

Funders Summary

Maldon District Council

Lottery Funders

- [BIG Lottery](#)
 - [Reaching Communities](#)
 - [Building Better Opportunities](#)
- [Heritage Lottery Fund](#)
 - [Heritage Grants](#)
 - [Heritage Enterprise](#)
 - [Townscape Heritage](#)
 - [Parks for People](#)
 - [Skills for the Future](#)
- [Sport England](#)
 - [Community Sport Activation Fund](#)
 - [Improvement Fund](#)
 - [Inspired Facilities](#)
- [Arts Council England](#)
 - [Grants for the Arts](#)
 - [Creative employment programme](#)

Government Funding

Most government departments release funding opportunities without much notice but some do have ongoing funding programmes.

- [DEFRA](#)
- [Department for Transport](#)
- [Skills Funding Agency](#)
- [Department for Communities & Local Government](#)
- [NESTA](#)

Charitable Trusts

- [Essex Community Foundation](#)
 - [General and Small Grants](#)

- [High Sherriff's Fund](#)
- [Esmée Fairbairn Foundation](#)
- [SIB Group](#)
 - [Community Assets and Services Grants](#)
- [Education Endowment Fund](#)
- [Henry Smith Charity](#)
 - [Capital and Revenue Grants](#)

European Structural Funds

- [LIFE](#): Funding for environment
- [COSME](#): Competitiveness of Enterprises and Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
- [Erasmus+](#): Education & Training
- [Connecting Europe Facility](#): Energy, Telecommunications and Transport
- [EU Territorial Cooperation \(INTERREG\)](#): Strengthen economic and social cohesion
- [Horizon 2020](#): Research & Innovation.
- [EAFRD](#): European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (Delivered through [DEFRA's Leader Programme](#))
 - ERDF and ESF Funds to be distributed with reference to SELEP's [European Structural and Investment Fund Strategy \(ESIF\)](#)
 - [ESF](#): European Social Fund
 - [ERDF](#): European Regional Development Fund

Other funding

- Social Investment
 - [SIB Group](#)
- Crowd Funding
 - [Space Hive Essex](#)
- Seed Capital / Venture Capital
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- European Investment Bank
- Community Shares