural practices

### Description

The Practice Sustainability Grant (PSG) aims to improve the viability and sustainability of rural practices by providing funding to practice managers and practice administration staff to upskill in business management. The grants are funded by the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing, Rural Health Workforce Support Program and are administered through Rural Doctors Network (RDN). Applicants can apply for up to \$1000 per individual with a maximum of 2 applications per applicant each financial year.

① [www.ruraldoctors.org/site/psg](http://www.ruraldoctors.org/site/psg)



I caught up with Danae Vitnell from Goulburn recently, a brave and passionate advocate attending Bowel Cancer Australia's Call on Canberra 2025. Each year, 50 advocates diagnosed under 50 years of age share their lived experience with early onset bowel cancer with their local MPs and Senators. It's a powerful reminder that bowel cancer is the deadliest cancer for Australians aged 25-44.



## Ramaciotti Awards

**Provider**  
Perpetual

**Amount**  
50000 to \$1million

**Closes**  
30 May 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers and research organisations

### Description

*Supports biomedical research in Australia. The Ramaciotti Foundations have three award categories: Ramaciotti Medal for Excellence in Biomedical Research; Ramaciotti Health Investment Grants; Ramaciotti Biomedical Research Award.*

① [www.perpetual.com.au/ramaciotti/applications](http://www.perpetual.com.au/ramaciotti/applications)

## RANZCP Research Grants and Scholarships

**Provider**  
Royal Australian & New Zealand College of Psychiatrists

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers

### Description

*Provides a range of grants and scholarships designed to support psychiatric research, clinical work, meaningful initiatives, and innovative projects that improve the mental health and wellbeing of communities in Australia.*

① [www.ranzcp.org/ranzcp-foundation/apply-for-a-research-grant](http://www.ranzcp.org/ranzcp-foundation/apply-for-a-research-grant)

## RANZCR Research Grants

**Provider**  
Royal Australian & New Zealand College of Radiologists

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

**Closes**  
Always Open

**Who is it for?**  
Education and Individuals

### Description

*Provides research experience for members in both clinical radiology and radiation oncology by supporting researchers with seed funding to carry out significant research projects.*

① [www.ranzcr.com/college/awards-and-prizes/research-awards-and-grants](http://www.ranzcr.com/college/awards-and-prizes/research-awards-and-grants)

## Rebecca L Cooper Medical Research Foundation Opportunities

**Provider**  
Rebecca L Cooper Medical Research Foundation

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
Various

**Who is it for?**  
Medical researchers

### Description

*The Rebecca L Cooper Medical Research Foundation looks to fund areas of medical research that are not widely funded by other philanthropic bodies. They are committed to research aiming to understand disease mechanisms and biology, including discovery research and translational research whose aims are clearly linked to furthering understanding of biological mechanisms of disease. Funding includes a range of fellowship and awards.*

① [www.cooperfoundation.org.au/](http://www.cooperfoundation.org.au/)



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Redkite Grants

Provider  
Redkite

Amount  
Unspecified

Closes  
Ongoing

Who is it for?  
Families with sick  
children (particularly  
Cancer) under 25

Description

Redkite provide practical, financial and mental health support for children aged 18 and under, who either has cancer or has been treated for cancer and their carers. They provide help with bills, fuel and food; education grants Up to \$1,000 per family; support with grief and bereavement; and financial assistance of \$1,500 for funerals.

① [www.redkite.org.au/how-we-help/our-services/?filter=financial-support](http://www.redkite.org.au/how-we-help/our-services/?filter=financial-support)

Research Grants

Provider  
NSW Government

Amount  
Not specified

Closes  
Ongoing

Who is it for?  
Research organisations

Description

The Office of Responsible Gambling welcomes expressions of interest for research proposals that build the evidence base for responsible gambling policy, interventions and programs.

① [www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/research-grants](http://www.gambleaware.nsw.gov.au/resources-and-education/funding-to-prevent-gambling-harm/research-grants)



A big thank you to the team at Southern NSW Local Health District for sharing their insights and initiatives to support men's health in our region.



## RHRF Translational Challenge Grant

### Provider

Ramsay Health Care

### Amount

Up to \$400,000

### Closes

11 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Australian-based medical and health researchers

### Description

RHRF is calling for translational research projects that will make a difference by improving patient outcomes or models of care and investigating ways to break the cycle of disadvantage. In order to be eligible: Projects must demonstrate a commitment to addressing improving social disadvantage by including at least one key determinant of health; Successful projects will be required to report against each patient's Socioeconomic status; and Research must be undertaken in at least one non-Ramsay Health Care facility and one Ramsay Health Care facility.

