



## Bursary Guidelines

GMCNA will support their members, volunteers and athletes by providing bursaries to support their development, provide opportunities and further the positive reach netball has in GMCNA.

### Funding Available

GMCNA can cover costs up to £250. Examples of bursary requests, as follows (list not exhaustive):

- Tutor Courses
- Umpiring Courses
- Community Projects – e.g., setting up a club, new equipment, paying for a coach
- Volunteer Development

| Bursary Guidelines  |
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| 1. All applicants must hold a current membership to England Netball   |
| 2. Applicants must apply for grants prior to the course being undertaken and submit evidence of completion of course / training within 1 year of funding being allocated. The bursary may be withdrawn if not claimed within this period  |
| 3. Successful candidates will be required to undertake activity within the County and the commitment will be determined on an individual basis and listed in the special conditions of the bursary. By way of example only these could be things such as, but not limited to, mentoring, supporting at county events, providing guidance to young athletes. |
| 4. Candidates will be required to accept the terms offered to them and provide proof of qualification where applicable.   |
| 5. Multiple applicants from one club will be considered, applicants can only apply once in a season.  |
| 6. Each application will be judged on its individual merits and GMCNA's financial position at the time of application.  |
| 7. Payment will only be paid to the applicant and by BACS. Requests for alternative payment should be made in writing.  |
| 8. Applications are considered throughout the year and all applicants will be notified of the outcome following consideration by GMCNA no later than three weeks after application has been received  |

As stated above in item 6 - bursaries are subject to funds available to GMCNA. To apply for a bursary, complete the attached form and email to [greatermanchesternetball@gmail.com](mailto:greatermanchesternetball@gmail.com) or post to:

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