



Queens  
Cross  
Community  
Foundation

# Small Grants

Details & criteria for community groups and individuals.

Please read before applying

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## **Information about the Queens Cross Community Foundation Small Grants scheme.**

Our small grant scheme is available to individuals (up to £500) and community groups (up to £1500) living and operating in the Queens Cross area of operation\*. Our small grants scheme is open to individuals of all ages and local community groups involved in creating opportunities for local people. Please note, for young people aged up to 25 we also operate a Community Chest scheme. Community Chest provides grants of up to £150 and you can apply online at [www.qcfoundation.org](http://www.qcfoundation.org)

*\*Our area of operation extends from the city centre at Dundasvale up to Hamiltonhill, including the Wester Common area of Possilpark in the north of the city. Our area also includes Woodside, Firhill Road and Maryhill Road from between St Georges Cross and Queen Margaret Drive.*

### **Who can apply?**

Individual applicants must reside permanently with the Queens Cross Housing Association area of operation.

### **Community Groups or Organisations must satisfy at least one of the following criteria:**

The group or organization:

- Should have a registered address or premises in our area of operation
- The group or organisation must meet or provide activities that are based or run in our area of operation.
- The group, school or organisation must be working with people, the majority of whom reside in our area of operation.
- Schools seeking funding must be able to demonstrate that funds will benefit children living in our area of operation\*.

\*We may seek further information or clarification during the processing of your application.

**Please note:** The Community Foundation is a small charity with limited resources and we are unable to award grants to all who apply. Compliance with criteria is therefore no guarantee of funding. Applications will be considered against compliance with criteria, the potential for positive impact as well as available resources when you apply.

### **Previous Grants**

- Applicants must provide details of funding they have received previously from the Foundation in the past 3 years and if applicable, how much was awarded and for what purpose.

## **Our small grants awards must be relevant to the Foundation's Objectives**

- Assist those in need by reason of ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage in order to help enhance and sustain their wellbeing and promote healthy life choices
- To advance education by supporting access to cultural and development opportunities that can contribute to improved life chances for individuals and groups and a more vibrant community for all
- To prevent or relieve poverty supporting practical projects and proposed solutions within our area.

**Applicants should state how their application relates to at least one of the above objectives.**

## **Specific Criteria for Individual and Group Applicants**

- Individual applicants must have a bank account.
- Community groups must have a constitution or set of rules that explain their governance arrangements.
- Constituted groups must be well run and managed with sound financial procedures and the capability to effectively deliver the project for which they are seeking funds.
- Charities providing activities or services within our area of operation can apply. Charities must be up to date with their submissions to OSCR.
- Awards of funding must be used for the purpose in the application.

## **How much can I apply for?**

- Individuals can apply for up to £500.
- Individuals seeking awards over £500 must be able to demonstrate clear longer-term benefits and be willing to provide additional information on request.
- Groups can apply for up to £1,500
- Groups seeking awards over £1,500 must be able to demonstrate clear longer term benefits and be willing to provide additional information on request.

## **Applications must be supported by an independent referee**

- Applicants should tell us how long they have known their referee and in what capacity.
- Referees will be contacted to verify applications are genuine.
- Applicants should seek permission from their referee before putting their name and contact details forward.

## **What is the Queens Cross area of operation?**

Our area of operation extends from the city centre at Dundasvale up to Possilpark in the north of the city. Our area also includes Woodside, Firhill Road and Maryhill

Road between St George's Cross and Queen Margaret Drive. If in doubt, please check with us.

### **How can I apply?**

Complete an online application form on the [community foundation website](#). You can also [click here](#) to go directly to the online form.

### **Where does the money for this scheme come from?**

The funds come from charitable donations from some of the companies that make up the Queens Cross Group: Queens Cross Workspace, Queens Cross Community Foundation and Queens Cross Housing Association. The Foundation also receives donations for its charitable work and also carries out fundraising for its work.

### **Do you need more information?**

If you have a question or would like more information, please contact 0808 143 2002 or email [socialregeneration@qcha.org.uk](mailto:socialregeneration@qcha.org.uk)

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## Are you or do you know a Queens Cross customer who has difficulty communicating with us in English?

This could mean that you don't get access to the information and services you need. Queens Cross can provide translation and interpretation services for customers. If this is you, or someone you know, get in touch and we'll do our best to help.



## هل تعلم أنه يسعدنا أن نترجم؟

هل تعرف أحدا من عملاء كوينز كروس أو أنك أنت عميل كوينز كروس وتجد صعوبة في التواصل معنا باللغة الإنجليزية؟ قد يعني ذلك أنك لا تستطيع الوصول إلى المعلومات والخدمات التي تحتاجها. يمكن لكوينز كروس تقديم خدمات الترجمة الكتابية والشفوية للعملاء. إذا كان هذا الخطاب يعنك أنت أو أي شخص تعرفه، تواصل معنا وسنبذل قصارى جهدنا للمساعدة.

## Czy wiesz, że jesteśmy otwarci na korzystanie z tłumacza - Happy to Translate?

Czy jesteś klientem lub znasz klienta Queens Cross, który ma trudności, aby komunikować się z nami w języku angielskim?

Może to oznaczać dla Ciebie brak dostępu do potrzebnych Ci informacji i usług.

Queens Cross zapewnia tłumaczenia ustne i pisemne swoim klientom. Jeżeli chcesz z nich skorzystać lub znasz kogoś, kto chciałby z nich skorzystać, skontaktuj się z nami, a dołożymy wszelkich starań, aby Ci pomóc.

## 您是否知道，我们乐意提供翻译？

您本人或者在您认识的人中，是否有难以用英语与我们沟通的女王十字（Queens Cross）的客户？

这可能意味着您无法访问所需的信息和服务。

女王十字（Queens Cross）可以为客户提供笔译和口译服务。如果您或您认识的人存在这种需求，请与我们联系，我们将尽最大努力为您提供帮助。

## کیا آپ جانتے ہیں کہ ہمیں ترجمہ کر کے خوشی ہو گی؟

کیا آپ بذات خود یا کوئی کراس کے کسی ایسے کسٹمر کو جانتے ہیں جسے ہمارے ساتھ انگریزی میں بات چیت کرنے میں دشواری کا سامنا ہو؟

اس کا مطلب یہ ہو گا کہ آپ اپنی مطلوبہ معلومات اور خدمات تک رسائی حاصل نہیں کر پائیں گے۔

کوئی کراس صارفین کے لئے ترجمے اور ترجمانی کی خدمات فراہم کر سکتی ہے۔ اگر آپ یہ بذات خود ہوں یا کسی اور کو آپ جانتے ہوں اور رابطہ فرمائیں تو ہم مدد کرنے کی پوری کوشش کریں گے۔