① [www.ramsayhealth.com.au/Ramsay-Research/Ramsay-Hospital-Research-Foundation/Grants-home](http://www.ramsayhealth.com.au/Ramsay-Research/Ramsay-Hospital-Research-Foundation/Grants-home)

## Rural Procedural Grants Program

### Provider

Department of Health and Aged Care

### Amount

Up to \$32,000

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

General Practitioners

### Description

The RPPG helps cover the cost of professional development for procedural general practitioners (GPs) who work in rural and remote areas. This ensures people who live in rural and remote areas have access to highly qualified health professionals. Procedural GPs are doctors who have a specialised skill, such as in obstetrics, anaesthetics, surgery, emergency medicine, and emergency mental health. The RPPG provides grants of up to \$32,000 to rural GPs and locums who provide procedural services.

① [www.health.gov.au/our-work/rppg](http://www.health.gov.au/our-work/rppg)

## Save Sight & Public Health Care Foundation Grants

### Provider

Lions NSW-ACT

### Amount

Up to \$15,000

### Closes

Not specified

### Who is it for?

Various

### Description

The grant by Lions NSW-ACT Save Sight Foundation & Lions NSW-ACT Public Health Care Foundation, provides 'N' District Clubs with funding assistance to complete their sight, medical and/or health related projects that are unable to be fully funded from other sources.

① <https://lionssavesightfoundation.org.au/grant-information>

## Steve Waugh Foundation Australia Grants

### Provider

Steve Waugh Foundation Australia

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 September 2025

### Who is it for?

Children and young adults who have a rare disease

### Description

Supports children and young adults who have a rare disease with a prevalence of 2:100,000. Funds can be given for medicines, treatment, equipment or items that improve the quality of life for the applicant and their family.

① [www.stevewaughfoundation.com.au/grants/grant-rounds-key-dates/](http://www.stevewaughfoundation.com.au/grants/grant-rounds-key-dates/)



## Support for Rural Specialists in Australia

**Provider**  
Support for Rural  
Specialists in Australia

**Amount**  
Up to \$12,000

**Closes**  
15 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Rural, non-GP specialists

### Description

*The Support for Rural Specialists in Australia (SRSA) Program helps rural communities receive a high standard of care from skilled, supported, and engaged medical specialists. The biannual grants program awards rural, non-GP specialists up to \$12,000 to access high quality CPD and networking that suits their individual needs.*

① <https://ruralspecialist.org.au/grants/>

## Tertiary Health Study Subsidies

**Provider**  
NSW Health

**Amount**  
Up to \$12,000

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Students studying a  
health qualification

### Description

*The Tertiary Health Study Subsidy Program provides subsidies to students studying a health qualification and incentivises them to enter the NSW Health workforce. The payments can assist students with fees, technology, travel, or other associated personal costs.*

① [www.health.nsw.gov.au/careers/Pages/health-study-subsidies](http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/careers/Pages/health-study-subsidies)

## Translational Program Grants

**Provider**  
Cancer Institute NSW

**Amount**  
Up to \$3.75 million

**Closes**  
1 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Researchers

### Description

*The 5-year Translational Program Grant will provide the evidence to drive rapid improvements in cancer prevention, treatment and subsequently survival and quality of life for cancer patients in NSW.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/translational-program-grants](http://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/translational-program-grants)

## Trisong Grants

**Provider**  
Khyentse Foundation

**Amount**  
\$1,000 to \$5,000 USD

**Closes**  
30 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals and  
organisations

### Description

*Khyentse Foundation Trisong Grants aim to identify and support individuals and organisations that are working to promote mental health and well-being in the world, through projects and programs that have a foundation in Buddha's wisdom. They encourage applications that offer innovative, creative, and skillful solutions to sharing a Buddhist view of basic well-being.*

① <https://khyentsefoundation.org/awards-grants-scholarships/trisong-grants/>



## We Care Wig Grant

**Provider**

**Variety**

**Amount**

**See guidelines**

**Closes**

**Ongoing**

**Who is it for?**

**Individuals**

**Description**

*Provides wigs to kids who have lost their hair due to Alopecia or another medical condition that results in permanent hair loss.*

