

GRANTGURU

Getting started on your Grant Finder

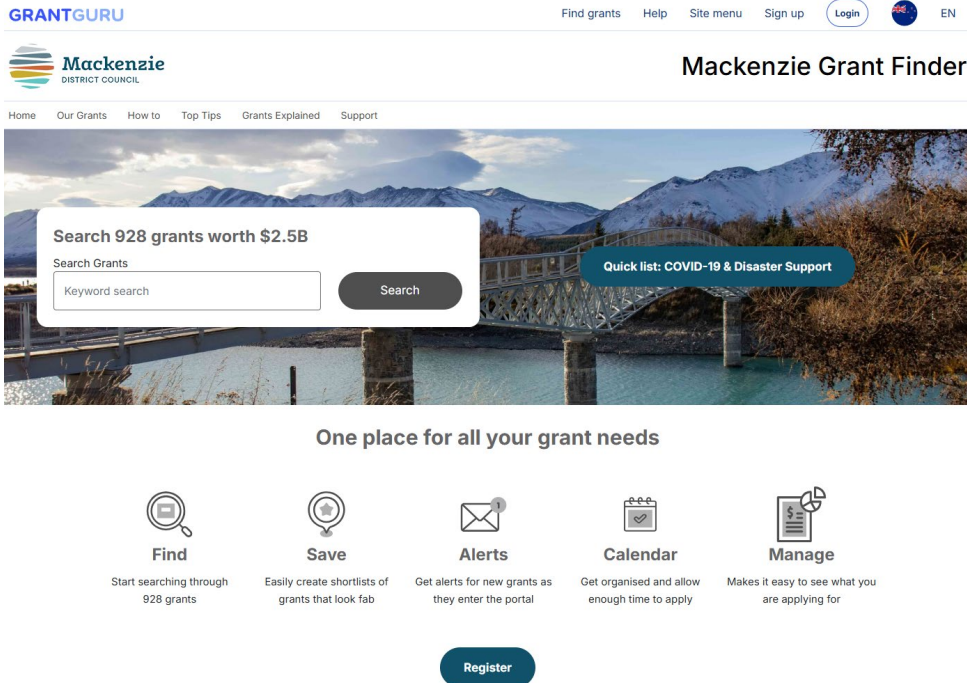
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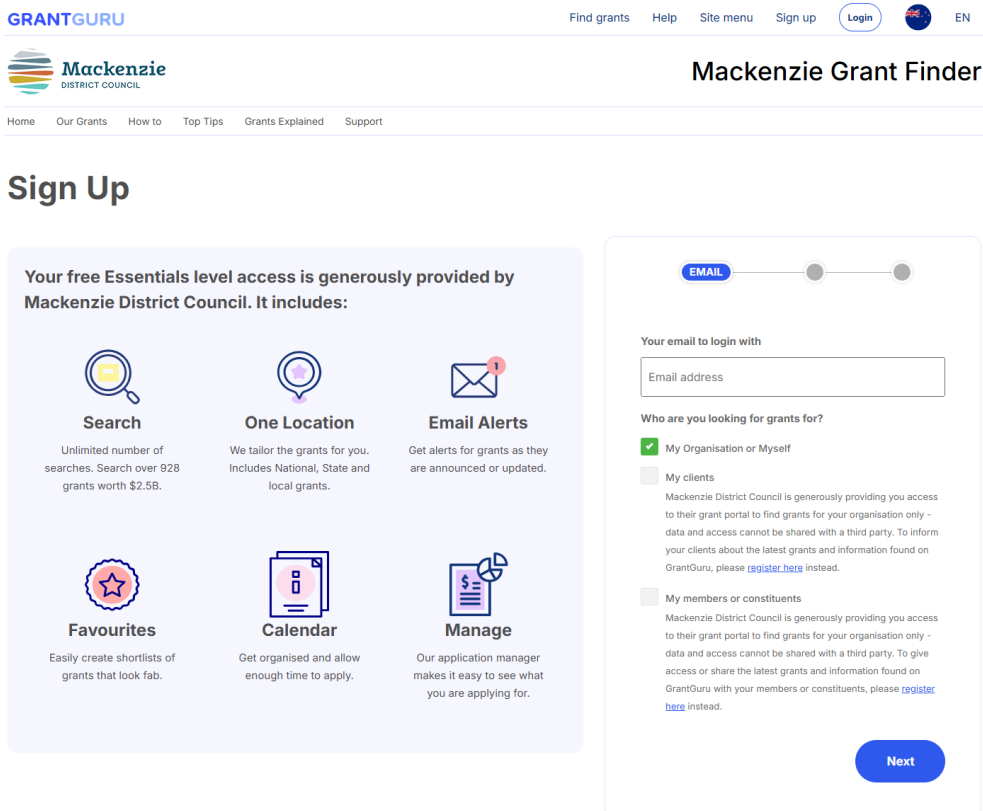
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How to register

