

SWEF Business Grant £2,000

Who is eligible to apply?

In order to be eligible for the SWEF Start-Up grant of £500, you need to be:

- aged between 18 and 30
- live in Greater Manchester
- running a business that has been trading for less than two years
- you will have needed to have made some sales for income from your business already
- from a low-income household or facing financial challenges.

Please note: There is one application form for both grant sizes. For the larger grant size, some questions will require more detail. All of the information is listed underneath each question.

What can I not apply for?

- salaries
- repayments of any debts
- software businesses or app development
- rent and utility bills
- stock or for an existing product line
- invasive beauty treatments
- ongoing software subscriptions
- new computers, phones or tablets*

***SWEF will make an exception when it comes to refurbished technology.** If you apply for a refurbished laptop, tablet or phone - you'll need to explain how this technology will transform your business.