① <https://www.variety.org.au/wigs/>

## Westfund Community Grants Program

**Provider**

**Westfund**

**Amount**

**\$3,000**

**Closes**

**31 October 2025**

**Who is it for?**

**Community organisations**

**Description**

*Supports community organisations that inspire the principles of health and wellbeing, family and community and fit for life. Grants of up to \$3,000 are available to eligible community groups and organisations. The Westfund Community Program also includes our Here for Hearts program, which provides access to defibrillators for eligible organisations. Applications can be received any time and assessed twice per year.*

① <https://www.westfund.com.au/about/community/westfund-community-grants-program/>

## Workforce Incentives Program

**Provider**

**Services Australia**

**Amount**

**See guidelines**

**Closes**

**Ongoing**

**Who is it for?**

**Health professionals**

**Description**

*The Workforce Incentive Program (WIP) supports health professionals in regional, rural and remote areas and general practices providing multidisciplinary care. The Workforce Incentive Program (WIP) has 3 streams: Practice Stream, Doctor Stream and Rural Advanced Skills Stream.*

① [www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/workforce-incentive-program](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/workforce-incentive-program)

## World Cancer Research Fund International Grant Programme

**Provider**

**World Cancer Research Fund International & Cancer Australia**

**Amount**

**Up to 500,000 pounds**

**Closes**

**4 November 2025**

**Who is it for?**

**Non-Government, Education, Health, and Individuals**

**Description**

*Supports innovative and original research into the role of diet, nutrition, body composition and physical activity in either cancer prevention or cancer survivorship.*

① [www.wcrf.org/research-we-fund/grant-programmes/apply-for-a-research-grant](http://www.wcrf.org/research-we-fund/grant-programmes/apply-for-a-research-grant)





## Aboriginal Home Ownership Grants

### Provider

NSW Aboriginal Housing Office

### Amount

Various

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Indigenous people

### Description

The Aboriginal Home Buyer Saver offers financial support for Aboriginal people who are ready to take the next step towards home ownership. The scheme consists of 3 grants that eligible Aboriginal people can apply:

- The **Deadly Deposit Grant** matches people's existing deposit savings on a dollar-for-dollar (\$1:\$1) basis up to a maximum of \$10,000.
- The **Home Buyer Booster Grant** up to \$2,500 can be used toward: Legal and administrative fees; Property valuations; Home and contents insurance; Surveying costs; Pest control; Stamp duty (for non-housing tenants).
- The **AHO Tennancy Plus** up to a maximum of \$20,000. The grant provides higher rates of co-contribution against AHO tenants' existing savings deposit.

① [www.aho.nsw.gov.au/tenants/home-ownership](http://www.aho.nsw.gov.au/tenants/home-ownership)



## Active and Creative Kids Vouchers

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

2 x \$50 for each child

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Families receiving Family Tax Benefit

### Description

Active and Creative Kids vouchers support eligible families with school-aged children to participate in sport, recreational, creative or cultural activities. Families receiving Family Tax Benefit can apply for two vouchers each year for each eligible child. Each voucher is valued at \$50. It can be used for eligible active or creative activities with registered providers and must be redeemed before the expiry date on the voucher.

① [www.service.nsw.gov.au/active-and-creative-kids-voucher](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/active-and-creative-kids-voucher)

## Child Care Subsidy

### Provider

Services Australia

### Amount

Undisclosed

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Individuals

### Description

Assistance to help you with the cost of child care.

① [www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/child-care-subsidy](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/child-care-subsidy)



## Compassionate Grants

**Provider**  
Lions Foundation

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

Compassionate grants are provided to assist Persons or Families in necessitous circumstances. This may be by the provision of medical aids, equipment or cash to provide relief from hardship.

① <https://alf.org.au/grants/compassionate-grants/>

## Direct Giving Program

**Provider**  
The Hall Foundation

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals experiencing financial disadvantage

### Description

The program offers funding for Australians facing acute financial stress – when support is urgently needed and other options have been exhausted. They partner with social workers, case managers and allied health professionals across public health settings and charitable organisations to deliver timely, tailored support that can help maintain basic standards of safety, wellbeing, dignity or independence. Support may be requested for a wide range of needs—from whitegoods to assistance accessing medical care or items for personal safety. Grants are paid directly to the goods or service providers.

① [www.wehalltrust.org.au/grant-programs](http://www.wehalltrust.org.au/grant-programs)

## Disaster Recovery Allowance

**Provider**  
National Recovery and Resilience Agency

**Amount**  
An extra \$350 per week for up to 13 weeks.

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals in declared locations

### Description

Disaster Recovery Allowance (DRA) is a short term payment that is available to assist individuals whose income has been directly impacted by a declared major or widespread disaster. A declared major or widespread disaster can be a natural or man-made disaster that occurs either in Australia or offshore. An allowance paid for a maximum of 13 weeks is available to eligible individuals, including employees, sole traders and primary producers.

