

# Landscapes, parks and nature



Landscaping in the Japanese Garden at Cowden, Scotland. Credit: Devlin Photo Ltd.

Looking after nature and helping people to understand its importance has never been more vital.

Since 1994 we have awarded over **£2.1billion** of National Lottery and other funding to more than 4,900 land, nature and biodiversity projects across the UK.

Protecting the environment is one of our four Heritage 2033 [investment principles](#). Our vision is for heritage to be valued, cared for and sustained for everyone, now and in the future.

We are prioritising landscape and nature projects that:

- support nature's recovery
- deliver nature-based solutions to address climate change
- reconnect people to landscapes, marine environments and nature

## The climate crisis

The heritage sector has an important role to play in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and tackling climate change. Find out more about what we're doing to [tackle the climate crisis](#).

## What we expect from projects we fund

We want **all kinds of heritage project**, large and small, to:

- limit any potential damage on the environment
- make a positive impact on the environment and particularly for nature

Read our [environmental sustainability guidance](#).

## How to get funding

Our National Lottery Heritage Grants funding programme is open, providing grants from £10,000 up to £10million.

[Explore our available funding](#)

## Find out more

Discover what projects we fund, and what you could do with our investment to help protect our natural world.

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### Habitats and species



We support projects that conserve and enhance habitats and protect and preserve the UK's precious species.

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### Landscapes



We expect successful projects to show how they will address the key challenges faced by the UK's landscapes and nature.

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**Public parks and urban green spaces**



Public parks are facing a severe reduction in funding from local authorities. This is how we can help your parks and urban green spaces.

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**Gardens and cemeteries**





The UK is world renowned for its wealth of historic designed parks, gardens and cemeteries. Here's how our funding can help look after them.

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