

Uniformed Youth Groups Fund

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The aim of the Uniformed Youth Groups Fund (formerly referred to as the Uniformed Services and Associated Group Organisations Fund), is to support Uniformed Groups who contribute to the County's recovery from Covid-19 through the provision of strong sustainable services to our young people. This includes adapting to new delivery demands.

Purpose of the Scheme

The grant is available to Northumberland Uniformed Group organisations such as (though not exclusively):

- The Scout Association
- Girl Guiding
- Girls & Boys Brigade
- Fire, Police, Army and Sea Cadets
- St John Ambulance

In particular the scheme is seeking to fund:

- More children and young people encouraged to take part and have access to Uniformed Group activities
- More adult volunteers becoming engaged and supporting the work of Uniformed Groups
- Activities that demonstrate partnership and innovation

Grant Details

- The maximum grant is £1,000
- The total funding available £25,000
- 100% intervention rate (no match funding required)
- Both Capital and Revenue applications are welcomed
- Closing date is 5pm Friday 17th July 2020

Eligibility

- Applicants must be a not for profit Voluntary Community Sector organisation or Charity
- Applicants must be a Uniformed Group
- Beneficiaries must be domiciled in Northumberland although the delivery organisation does not

Forms and guidance

- Online form
- Expenditure form (PDF format)
- Expenditure form (WORD format)
- Guidance

Please note that we can only consider applications when we receive all supporting documents, namely:

- Constitution or equivalent governance document
- Most recent annual accounts
- Recent bank statement (all accounts)
- Safeguarding policies
- Equality policy if not stated in other documents
- Copies of any other relevant policies, permissions, licences, deeds, etc.

Please provide, where possible, all documents in PDF format by email.