① <https://business.gov.au/grants-and-programs/Disaster-Recovery-Allowance-DRA>

## Disaster Recovery Payment

**Provider**  
Australian Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$1,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals adversely affected by a major disaster in Australia or overseas

### Description

Disaster Recovery Payment is a one-off, non-means tested payment that is available to assist individuals who have been adversely affected by a major disaster either in Australia or overseas.

① [www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/natural-disaster-support](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/natural-disaster-support)

Where the Australian Government has made disaster recovery payments available, the Prime Minister or Cabinet may also decide to provide a similar payment to eligible New Zealand special category visa (subclass 444) holders residing in Australia who have been directly affected by a major disaster.

① [www.disasterassist.gov.au/Documents/Fact-sheets/New-Zealand-ex-gratia-income-support-allowance.pdf](http://www.disasterassist.gov.au/Documents/Fact-sheets/New-Zealand-ex-gratia-income-support-allowance.pdf)



## Disaster Relief Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

*If your home or essential household items were damaged or destroyed by a natural disaster, you may be eligible for the Disaster Relief Grant.*

*The grant helps with the cost of:*

- replacing essential household items
- essential structural repairs, or full rebuilds for properties that are unable to be lived in.

*Any independent adults living in the property may want to submit their own application, especially if they own their own belongings. .*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/disaster-recovery/disaster-relief-and-support](http://www.nsw.gov.au/disaster-recovery/disaster-relief-and-support)

## Djurwa Indigenous Youth Grant Program

**Provider**  
Djurwa Recycling and Waste Management

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Young Indigenous Australians

### Description

*Provides financial support for young Indigenous Australians in their pursuit of excellence in sports and the arts.*

① [www.djurwa.com.au/blog/djurwa-launches-indigenous-youth-grant-program-to-support-young-talent-in-sports-and-the-arts](http://www.djurwa.com.au/blog/djurwa-launches-indigenous-youth-grant-program-to-support-young-talent-in-sports-and-the-arts)

## Dream Hoops 1000

**Provider**  
Basketball NSW

**Amount**  
\$100

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Basketball players

### Description

*The Dream Hoops 1000 program has been set up to provide financial assistance grants to young people who would like to play basketball for the first time but are unable due to financial restraints. The grant provides a successful applicant with a \$100 voucher that can be used towards Aussie Hoops registration fees and Association domestic competitions registration fees, game fees or uniform costs.*

① [www.bnsw.com.au/dream-hoops-1000-apply/](http://www.bnsw.com.au/dream-hoops-1000-apply/)

## Emergency Relief Support

**Provider**  
Australian Red Cross

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individual

### Description

*Provides financial support for temporary visa holders, people seeking*

① [www.redcross.org.au/migration/emergency-relief/](http://www.redcross.org.au/migration/emergency-relief/)



## Energy Accounts Payment Assistance

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
From \$50

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individual experiencing hardship, crisis or emergency

### Description

*Energy Accounts Payment Assistance (EAPA) helps people experiencing difficulty paying their energy bill because of a short-term financial hardship, crisis or emergency. An eligible hardship, crisis or emergency may include: loss of income; unexpected medical costs; natural disaster (flood, bushfire, or drought); receiving a disconnection letter.*

① [www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/energy-accounts-payment-assistance-eapa-scheme](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/energy-accounts-payment-assistance-eapa-scheme)

## Escaping Violence Payment Program

**Provider**  
UnitingCare

**Amount**  
Up to \$1,500 in cash and \$3,500 in goods and services

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals and families

### Description

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

① [www.unitingvictas.org.au/services/family-services/family-violence-services/escaping-violence-payment/](http://www.unitingvictas.org.au/services/family-services/family-violence-services/escaping-violence-payment/)

## Financial and Welfare Assistance Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Police Legacy

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

*Provides education grants to Police Legatee children ranging in age from preschool students to final year tertiary students.*

① [www.policelagacynsw.org.au/what-we-do/financial-and-welfare-assistance/](http://www.policelagacynsw.org.au/what-we-do/financial-and-welfare-assistance/)

