

# The National Lotteries Commission (NLC) regulates lotteries and sports pools in South Africa. From these regulatory activities, we collect revenue to distribute funds to good causes.

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In order to increase the impact of funding on society's wide-ranging needs, the Board of the NLC resolved to identify priority areas for funding on an annual basis to increase the impact of funding. Qualifying organisations are invited to apply for funding in these areas for the period: 1 April 2018 – 31 March 2019. Application forms are available on the website and at all provincial offices.

## Arts, Culture & National Heritage Sector

Areas	Programmes/Projects	Priority Area
Arts and Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training and development programmes for the performing arts and culture events</li> <li>• Development and support of craft initiatives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Development of productions in the performing arts, with an SA bias</li> <li>• Development and support of craft initiatives</li> <li>• Participation in arts and culture events</li> <li>• Development of related technical skills for the arts</li> <li>• Basic infrastructure projects for arts and culture aligned to the development agenda of government</li> <li>• Arts and culture events as identified in official calendars</li> <li>• Promotion and development of South African visual arts</li> <li>• Promotion and development of literary endeavours</li> <li>• Craft projects with a focus on employment creation targeting previously disadvantaged communities, including but not limited to youth, women and people with disabilities</li> </ul>
Environmental programmes including Agricultural projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recycling and clean-up projects <i>Preference will be given to projects that facilitate a strong involvement of youth through volunteerism and/or job creation</i></li> <li>• Micro-agricultural initiatives that support community health and nutrition</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eradication of alien vegetation</li> <li>• Bio-diversity projects</li> <li>• Recycling and clean-up initiatives</li> <li>• Rehabilitation of water resource systems</li> <li>• Environmental awareness programmes.</li> <li>• Small scale Agricultural projects promoting food security</li> </ul>
Cultural Heritage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tangible and Intangible Cultural Heritage (ICH) projects</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Protection, preservation, restoration and rehabilitation of cultural heritage sites</li> <li>• Support the facilitation of nomination and declaration of cultural heritage sites</li> <li>• Heritage awareness programmes</li> <li>• Cultural heritage tourism promotion projects</li> <li>• Preservation, promotion and awareness creation of Indigenous Knowledge System (IKS)</li> </ul>

## Charities Sector

Strategic Funding Programmes	Projects to be funded
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prevention, early intervention and protection services to vulnerable groups and families.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community home-based care and psycho-social services to vulnerable people with chronic illnesses, orphans/children, older persons, people with disabilities and the abused (Including the destitute and abandoned).</li> <li>• Educational, advocacy and counselling services for abused and vulnerable groups, which include women/men, older persons, people with disabilities and children. (Including the destitute and abandoned).</li> <li>• Infrastructure and maintenance of children's homes/child and youth care facilities, shelters for children and adults, aftercare services, and rehabilitation centres. (Excluding new infrastructure for Early Childhood Development Centres-ECDCs).</li> <li>• Interventions focusing on stimulation programmes (structured activities) for people with disabilities and older persons to improve their quality of life.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prevention and intervention programmes/ services that address crime reduction.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Educational, advocacy and counselling services for crime and substance abuse reduction.</li> <li>• Early interventions, diversion and offender integration programmes/projects for people (including children) in conflict with the law.</li> <li>• Early interventions for gender-based violence, violence against children, the elderly and people with disabilities.</li> <li>• Drug, alcohol and substance abuse interventions (including in-and out-patient programmes).</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Enterprise Programmes.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An integrated service offered by existing organisations/applicant (Non Profit Organisations) to promote organisational sustainability through community based income generating activities/projects. (Excluding Private/Family Trust, Profitmaking entities and Co-operatives).</li> <li>• Consider adding:</li> <li>• Please note: The applicant should be the same organisation that implements and benefits from the social enterprise programme.</li> </ul>

## Sport & Recreation Sector

Amount	Clarification
<b>National Sports Federations</b> can apply for a maximum grant of <b>R5 million</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transformation &amp; Development (minimum of 50% of value of the grant application);</li> <li>• International participation;</li> <li>• Domestic participation;</li> <li>• Capacity building; and</li> <li>• Sports equipment and apparel.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note: A detailed plan for the Transformation &amp; Development must be submitted with the application.</b></p>
<b>Provincial Federations</b> can apply for a maximum grant of <b>R2.5 million</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transformation &amp; Development (minimum of 50% of value of the grant application);</li> <li>• Domestic participation; and</li> <li>• Sports equipment and apparel.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note: A detailed plan for the Transformation &amp; Development must be submitted with the application.</b></p>
<b>Affiliates to Provincial Federations (Regions and Districts or Sub-Union Bodies)</b> can apply for a maximum grant of <b>R750,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participation in leagues;</li> <li>• Sports equipment and apparel; and</li> <li>• Transformation &amp; Development (minimum of 50% of value of the grant application);</li> <li>• Capacity building.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note: A detailed plan for the Transformation &amp; Development must be submitted with the application.</b></p>
<b>Sports Clubs including clubs that call themselves 'academies'</b> can apply for a maximum grant of <b>R500,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New basic sports facilities;</li> <li>• Upgrading of existing sports facilities;</li> <li>• Participation in leagues for clubs based in previously disadvantaged and rural areas (maximum amount of R50,000.00);</li> <li>• Sports equipment (maximum amount of R100,000.00); and</li> <li>• Boreholes.</li> </ul>
<b>Public Schools (Quintiles 1-5)</b> can apply for an amount up to a maximum of <b>R300,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New basic sports facilities and upgrading of existing sport facilities;</li> <li>• Sports equipment and apparel; (maximum amount R50 000.00); and</li> <li>• Boreholes.</li> </ul>
<b>Sports NGOs (NPOs or NPCs)</b> can apply for a maximum of <b>R300,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registered NGOs whose primary objectives are to implement sports and recreation-based programmes in communities; and</li> <li>• Community empowerment and recreation-based sports programmes.</li> </ul>
<b>Public Tertiary Institutions</b> can apply for an amount up to a maximum of <b>R1 million</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transformation &amp; Development (minimum of 50% of value of the grant application);</li> <li>• Domestic participation; and</li> <li>• Athlete training and preparation.</li> </ul>
<b>Provincial Sports Academies</b> can apply for a maximum of <b>R400,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Team coordination, athlete preparation, athlete support and administration.</li> </ul>
<b>Provincial Sports Confederations/ Councils</b> can apply for a maximum of <b>R400,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administration and coordination of sport activities and meetings amongst the districts and regions.</li> </ul>
<b>Regional Sports Councils</b> can apply for a maximum of <b>R200,000.00</b> for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administration and coordination of sport activities and meetings amongst local sports councils.</li> </ul>
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## Miscellaneous Sector

<p><b>This sector will cover the following areas:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Projects that aim to address emergency situations, disasters and catastrophic events; and</li> <li>• Projects that fall outside the scope of Arts, Culture and National Heritage, Charities and Sport and Recreation sector but within National Priorities.</li> </ul>
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