Grants workshop

SESSION FOUR



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Welcome

- Overview:
 - Why grants are important for our communities
 - How my office plays a role
 - Introduction to community engagement team



Agenda

- Who is here? Quick poll
- Introductions your purpose today
- Finding grants
- Be prepared
- Your grant application
- What is a grant maker looking for?
- Your tips and tricks



Check-in

Online poll



Your interest in grants

- Please introduce yourselves:
 - What would you most like to get from this workshop?
 - Do you have a particular project in mind at the moment? Share your idea with your group
 - What is your experience with grants?
 - What have you found tricky?



Finding grants

Grants are made from federal, state, local government, plus business and philanthropy groups

Federal government: <u>www.grants.gov.au</u>

Federal government (business): <u>www.business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs</u>

Victorian government: <u>www.vic.gov.au/grants</u>

Victorian government (business): www.business.vic.gov.au/support-for-your-business

Indi Funding Finder <u>helenhaines.grantguru.com.au</u>



Finding grants – Federal government



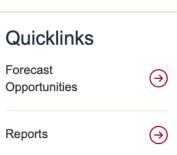
Welcome to the Australian Government's grants information system

GrantConnect provides centralised publication of forecast and current Australian Government grant opportunities and grants awarded

 Current Grant Opportunities
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 To find current Grant Opportunities click the View All button below.
 Forecast Opportunities

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 Reports





Finding grants – Federal government (business)

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Home > Grants & Programs

Grants & programs

Business

Find grants, funding and support programs from across government to help your business grow and succeed! When searching for funding, keep in mind that you'll generally need to meet certain criteria to be eligible, and that aside from funding assistance, many programs can help your business by building your skills and knowledge.

Search now

Find a grant or support program to help your business.

My business is located in postcode 0000



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Finding grants – Victorian government

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2019 Victorian Junior Landcare and Biodiversity Grants 🛛

🚯 \$500 - \$5,000 🕒 Not-for-profit groups 😢 Closed

The Victorian Government is funding up to \$410,000 in total for the Victorian Junior Landcare and Biodiversity Grants. The Department of Environment, Land Water & Planning (DELWP) and Landcare Australia are partnering for a second year to deliver the 2019 round of the grants. The grants offer funding for projects that seek to involve and educate young Victorians in valuing and actively caring for Victoria's biodiversity and our natural environment.



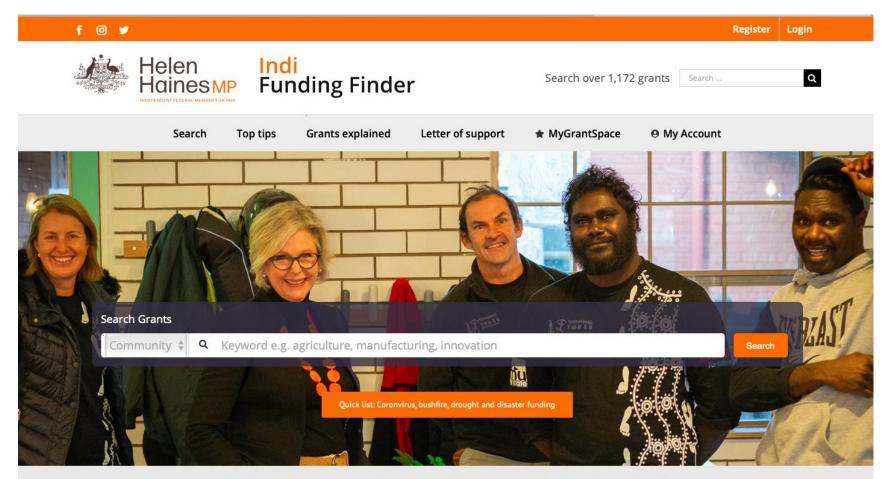
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Finding grants – Indi Funding Finder



GrantGuru provides a one-stop-shop for grants available from Federal, State, Local and philanthropic bodies



Finding – thinking about a project

In your group, identify one project idea to work on.

Brainstorm as a group:

- Who will the project serve?
- What are the benefits of the project?
- How would you describe the activities of this project? (e.g. sports, arts, community health and so on)



Stretch break

10 MINUTES - RETURNING AT 7.10PM



Be prepared

- What you need to know BEFORE you start the grant application.
 - "How-to" Guides and Videos:
 <u>www.helenhaines.org/resources/grants</u>



Your grant application

A typical online grant application form guideline:

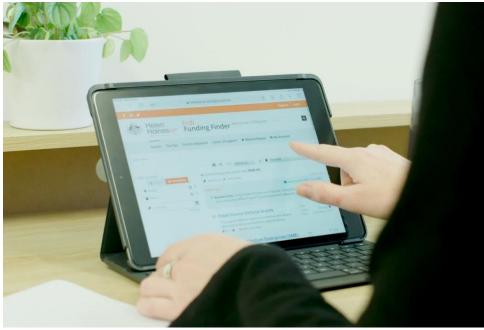
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Your grant application

In your small group, think about and discuss:

What do you think you need to know to prepare for and submit a grant application?





How is a grant assessed?

- Michelle Wilkinson, Grant Maker
- Q&A



Your tips and tricks

- On chat:
 - From your discussions today, and your own experience, what tips would you give to others applying for grants?



Final check-in

Online poll



Resources

• "How-to" Guides and Videos

www.helenhaines.org/resources/grants

• Your feedback from today <u>helen.haines.mp@aph.gov.au</u>







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