## First Home Buyers Assistance scheme

**Provider**  
NSW Revenue

**Amount**  
Depends on value of home

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
First Home Owners

### Description

*If you are a first home buyer in NSW, you may be eligible for a full exemption or a reduced rate of transfer duty under the First Home Buyers Assistance Scheme. From 1 July 2023, a full exemption from transfer duty will be available if you are buying a new or existing home valued up to \$800,000, while homes valued over \$800,000 and less than \$1,000,000 may qualify for a concessional rate. If you are purchasing vacant land on which you intend to build a home, you may receive an exemption for land valued up to \$350,000 and a concessional rate for land valued over \$350,000 and less than \$450,000.*

① [www.revenue.nsw.gov.au/grants-schemes/first-home-buyer/assistance-scheme](http://www.revenue.nsw.gov.au/grants-schemes/first-home-buyer/assistance-scheme)



## Food Vouchers

### Provider

Actors Benevolent Fund of NSW

### Amount

Vouchers \$100 to \$400

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Individuals

### Description

The Fund will assist with an one-off delivery of food vouchers to allow those in temporary need to continue to place food on the table.

① [www.actorsbenevolentfund.org.au/page/80/grants-program](http://www.actorsbenevolentfund.org.au/page/80/grants-program)



## I Am Me Foundation Grants

### Provider

I Am Me Foundation

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

January & July each year

### Who is it for?

LGBTQIA+ community

### Description

The foundation endeavours to offer financial aid to those who lack the means to engage in the transformative processes that align them with their authentic selves. It operates on a grant-based system, dedicated to providing support for critical aspects such as therapy, hormone treatments, and surgical interventions. For those seeking assistance, they extend an invitation to submit an application that encapsulates your personal narrative.

① <https://iamme.org.au/tell-us-your-story/>



Great to have a chance, with Special Envoy for Men's Health, Dan Repacholi MP, to meet with the Queanbeyan Veteran and Family Hub to discuss their vital support of Veterans in our region and their families.





## Junior Girls Golf Scholarship Program

### Provider

Australian Golf Foundation

### Amount

\$2,100 to \$4,200

### Closes

6 November 2025

### Who is it for?

Sporting Clubs

### Description

Aligning to Golf Australia's strategic plan for women and girls through our Women and Girls Engagement Strategy, this program is designed to foster a deep love of golf by creating a strong bond between girls (aged 9-16) and their golf club/facility. Encouraging and supporting junior program participants to continue their golfing journey beyond their initial introductory steps and to obtain a handicap, this program will in turn help to reduce drop-out rates of teenage girls in golf.

① [www.australiangolffoundation.org.au/junior-girls-scholarship-program](http://www.australiangolffoundation.org.au/junior-girls-scholarship-program)

## Isolated Patients Travel and Accommodation Assistance Scheme

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

See guidelines

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Ongoing

### Description

IPTAAS will provide travel and accommodation assistance for eligible patients who need to travel long distances for specialist medical treatment, to a highly specialised Allied Health Clinic, or to an approved Prosthetist/Orthotist.

To be eligible for assistance through IPTAAS, you must be receiving treatment:

- from an approved specialist medical practitioner
- at one of the approved Allied Health Clinics, or
- from an approved Prosthetist/Orthotist, as defined by IPTAAS.

① [www.iptaas.health.nsw.gov.au/For-patients](http://www.iptaas.health.nsw.gov.au/For-patients)

## Living Away From Home Allowance

### Provider

NSW Government

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Students in rural and remote locations

### Description

The Living Away from Home Allowance (LAFHA) assists eligible NSW families whose children must board away from home to access secondary education. Pre-conditions for eligibility relate to income and distance from the nearest public secondary school or school of preferred religion.

① <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/rural-and-distance-education/rural-and-remote-education>

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## Local Sporting Champions



### Provider

Sport Australia

### Amount

\$500 to \$750

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-18

### Description

The Local Sporting Champions program provides financial assistance for coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-18 participating in state, national or international championships. If successful, applicants will receive \$500-\$750 towards the cost of attending their championships.

① [www.sportaus.gov.au/grants\\_and\\_funding/local\\_sporting\\_champions](http://www.sportaus.gov.au/grants_and_funding/local_sporting_champions)



## NSW East Coast Severe Weather grants, payments and financial support

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
4 December 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals, businesses  
and organisations

### Description

*A range of grant and financial relief and support information for those impacted by the NSW East Coast Severe Weather from 18 May 2025.*

① [www.nsw.gov.au/emergency/floods/recover/flood-recovery-updates/grants-payments-and-financial-support](http://www.nsw.gov.au/emergency/floods/recover/flood-recovery-updates/grants-payments-and-financial-support)