1. From your local portal, click 'Register'.



2. Enter your email address and answer the questions



- 3. The first time you sign in, the Grant Finder will ask a few questions to ensure the portal is optimised for you and your grant searching. Fill out the questions.

The screenshot shows the Mackenzie Grant Finder dashboard. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'GRANTGURU' on the left and 'Find grants', 'MyGrantSpace', 'Help', 'Site menu', 'Shannon', 'Logout', and 'EN' on the right. Below this is the Mackenzie District Council logo and the title 'Mackenzie Grant Finder'. A secondary navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Our Grants', 'How to', 'Top Tips', 'Grants Explained', and 'Support'. The main content area is titled 'MyGrantSpace' and features a 'Dashboard' button, along with 'Favourites', 'Manage Lists', and 'Alerts' options. A large 'Welcome!' banner is displayed, containing a message: 'We're so excited you're here! So, what next?' and three call-to-action boxes: 'Check your alerts', 'Get searching', and 'Need some help?'. Below the banner are several statistics cards: '928 GRANTS MATCH', '1 GRANTS OPEN', '0 FUNDING SECURED', '0 APPLYING', '\$0 SEEKING', and '1 WATCHING'. A 'KEYWORD SEARCH' section includes a search input field and a 'Search' button. A 'GRANT OF THE MONTH' section highlights the 'Contaminated Sites and Vulnerable Landfills Fund' with a description and a 'Learn More' link.

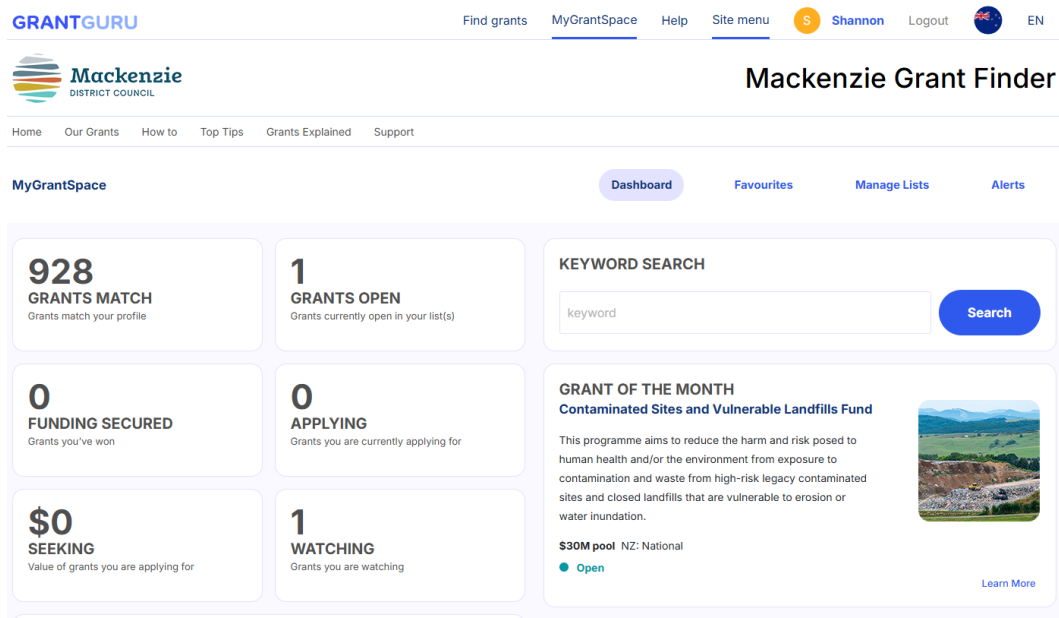
You're all set!

