

# LETS Tackle Poverty Grants List

Organisation	Project Name	Project Summary	Neighbourhood	Amount Awarded
First Kick Foundation	Hillock Family Development and Wellbeing improvement service.	First Kick Foundations team of trusted, placed based mentors working in partnership with the following partners; Ribble Drive Primary School, Onward Homes and Greater Manchester Police, would welcome the opportunity to deliver 2x 4 week, specialist family wellbeing, lifestyle improvement and financial inclusion support programmes. Each programme will support up to 5 families who have been identified as facing acute hardship, disadvantage and inequality relating to lifestyle barriers and challenges being faced, through no fault of their own. This programme will support families to develop the confidence, skillset and ability to eradicate inequality, poverty and disadvantage, in a sustainable and impactful way.	Whitefield	£2000
Springs Community Project	Summer Kids club	We hope to offer a 4 week Summer Kids Club for disadvantaged children who would not normally leave the constraints of their home during the School Holidays. This would offer indoor and outdoor games/sports, craft making, baking and hopefully an educational day trip out. We would be offering fruit and snacks and drinks throughout the weeks as some children don't eat fruit at home due to cost implications. We encourage interaction for children from all	Bury East	£2000

		backgrounds and promote inclusion and the forging of new friendships. We offer group activities and individual support for creative activities. The children are shown how to bake and the importance of healthy eating and food safety. They then take their items home to share with other family members.		
Helping Our Kehillah	Helping Our Local Families	We will provide culturally appropriate food boxes and hot meals to Orthodox Jewish families in Prestwich facing financial hardship, low mood and isolation. Forty families will receive a £50 package of essentials, hand-delivered by trained befrienders who offer a listening ear and practical guidance. The parcels serve as a safe entry point to reach people who would not otherwise seek help. Once contact is made, we create a tailored care plan and offer weekly follow-up support to help families stabilise and gain financial security. All support is delivered discreetly and with dignity, helping families feel respected and able to move forward.	Prestwich	£2000
SafetyNet	Digital Inclusion Community Support Hub	SafetyNet will deliver a 10-week Digital Inclusion Programme providing 80 hours of one-to-one mentoring for residents with low digital confidence.  The project will deliver 8 hours of support per week, helping at least 50 people complete essential online tasks that affect financial stability, health, and access to services.	Prestwich	£2000

		<p>Mentors will support users to apply for benefits, manage bills, access NHS services, reduce household costs, and apply for jobs or training.</p> <p>Support is personalised and paced to individual needs, building confidence and independence.</p> <p>By reducing digital barriers, the project helps prevent financial hardship and strengthen long-term resilience within the community.</p>		
Prestwich Circle	Digital Home Support	<p>Circle currently deliver digital classes across Bury, helping residents build confidence and skills online. Community hubs, social prescribers, and members of the public have identified a clear unmet need for home visits for those unable to leave their homes due to poor physical or mental health. This funding will enable one-to-one home-based digital support, improving digital inclusion, reducing isolation, and ensuring vulnerable residents can access services, information, and social connections.</p>	Prestwich	£2000
Creative Living Centre	CLC Digital Workshop	<p>The Creative Living Centre will run an 8-week Digital Inclusion Drop-In Hub, offering weekly supported sessions to help members improve digital confidence, access essential online services, manage household costs, and stay connected. Delivered using the CLC's fully equipped digital suite, the hub will give residents access to computers, tablets, reliable broadband and a supportive learning environment. Sessions will provide 1:1 guidance on using devices, accessing benefits and healthcare online,</p>	Prestwich	£1,520

		setting up email, using cost-saving tools, and staying safe on the internet. This project will reduce digital inequality and help residents build confidence, independence and financial resilience.		
The Bury Project	Supporting our trainee debt coach	We are looking for help to fund our new debt coach. For the last six years we've employed one debt coach for three days a week. Our debt coach sees about 25 – 30 clients a year. But some clients have waited three months, while sometimes we have had to turn potential clients away. We recruited a debt-coach in 2024. Unfortunately, she had to withdraw due to urgent family problems. So we recruited another debt coach in September 2025, who began her training in November and started working with clients in December, under the supervision of our existing debt coach. She will take on her first client in January.	Bury East	£2000
Baby Basics Bolton and Bury	Baby Basics Bolton and Bury	Baby Basics provides 'Moses basket starter packs' to vulnerable families within our local community. Health and social care professionals refer to our service when they meet a parent who is unable to provide the essential items needed for their newborn baby, which can be for a number of reasons, including poverty, domestic abuse, bereavement, disability and trafficking. Our service also goes one step further in meeting the needs of babies as they grow and their needs change and develop, so we also provide larger equipment including prams, cots, highchairs, baby baths, stair gates, play mats, bouncers.	Boroughwide	£2000
The Fed	The Fed's Community Services Helpline	Funding will support our free, daily helpline, which acts as a 'front door' to a range of our services for 50 weeks. Anyone from the Jewish community can access support. People can	Boroughwide	£1,930