## M5 South-West Cashback Scheme

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Value of tolls (ex GST)

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
NSW residents

### Description

*This scheme allows NSW residents to claim back the value of tolls (excluding GST) paid while using a vehicle in NSW for private, pensioner or charitable use on the M5 South-West Motorway.*

① [www.service.nsw.gov.au/services/driving-and-transport/tolls/m5-cashback-scheme](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/services/driving-and-transport/tolls/m5-cashback-scheme)



## NSWALC Funeral Assistance Grants

**Provider**  
NSW Aboriginal Land Council (NSWALC)

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

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

*Offers Land Council members, and Aboriginal people residing in New South Wales, the ability to seek limited financial grants under a Community Benefits Scheme. For eligible claims, NSWALC will contribute toward the costs of a basic funeral which includes: Funeral parlour service fee; Casket/coffin; Cemetery; Removal fee from hospital to funeral parlour; Clergy fee; Death certificate and/or doctor's certification for cremation; Preparation of body for burial. Members of the former Funeral Insurance Fund are entitled to a funeral grant of up to \$5000. Any NSW Aboriginal person who was not a member is able to apply for a NSWALC funeral grant of up to \$1000.*

① <https://alc.org.au/funeral-fund/>



## Sports Excellence Scholarships



**Provider**  
Sports Excellence Scholarship Fund

**Amount**  
\$1,000

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Young athletes

### Description

*SESF scholarships are only for emerging athletes aged 10 to 18 whose families are experiencing financial hardship. Eligible athletes will be competing in a National Championship for their state or country in 2024.*

① <https://sesf.org.au/application/>



## Support Act Crisis Relief Grants

**Provider**  
Support Act

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Musicians, managers,  
crew and music workers

### Description

Crisis Relief Grants and support are available to musicians, managers, crew and music workers across all genres experiencing financial hardship as the result of illness, injury, mental health, older age or another current crisis that is impacting their ability to work in music. Grants are assessed for a current issue impacting ability to work in music and, if approved, will be provided through direct payment of bills or other personal expenses related to the crisis, rather than cash grants. Evidence of a current crisis will be required. Their social work team is available to help with general, practical advice and can put you in touch with other relevant services including housing, finance and care.

① <https://supportact.org.au/get-help/crisis-relief-grants/>

## Toll Relief Rebate

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$750

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals or sole traders

### Description

Eligible motorists can claim for money spent on tolls: \$60 weekly toll cap rebate (personal customers only), and 40% toll relief rebate (personal customers and sole traders). Eligible motorists that spend between \$60 and \$400 on tolls a week can claim a rebate each quarter. Before you can claim you need to link your toll account to your MyServiceNSW Account.

① [www.service.nsw.gov.au/services/toll-relief](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/services/toll-relief)

## <25 Transition to Independent Living Allowance

**Provider**  
Department of Social Services

**Amount**  
Up to \$1,500

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Young people aged  
15 - 25

### Description

Transition to Independent Living Allowance (TILA) is a payment of up to \$1,500 to help eligible young people (15-25 years) cover some basic costs as they leave out-of-home care. TILA 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 drivers licence or any other items or services agreed between the young person and their case worker.

① [www.dss.gov.au/our-responsibilities/families-and-children/benefits-payments/transition-to-independent-living-allowance-tila](http://www.dss.gov.au/our-responsibilities/families-and-children/benefits-payments/transition-to-independent-living-allowance-tila)



## Youpla Support Program

**Provider**  
Treasury

**Amount**  
See guidelines

**Closes**  
30 June 2026

**Who is it for?**  
Individuals

### Description

The Youpla Group also called the Aboriginal Community Benefit Fund (ACBF) sold funeral insurance to First Nations People. When it collapsed in March 2022, many people could no longer pay for Sorry Business. From 1 July 2024, the Australian Government will provide resolution payments through the Youpla Support Program. If you paid for a Youpla Group policy you may be eligible for a resolution payment. The Youpla Group policy must have been active any time on or after 1 August 2015. You can find out whether you are eligible after 1 July 2024.