Once you have registered you will be able to now start customising the portal for your needs. You can start searching, making a list of appropriate grants and exploring the tools provided to you.

Welcome to the world of grant finding!

How to search - 1

1. When you login to the portal you will be taken to the Dashboard page. This page has an overview of how many grants are available for you to search.



2. One way to search for a grant is from this dashboard in the Keyword Search bar. Enter a word that is related to the grant you are looking for. Press Search.



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3. This will give you a long list of grants related to the Keyword you were searching for.

GRANTGURU Find grants MyGrantSpace Help Site menu **S Shannon** Logout EN

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119 grants worth \$60.1M Sort **Relevance** Filter Clear all filters

All categories Search: Sport **x**


Tips!
Don't use a keyword if you can use a filter. Using a keyword means you might be missing things relevant to you that use a similar, but different word. Use an asterisk * as a wildcard character - a search for 'sustain*', you'll get results that include 'sustainability', 'sustainable', 'sustained' and more.

Rebel Sport Grants

This programme aims to help deserving grass roots clubs across New Zealand provide the means for more kiwis to get involved in and play sport.

Status	Closes in 14 days	Max	\$10,000	Pool	\$160,000
Dates	Open 1 Oct 24, Close 31 Dec 24	Who	5 Sectors		
Where	NZ: National				

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Oxford Sports Trust Grants

This programme aims to distribute funds within the areas from which the funds are derived from for the promotion of amateur sport, charitable purposes and the promotion on of race meetings under the Racing Act 2003.

Status	Closes in 19 days	Max	\$50,000 (est)	Pool	\$461,972 (est)
Dates	Close 5 Jan 25	Who	3 Sectors		
Where	NZ: National				

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Category

- All categories
- Business
- Community
- Council
- Individual

Location

Activity

Industry

Sector

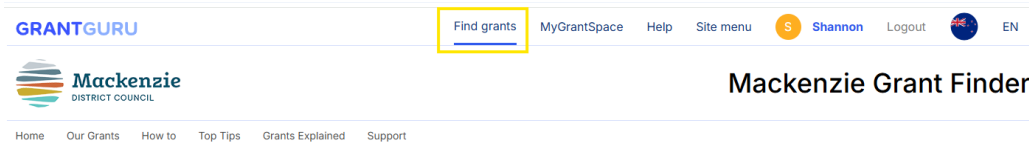
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Keyword search

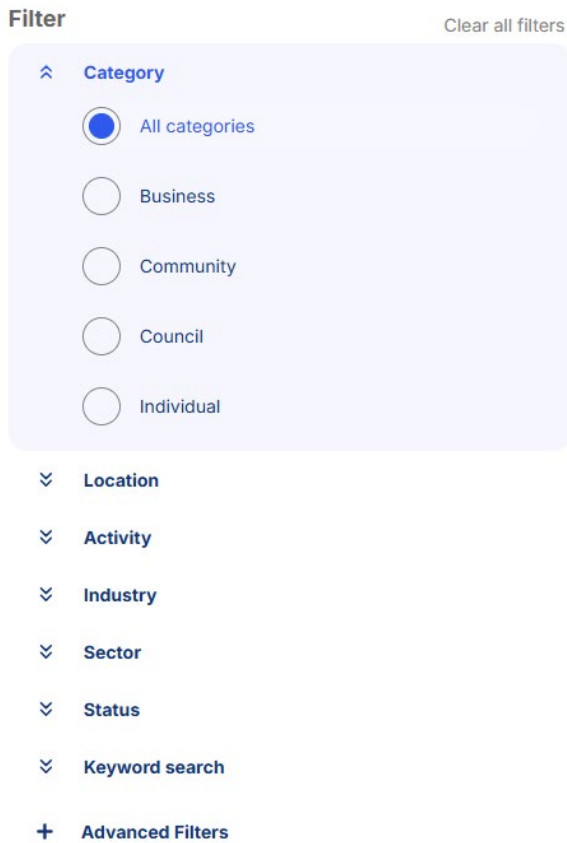
Advanced Filters

How to search - 2

1. The second way to search is to use the 'Search' function which you will find under 'Find Grants' in the menu. Go to Find Grants, then select Search.



2. On the right hand side of the Search page you will see many ways to filter the grants to see the grants most relevant to your projects.