		<p>phone, request a home visit or come to a face-to-face appointment at Heathlands Village, our main office, or attend one of our weekly support groups. The project improves the health and wellbeing of isolated and often vulnerable Jewish people. The people who will benefit will be people with health and social care needs. Our helpline is a vital resource for people facing financial difficulties. Most individuals who contact us are struggling with poverty and rely on our support to address urgent financial needs.</p>		
Supporting Sisters	Lets Connect Communities	<p>We propose to deliver a programme of weekly digital inclusion sessions designed to support older people, individuals with English as an additional language and women in refuges, and those who experience difficulties accessing online services. The workshops will provide practical guidance on using essential digital platforms, including Ask My GP, Universal Credit, housing services, and other online public services. Participants will be supported through structured, accessible learning using tablets or laptops provided during the sessions. The programme will consist of 10 weekly sessions.</p>	Bury East	£2000
Steps to Empower CIC	STEP TO EMPLOYMENT & FINANCIAL CONFIDENCE	<p>STEP TO EMPLOYMENT &amp; FINANCIAL CONFIDENCE is a preventative, community-based project designed to support Ukrainian migrants living in Bury who are at risk of poverty due to unemployment, low income, financial insecurity, and limited understanding of UK systems.</p> <p>The project will deliver a structured programme of practical workshops and one-to-one support focused on employment, income generation, financial confidence, and</p>	Boroughwide	£2000

		digital inclusion. By increasing skills, confidence, and access to information, the project will help participants improve their financial situation and reduce the risk of long-term poverty.		
One Step Bury	Money, Meals, Movement and Mindset	Money, Meals, Movement and Mindset is a community-led, preventative programme supporting adults experiencing poverty-related stress to improve financial confidence, food security, physical wellbeing and motivation. Delivered by One Step CIC, the project combines practical budgeting support, affordable cooking sessions, gentle group exercise and trauma-informed wellbeing activities within one accessible community setting. By addressing both the practical and emotional impacts of poverty, the project supports participants to reduce costs, improve wellbeing and build sustainable routines that strengthen long-term independence and resilience.	Bury East	£2000
FGRS	FGRS community hub	We will use these funds if successful to continue our growing children's group and support for groups we run, chatty cafe, use of laptops and supporting people to maximise income where needed.	Bury East	£500
The Jewel Foundation	Empowering women to learn English	The project will deliver a 12-week English course specifically for women for whom English is not their first language. It will be delivered by a female tutor and community focused, taking place within a familiar and trusted community setting. This approach ensures cultural sensitivity and a strong understanding of the specific needs of the women taking part. The course will be delivered flexibly to support varying abilities and confidence levels. By improving English language skills, participants will gain increased confidence	Prestwich	£2000

		and independence, enabling them to gain employment, access and engage with a range of services and tackle community poverty.		
The Flowhesion Foundation	Bury Can Cook Healthy	<p><b>Programme</b></p> <p>10 Week structured programme of healthy cooking sessions for 20 women aged 25–55 from the South Asian community in Bury, focusing on affordable, nutritious meals and energy-efficient cooking.</p> <p><b>Impact</b></p> <p>After 10 sessions, participants will: Learn to bulk cook saving money, make culturally appropriate nutritious meals more accessible, receive free slow cooker to continue cooking at home, try new recipes, share food, build friendships that extends beyond the program.</p>	Bury East	£2000
The BAME Project	Essential Eats – Feeding Futures Not Just Hunger	<p>This project will support Bury residents on low incomes through friendly, community based healthy eating, cookery, and fuel saving sessions. With rising food and energy costs, many local people are struggling to make ends meet. Practical workshops will help participants cook affordable, nutritious meals, use energy more efficiently, and reduce household bills.</p> <p>Sessions will build confidence, share everyday tips, and reduce isolation. By offering simple, practical support close</p>	Bury East	£2000

		to home, the project will help local people manage on limited incomes and improve their health and wellbeing.		
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