



What is C.A.F.?

Sport England's Community Asset Fund is dedicated to developing spaces in the community that give people the opportunity to be active. The fund aims to retain people and increase the numbers of those participating in sports.

The aim is to help local organisations to create quality and financially sustainable facilities



Who can apply?

Sport England are looking for applicants who ensure that everyone has the opportunity to participate in sports and physical activities. The following groups and organisations can apply:

- Community groups
- Local sports clubs
- Education settings
- Parish councils
- Local authorities



There are 3 levels of funding available:

£1,000 to £15,000

Small scale

£15,000 to £50,000

Medium scale

£50,000 to £150,000

Large scale

Community Asset Fund

£15 million per annum



Statutory bodies

An additional budget will be ring-fenced for statutory bodies and education establishments. These establishments are required to:

- Provide a minimum of pound-for-pound partnership funding
- Demonstrate the strategic need for their project proportionate to the scale of investment requested
- Limit requests to a maximum of £150,000 within any 12 month period.



Funding from elsewhere

An organisation applying for funding from C.A.F need to demonstrate they have sought funding from elsewhere.

Fundraising ideas include:

- Donations and fundraising
- Crowdfunding
- Gift Aid
- Loans
- Community Shares
- Social Investment Tax Reliefs (SITR)
- Social Investment

If you're interested in getting your project started with a free consultation and funding action plan, call us on 01225 792660 or email sales@playforce.co.uk.



How to apply

Organisations applying for funding are required to fill in a single online application form with basic information about you and your project.

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