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- Using the filters, such as location, activity, keyword search etc, the results will be better refined to your project. To see the filters selected, have a look at the top (highlighted in yellow).

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The screenshot displays the Mackenzie Grant Finder interface. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'GRANTGURU', 'Find grants', 'MyGrantSpace', 'Help', 'Site menu', a user profile for 'Shannon', 'Logout', and 'EN'. The main header features the Mackenzie District Council logo and the title 'Mackenzie Grant Finder'. Below the header, a navigation menu lists 'Home', 'Our Grants', 'How to', 'Top Tips', 'Grants Explained', and 'Support'. The main content area shows '4 grants worth \$2K' and a 'Sort' dropdown set to 'Relevance'. A filter bar at the top of the results is highlighted in yellow, containing 'Individual', 'Search: Sport', and 'NZ: CAN'. A 'Filter' sidebar on the right lists categories: 'Location' (Global, New Zealand, National, Canterbury, Overseas, Local), 'Activity', 'Industry', 'Sector', 'Status', 'Keyword search', and 'Advanced Filters'. Two grant listings are visible: 'Canterbury Sports Foundation Scholarships' and 'Alpine Energy - Personal Development Grants'. Each listing includes a description, status, dates, location, and an 'Add to My favourites' button.

Viewing a grant

- Once you have a short list of grants filtered down for your project you can view the grants in more detail. Simply click the name of the grant from the list and it will open up the expanded view of the grant.

Canterbury Sports Foundation Scholarships

Jump to [Who can Apply](#) [Dates](#) [Downloads\(2\)](#) [Contact](#)

Overview

This programme aims to provide financial assistance for emerging talented athletes within Canterbury.

There are no specified minimum and maximum funding limits.

The closing dates each year are:

- 4 March
- 30 June
- 1 September
- 30 November

Applicants may only receive one grant within a 12-month period.

Eligible Activities

Eligible expenditure include:

- Costs of additional coaching and development to achieve a higher standard and benefit the individual
- Cost of travel to attend national and international events

There must be no implication of personal financial gain. Requests for pre-cut proofreading GUMs will not be allowed. Applicants must specify the intended use for the funds.

Who Can Apply ?

Eligible applicants must:

- Be a Canterbury-based junior sports person (up to age 19 at the time of submitting application) who has shown potential at a national or international level and requires special assistance to develop further.

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Category	Individual
Location	NZ: Canterbury
Region	Regional-Rural
Status	Open
Closing Date	04-Mar-25 2 months
Closing Info	This programme is available quarterly. Please see the Overview for the closing details.

- Scroll through the page to see relevant information about the grant such as who can apply, assessment criteria, relevant dates, any downloadable content and in some cases a link to apply is shown as well.

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Who Can Apply ?

Eligible applicants must:

- Be a Canterbury-based junior sports person (up to age 19 at the time of submitting application) who has shown potential at a national or international level and requires special assistance to develop further.
- Have the endorsement of regional body, or national body if there is no regional body. Regional body must be an affiliate of a Sport New Zealand recognised National Sporting Organisation.

Restrictions

The following are ineligible for funding:

- Equipment
- Costs associated with retrospective events

Downloads

Please use these documents as a guide only - always get the latest direct from the [administrator](#).

	Application Form.docx	2024-07-18	Download .docx
	Guidelines.pdf	2024-07-18	Download .pdf

Status	Open
Closing Date	04-Mar-25 2 months
Closing Info	This programme is available quarterly. Please see the Overview for the closing details.
Competitive	Yes
Gender	Any
Age	Children, Youth
Eligible organisation types(s)	Individual
Sector/SubSector	
Sport	Events or Competitions, Other
Difficulty Rating	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="width: 100px; height: 10px; background: linear-gradient(to right, #00a651, #ffc107, #dc3545); border-radius: 5px; margin-right: 5px;"></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 100px; font-size: 8px;"> DIY Might need help Seek Help </div> </div>
Funding Type	Grant
Country	New Zealand
Government Tier	Other
Department	Sport Canterbury

Saving a grant to favourites

1. If you find a grant you think could be relevant to your project and you want to save it to come back later, you can add to a favourite list. This can be done when you are viewing the grant details by clicking the star above the image on the top right. If you have more than one Favourites list you will be prompted to choose which list you want to add this grant to.

