Access support for BFI fund applicants

The BFI is committed to making its funding accessible to all. You can get help if you need support to make an application.

# What support can I get?

The kind of support you can get includes:

* getting our funding guidelines in other formats, like large print or audio
* support to understand a fund’s guidelines
* support to complete an application form

# Access support cannot be used to:

* help develop your film or project
* pay for costs already covered by other support you might receive, such as Access to Work
* pay for hardware or software

# When can I get support?

You can get support if you are thinking about or want to apply to a BFI fund or the Film Audience Network.

[Find out more about the BFI’s funds](https://www.bfi.org.uk/get-funding-support)

[Find out more about the Film Audience Network](https://www.bfi.org.uk/get-funding-support/bring-film-wider-audience/bfi-film-audience-network)

## You can get support:

* before applying
* while making an application
* after an application has been submitted if we ask for more information or a meeting

## How can I get support?

TAPE Community Film and Music provide our access support for applicants. TAPE is an award-winning community arts charity based in North Wales.

Contact TAPE by telephone or by completing TAPE’s contact form to get support.

Telephone: 01492 512 109

 [Send TAPE a message](https://tapemusicandfilm.co.uk/contact/#content)

If the fund you’ve applied to asks you to join a meeting to talk about your application, the person arranging the meeting will help you with any support you might need.

# Data protection notice

Any personal information and details that you share with TAPE Community Music and Film about your project may be shared with the BFI. Information about the kind of access support you get will also be shared with the BFI. If the support you get relates to the Film Audience Network, this information may also be shared with your regional Film Hub.

This information will only be used by the BFI for monitoring purposes and it will be kept confidential. It would not be used as part of the application assessment process.