

Contestable Grants Calendar for grants funded, or administered by the Dunedin City Council														
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Funds open year-round for application, noting limited staff availability from late December and early January														
Fund Name	JAN	FEB	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER		Reporting
Neighbourhood matching Grants Up to \$500 per grant	Always open, decisions made within 10 working days, except in December and January. Applications received between 15 December and 15 January will be decided by 1 February.													Written confirmation event or activity occurred, provided to the DCC within 3 months of project or event completion
Small Project Grants Up to \$500 per grant	Always open, decisions made within 10 working days, except in December and January. Applications received between 15 December and 15 January will be decided by 1 February.													
Arts Small Project Grants Up to \$500 per grant	Always open, decisions made within 10 working days, except in December and January. Applications received between 15 December and 15 January will be decided by 1 February.													
Waste Minimisation Small Project Grants Up to \$500 per grant <i>(funded by the Ministry for the Environment)</i>	Always open, decisions made within 15 working days, except in December and January. Applications received between 15 December and 15 January will be decided by 1 February.													
Rates Relief Grants Grants vary based on rates and facility use	On hold for new applicants													No reporting required. Information confirmed through Rates Information
Contestable Grant Rounds (DCC Funded)														
Community Grants Up to \$5,000 per grant			Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid-May decisions advised by 1 June				Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date Mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			Reports due within 12 months of grant application close date or within three months of project

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City Service and City Project Grants grant amounts vary				Applications close the last day of April			Grants Sub-committee meeting date early July							completion, and before applying for another round
Place Based Community Grants grant amounts vary							Applications close the last day of July		Grants Sub-committee meeting date middle of September					
Community Events Grants Up to \$10,000 per grant			Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid-May decisions advised by 1 June				Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date Mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			Reports due within 12 months of application close date or within three months of project completion, and before applying for another round
Major Community Events and Premier Events Grants grant amounts vary				Applications open 7 April	Applications close 16 May		Grants Sub-committee meeting date early July							Reports due within 12 months of application close date or within three months of project completion, and before applying for another round
DCC Arts Grants Up to \$5,000 per grant			Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid-May decisions advised by 1 June				Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date Mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			
Professional Theatre Fund Up to \$20,000 per grant									Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date Mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			
Arts Capability Funding ( <i>a partnership fund with Otago Community Trust</i> ) Up to \$10,000 per grant								Applications close 31 August		OCT/DCC grants meeting early October and then OCT Board meeting Ratification of grants				
Dunedin Heritage Fund grant amounts vary	Applications close 31 January for February	Emergency applications always open	Emergency applications always open	Applications close 30 April for May committee meeting	Emergency applications always open	Emergency applications always open	Emergency applications always open	Applications close 31 July for August	Emergency applications always open	Emergency applications always open	Applications close 31 October for November	Emergency applications always open		

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<b>Biodiversity Fund</b> Up to \$5,000 per grant 50:50 cost-share.			Applications close on the last day of the month		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid May with decisions advised by 1 June				Applications close on the last day of the month		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			
Contestable Grants administered by Dunedin City Council on behalf of other organisations														
<b>Waste Minimisation Community Project/Initiative Grant</b> <i>(funded by the Ministry for the Environment)</i> Up to \$5,000 per grant			Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid May with decisions advised by 1 December				Applications close last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid November with decisions advised by 1 June			
<b>Waste Minimisation Innovation and Development (Commercial)</b> <i>(funded by the Ministry for the Environment)</i> Grant amounts vary									Applications close last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			
<b>Creative NZ Creative Communities Dunedin Scheme</b> <i>(funded by Creative New Zealand)</i> Up to \$5,000 per grant			Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date mid-May decisions advised by 1 June				Applications close the last Friday		Grants Sub-committee meeting date Mid November with decisions advised by 1 December			