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Ceredigion County Council Community grants

[Link - Community Grants - Ceredigion County Council](#)

Capital grant:

At least 10% of project funded from own resources

Maximum grant either 50% of project costs or the amount required to fund the project deficit, subject to a maximum of £25,000, whichever is lower.

Revenue grant:

At least 10% of project or gross revenue costs funded from own resources

Maximum grant either 25% of the gross revenue cost or the amount required to fund the estimated deficit, subject to a maximum of £10,000, whichever is lower.

Landfill disposals tax communities scheme

[Link - Landfill Disposals Tax Communities Scheme - WCVA](#)

The geographical focus of the scheme is 5 miles around a landfill and 5 miles around a transfer station.

Main grants from £5,000 to £49,999, the scheme can support 100% of project costs

Postcode Communities Trust

*Link - Community Trust |
Postcode Community Trust*

£2,500 or £25,000 grant schemes

Projects can run up to 18 months from payment of the grant
2023 guidelines will be published in January

The National Lottery Community Fund

Link - <https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/>

Several grant options -under £10,000 and over £10,000

Capital or Revenue costs

Can be long term, multi-year

Welsh Water Community Fund

Link - Community fund | Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water (dwrcymru.com)

Up to £1,000 funding

Projects to be completed within 12 months of approval

Tesco Community Grants

Link - Tesco Community Grants

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Funding Wales

[Link - Funding Wales](#)

A free funding finder managed and updated by WCVA and CVC's throughout Wales

Play Wales Funding List

[Link - Play Wales | Chwarae Cymru](#)

PlayQuest Funding List*

[Link - Playarea Funding and Grants - Play Quest \(playquestadventureplay.co.uk\)](#)

RedMonkey Play Funding List*

[Link - Guide To Playground Funding: How to Get It | Red Monkey Play](#)

Playdale Funding List & Guide*

[Link - Playground Equipment Funding - Playdale Playgrounds](#)

*We do not endorse any of the private companies or their products, we are only recommending looking at the lists they have available for grant funders.

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Play Wales

[Link - Play Wales | Chwarae Cymru](#)

Their work includes:

- Policy: to work with individuals, organisations and networks to inform the development of policy and matters related to children's play in Wales
- Information service: to promote the value of children's play in Wales through the provision of timely and current information to our stakeholders
- Advice and support: to provide specialist knowledge regarding all issues about and affecting children's play
- Workforce development: to contribute to the professional development of the play and playwork workforces in Wales.

Planning policy and guidance: recreational spaces

[Link - Planning policy and guidance: recreational spaces | Sub-topic | GOV.WALES](#)

Guidance on the role of planning in providing sport and recreational facilities and informal open spaces.

Playful Childhoods

Link - <https://www.playfulchildhoods.wales/>

Playful Childhoods has been created to support:

- the development of playful communities for children across Wales
- a shared understanding of the importance of play for children and teenagers by all adults across Wales.

CAVO

Link - [Home | CAVO](#)

As Ceredigion's County Voluntary Council and a Third Sector Support Wales partner, CAVO work across the following four key pillars of activity in supporting the third sector and volunteers, and in our work with key statutory partners;

Volunteering

Good Governance

Sustainable Funding

Engagement and Influence

Ceredigion County Council

Link - <http://www.ceredigion.gov.uk/resident/children-young-people-services/play/outdoor-play-areas/>

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Support to the Play Area Network who manage parks and play areas in Ceredigion. Produce the Play Sufficiency Assessment 2022-25 for Ceredigion.