Meridian Energy – Power Up Community Fund

Jump to [Who can Apply](#) [Main Assessment Criteria](#) [Dates](#) [Downloads\(2\)](#) [Contact](#)

Overview

This programme aims to support projects that support sustainable community development in areas where there are Meridian wind farms and hydro stations.



2. Another way you can add a grant to a Favourites list is on the search page. Click the star to add or remove the grant from a list.

Canterbury Sports Foundation Scholarships

This programme aims to provide financial assistance for emerging talented athletes within Canterbury.

Status ● **Closes in 2 months** Who 1 Sectors

Dates Close 4 Mar 25

Where NZ: Canterbury

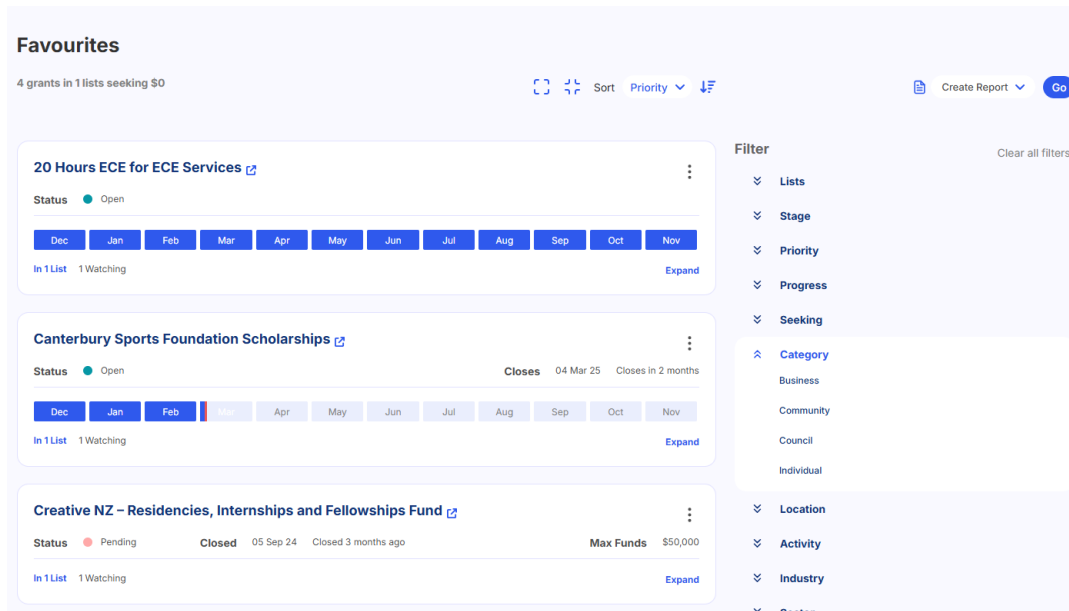
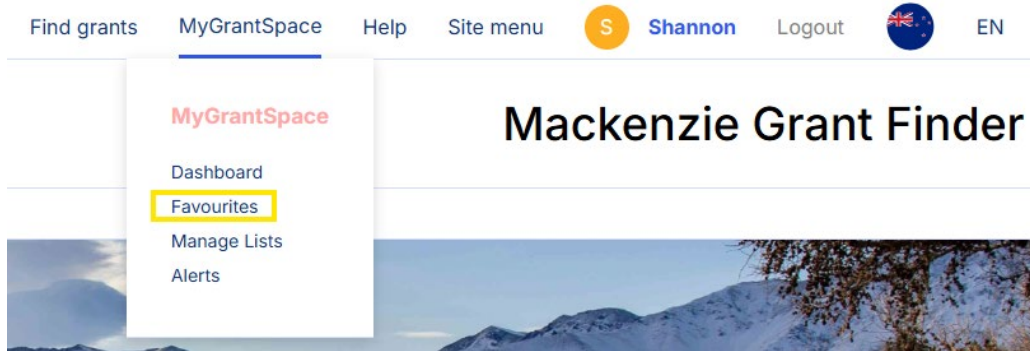
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Viewing a favourites list

1. To view your lists of grants that have been saved, select MyGrantSpace in the menu. Then select Favorites. You will see a list of all the grants you have saved in your Favourites lists.



2. The filters on the right hand side allow you to further filter to find specific grants you have saved in your list.





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