

CBA One-off Mission Grants

“Could Be Anything”

REQUIREMENTS

- Individuals applying (training / CMD grants etc.) must be in membership of a CBA church.
- Individuals must show matched funding for 100% of the requested grant amount (excepting chaplaincy sabbatical grants).
- Churches applying must supply their most recent full-year accounts and their current safeguarding policy.
- Churches with over £50,000 in annual income must show matched funding for 100% of the requested grant amount.
- All grant applicants to provide a short, “post-receipt” report with photo(s) for audit and publicity (“story-telling”) purposes.

NOTES TO GUIDE APPLICATIONS

- Normally only one grant would be given to an applicant (an individual or a CBA church) per calendar year.
- Normally the maximum amount of a single grant would be £5000.

Grants for **churches** would be used typically in the following ways. Applications are not restricted to the examples given.

- Equipment for a missional / community project
- Setting up a Renew Wellbeing hub
- A building (new or renovation) project (but not routine maintenance)
- Installation of sustainable energy provision, linked to church buildings or manses
- Expenditure needed to meet A Rocha “Eco church” criteria

Grants for **individuals** would be used typically in the following ways. Applications are not restricted to the examples given.

- Training – related to mission and / or ministry (but not general costs of ministerial formation)
- Continuous Ministerial Development
- Sabbatical projects (including grants to chaplains to enable leave of absence)
- EQUIP – for leaders aged 18 – 30
- Participation in The Learning Community

Church accounts supplied should be the most recently available audited / examined full year accounts.

Grant applicants to provide a “post-receipt” report by email to secretary@centralba.org.uk within 3 months of grant receipt.

Funding requests for ongoing employment / stipend costs (ministry / youth work / Parish nursing etc.) should normally be made via the Home Mission Growth Grant process.

The awarding of grants is subject to sufficient finance being available and the CBA Council reserves the right, for any reason, to award grants partially, or not all, even where criteria have been met. Priority will be given to those churches actively giving to Home Mission.