① [www.niaa.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/grants-and-funding/youpla-support-program](http://www.niaa.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/grants-and-funding/youpla-support-program)





### Afghanistan Inquiry Legal Assistance Scheme

**Provider**  
Attorney-General's  
Department

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
30 September 2035

**Who is it for?**  
Current and former  
serving Australian  
Defence Force members

**Description**  
*The Afghanistan Inquiry Legal Assistance Scheme funds the reasonable costs of legal representation for current and former serving Australian Defence Force members who are the subject of, or participating in, criminal investigations and prosecutions relating to matters arising from the Afghanistan Inquiry.*  
① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=b1eaf2a9-6923-4a4b-a74c-1e5d6186150f](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=b1eaf2a9-6923-4a4b-a74c-1e5d6186150f)

### ASIO Scheme

**Provider**  
Attorney-General's  
Department

**Amount**  
Not specified

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
See grant guidelines

**Description**  
*Provides legal financial assistance for a person summoned by the Australian Security Intelligence Organisation (ASIO) to appear before a prescribed authority for questioning.*  
① [www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance/australian-security-intelligence-organisation-scheme](http://www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance/australian-security-intelligence-organisation-scheme)

### Assetless Administration Fund - Various

**Provider**  
Australian Securities and  
Investments Commission

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Liquidator

**Description**  
*Grant opportunity provides funding to a liquidator of an assetless company to take action to recover certain assets, or for compensation for loss, where misconduct in relation to the company has occurred which caused assets of the company to dissipate.*  
① <https://regulatoryportal.asic.gov.au/>





## Australia-France Indo-Pacific Studies Program

**Provider**  
Academy of Social  
Sciences in Australia

**Amount**  
Various

**Closes**  
13 October 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Social science  
researchers

### Description

*The program supports interdisciplinary, policy-relevant social science research and dialogue that addresses key regional challenges, including strategic competition and security dynamics, climate change, environmental resilience, and sustainable development. Applications are currently open for the: Visiting Fellows Program; Indo-Pacific Strategic Environment Grants; and Pacific Social Sciences Academic Grants. See the website for more detail.*

① <https://socialsciences.org.au/australia-france-indo-pacific-studies-program-afips/>

## Commonwealth Legal Financial Assistance

**Provider**  
Attorney-General's  
Department

**Amount**  
Unspecified

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The Attorney-General's Department administers a range of statutory and non-statutory legal financial assistance schemes.*

① [www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance](http://www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance)



## Council on Australia Latin America Relations Grants

**Provider**  
Department of Foreign  
Affairs and Trade

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

**Closes**  
4 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The objectives of the program are to promote people-to-people links and a contemporary and positive image of Australia, and support Australia's international policy goals.*

① [www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/foundations-councils-institutes/coalar/grants](http://www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/foundations-councils-institutes/coalar/grants)

## Direct Aid Program

**Provider**  
Department of Foreign  
Affairs & Trade

**Amount**  
Up to \$60,000

**Closes**  
Not specified

**Who is it for?**  
Various

### Description

*The Direct Aid Program (DAP) is a small grants program funded from Australia's aid budget. It has the flexibility to work with local communities in developing countries on projects that reduce poverty and achieve sustainable development consistent with Australia's national interest.*

① [www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/direct-aid-program/direct-aid-program](http://www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/direct-aid-program/direct-aid-program)



## Financial Legal Assistance Schemes

<b>Provider</b> Attorney-General's Department	<b>Description</b> <i>The Attorney-General's Department administers a range of statutory and non-statutory legal financial assistance schemes.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not specified	① <a href="http://www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance">www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Various	

## International Child Abduction Respondents Scheme

<b>Provider</b> Attorney-General's Department	<b>Description</b> <i>The grant may provide funding to eligible parents who are responding to a 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction application for the return of an abducted child made under the Family Law (Child Abduction Convention) Regulations 1986 in an Australian court. You can apply for grants to cover the reasonable costs of a legal practitioner for proceedings under the Regulations to: act as your legal representative, attend mediation with you, provide you with legal advice.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Not specified	① <a href="http://www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance/international-child-abduction-respondents-scheme">www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/legal-assistance-services/commonwealth-legal-financial-assistance/international-child-abduction-respondents-scheme</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Eligible parents	



## New Colombo Plan programs

<b>Provider</b> Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade	<b>Description</b> <i>The New Colombo Plan includes three programs for students to strengthen their Indo-Pacific capability and Asia literacy.</i>
<b>Amount</b> Unspecified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Scholarship Program supports study, language learning and internships.</li> <li>• The Semester Program provides funding to support one-to-two semester length experiences for Australian undergraduate students to develop Indo-Pacific capability, including language learning and internships.</li> <li>• The Mobility Program supports participation in 4 to 9 week credit bearing experiences, including study, language training, internships, mentorships, practicums and/or research.</li> </ul>
<b>Closes</b> 23 September 2025	① <a href="http://www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/new-colombo-plan">www.dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/new-colombo-plan</a>
<b>Who is it for?</b> University students	

