

# Employability Grant Fund

## Section 1. Organisation Details

Name of organisation	
What Type of Organisation	<input type="checkbox"/> voluntary and community organisation <input type="checkbox"/> constituted group or club <input type="checkbox"/> registered charity <input type="checkbox"/> not-for-profit community interest company (CIC) / social enterprise <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership/Limited Company
Name of main contact	
Position held by main contact	
Address of organisation	
Telephone Number	
E-Mail address	

Please tell us about your group's activities and what your group was set up to achieve?

Have you previously been involved in any other similar projects or experience of delivery?

**Section 2. The Project**

Project Title		
Main targeted Area / ward where most activity will take place	<input type="checkbox"/> Clayton West and Cuerden	<input type="checkbox"/> Euxton
	<input type="checkbox"/> Clayton East, Brindle and Hoghton	<input type="checkbox"/> Buckshaw and Whittle
	<input type="checkbox"/> Croston, Mawdesley and Euxton South	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley North and Astley
	<input type="checkbox"/> Eccleston, Heskin and Charnock	<input type="checkbox"/> Coppull
	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley North East	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley South West
	<input type="checkbox"/> Adlington and Anderton	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley North West
	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley East	<input type="checkbox"/> Borough Wide
	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorley South East and Heath Charnock	

When do you anticipate your project starting?	
When do you anticipate your project finishing?	
Total cost of project	
How much Funding are you requesting?	

Any Match funding /in-kind contribution?

Please describe exactly what the project will do as fully as possible - Please describe your project, the event, or activities you plan to carry out using our grant. Be specific about what you will do, how you will do it and what you would spend the grant on.

Why is your project needed? - Tell us about the problems or issues your project aims to address. Include how you identified need for this project (e.g. community consultation)? Did you consult with your group members or the wider community who will benefit when you were deciding to do this project and what did you find out?

How will you promote and publicise your project? - Explain what you will do to make sure that people know about your project and how you will actively seek to identify people who need support, ensuring they can access services your project provides?

### Section 3. Priorities/Outcomes

Alongside the overarching goals of the Crisis & Resilience fund, applicants must demonstrate how their application enhances the life of young people in Chorley and supports better outcomes by meeting one or more of the focus pillars below:

- **Pillar 1: Emotional & Physical Wellbeing** – Delivering holistic 1:1 mentoring addressing mental health, anxiety, and stress to reduce long-term economic disengagement. Environments must be inclusive and neurodiverse-friendly.
- **Pillar 2: Financial & Housing Stability** – Providing wrap-around barrier mitigation, including housing instability and cost-of-living challenges, to build a secure foundation for participants.
- **Pillar 3: Employability, CV, and Digital Pathways** – Delivering high-quality careers guidance, CV creation, upskilling, and integration with local networks and employment taskforces.
- **Pillar 4: Targeted Locality Outreach & Rural Equity** – Executing face-to-face interventions using local community assets in high-need super output areas or hard-to-reach rural wards.

Tell us in your own words how your project will meet each of the priorities you have ticked? What are the major outcomes/impacts predicted? - Think about the difference or change your project will have on the local community or target beneficiaries. Do not just repeat the priorities using different words.

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<p>How many people will benefit? Please try to be specific rather than just “everyone in the area” Number of adults / children / families etc.</p>	
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#### **Section 4. Management and Monitoring**

<p>Who will make the project happen? - (Breakdown staffing for the project e.g. management, steering group, project lead)</p>
<p>How and who will monitor your progress with the project? - Tell us how you will know if your project is achieving it is desired outcomes and outputs?</p>
<p>Will your project continue after this funded project has finished? - If so, how will you sustain delivery and what will happen after the funded project is complete?</p>

## Section 5. Project Funding

Please outline below how you will be spending the money?

Match funding is not a requirement of this fund, but we would like to know of any other contributions towards delivering the project.

Expenditure Item - (Venue hire, staffing, promotional materials, equipment etc)	Amount
<b>Total cost of project</b>	
Funding Source	Amount
Youth NEET & Resilience Support Funding	
Other Funding	
In Kind Contributions	
<b>Total source of funding</b> (should be same as total cost of project)	
<b>Please provide details of match funding and in-kind contributions mentioned above?</b>	

## Section 6. Policies and appropriate qualifications

Does your organisation have the below?

You will be required to show evidence if your application is successful.

- Constitution or equivalent
- Bank Account (in name of group/organisation)
- Public Liability Insurance
- Safeguarding policy
- Health and Safety policy
- Appropriate qualifications to carry out delivery if applicable

## Section 7. Applicant's declaration

I confirm that I have checked this application to ensure that all the information within it is correct and am submitting this project proposal on behalf of my organisation.

Any grant awarded will be used only for the project outlined. I understand we will need to provide any evidence on request of governance, policies etc. prior to any final grant award/payments being received and will provide monitoring information on the progress of the project.

**Print Name**

**Signature**

**Date**

Please EMAIL your completed application to: [communities@chorley.gov.uk](mailto:communities@chorley.gov.uk), or

SEND to: **Communities Team, Chorley Council, Union Street, Chorley, PR7 1AL**