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## Seeding Strength Grants



<b>Provider</b> Foundation for Young Australians	<b>Description</b> <i>Seeding Strength Grants provide funding to young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people (16-35) and organisations fighting injustice and building Black power across the country. Rapid response grants are open all year. Applicants can apply for \$2,000 to \$10,000 for urgent initiatives relating to social change. Campaign, movement or project based grants are available in the second half of the year. They provide grants, from \$2,000 to \$50,000, to support core funding for existing or new campaigns, movements and projects in one of five impact areas.</i>
<b>Amount</b> \$2,000 to \$50,000	① <a href="http://www.fya.org.au/program/seeding-strength-grants/">www.fya.org.au/program/seeding-strength-grants/</a>
<b>Closes</b> Ongoing	
<b>Who is it for?</b> Young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people	





## Aged Care Services - Specialist Dementia Care Program

### Provider

Department of Health

### Amount

Unspecified

### Closes

30 June 2026

### Who is it for?

Aged care organisations

### Description

*The Specialist Dementia Care Program (SDCP) is an Australian Government initiative that provides care for people exhibiting very severe behavioural and psychological symptoms of dementia, who are unable to be appropriately cared for by mainstream aged care services.*

① [www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=4dc80aa1-c2e1-470e-9245-2375277644dd](http://www.grants.gov.au/Go/Show?GoUuid=4dc80aa1-c2e1-470e-9245-2375277644dd)

## Arcare Grants Program

### Provider

Arcare Family Foundation

### Amount

Not specified

### Closes

Ongoing

### Who is it for?

Charities and NFP

### Description

*The Arcare Family Foundation is committed to funding innovation in ageing and provide financial grants that support their vision and mission.*

① [www.arcarefamilyfoundation.org.au/grants](http://www.arcarefamilyfoundation.org.au/grants)

## Australian Seniors Aged Care Futures Grant

### Provider

Australian Seniors

### Amount

\$5,000

### Closes

31 October 2025

### Who is it for?

Tertiary student of trainee

### Description

*Grant to a domestic undergraduate full-time student at an accredited Australian Tertiary Education Institution and studying for a certificate, diploma, degree or traineeship in: Aged Care, Aged Care Nursing, Dementia Care, Disabilities Care, or any other courses leading to similar careers as an aged carer.*

① [www.seniors.com.au/grants/aged-care-grant](http://www.seniors.com.au/grants/aged-care-grant)



## Building Digital Skills Grant

**Provider**  
Good Things

**Amount**  
\$3,000 to \$20,500

**Closes**  
27 June 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Organisations

### Description

*Building Digital Skills grants of up to \$20,500 help organisations to support older Australians 50+ through free digital mentoring sessions. A range of resources and support materials are available to help organisations to deliver this program, including the learning courses available on the Be Connected Learning site. A Capacity Building Grant of up to \$52,500 is available through a different program to train and support digital mentors in your community.*

① <https://goodthingsaustralia.org/mentor-resource/building-digital-skills-grant/>

## Digital Devices Grant

**Provider**  
Good Things

**Amount**  
\$5,000

**Closes**  
26 September 2025

**Who is it for?**  
Organisations

### Description

*Digital Device Grants support organisations to create a device library for older Australians in their community. Apply for a Digital Device Grant of \$5,000. Open to organisations participating in the Be Connected program, this grant helps you to create a free device loan library for over 50's in your community. This is a great way for people who do not have access at home to get loaned a phone, tablet or laptop for up to 6 months.*

① <https://goodthingsaustralia.org/mentor-resource/digital-device-grant/>

## Dying to Know Grants Program

**Provider**  
The Wicking Trust

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

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Various organisations

### Description

*The program supports people to strengthen local connections and take meaningful action to reshape the community's relationship with death and dying. Whether it's a neighborhood gathering for the day of action, a conversation product or a broader community project, these grants can be a catalyst for transformation.*

① <https://proveda.com.au/apply-for-a-d2k-grant/>

## Seniors Energy Rebate

**Provider**  
NSW Government

**Amount**  
Up to \$200

**Closes**  
Ongoing

**Who is it for?**  
Eligible independent self-funded retirees

### Description

*The NSW Seniors Energy Rebate is available for eligible self-funded retirees to help cover the cost of their electricity. Gas accounts are not included. The rebate is \$200 per household, per financial year. It must be applied for each year.*

① [www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-seniors-energy-rebate](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-seniors-energy-rebate)