

# KCC - TRANSPORT INNOVATIONS NEWSLETTER

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## APPLY FOR CAPITAL GRANT FUNDING

Great news - the window for the 2017-18 Capital Grant Funding applications is now open!! All Kent schools can apply for a grant of up to £5k in order to support and promote active and sustainable travel choices. The infrastructure could be anything that encourages pupils and parents to travel to/from school in a way that reduces the number of cars used for the school run.

For example, St Joseph's Catholic Primary School in Broadstairs understood that parents were less inclined to walk with their children due to having no shelter to wait under on those days when the weather was dismal or particularly hot. So, with their successful bid for funding they were able to install a canopy which not only looks fabulous but has also enormously impacted the on the amount of parents now willing to walk to the school, knowing that they can take cover, should the wonderful English weather live up to its unpredictable nature.

To apply, all you will need to do is complete an annual review via the Jambusters system and enter your grant bid details upon completion. You will need to submit your review and grant application, no later than 5pm, on Friday 9th June. Successful and unsuccessful applicants will be notified no later than Friday 14th July.

Remember, you can be as creative as you like with your application! Innovative ideas will be looked upon favourably (see Page2 for more ideas!). You can even apply with match funding for bids under and above £5k. You can find a full run down of the Application Guidance on the Jambusters site, within the FAQ's - Grant Application tab. As always though, if you would like to discuss any aspect of your application in more detail, please don't hesitate to give me a bell!



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## NEED

## INSPIRATION?

Here are a few examples of the fabulous infrastructures that have occurred as a result of last year's Capital Grant Funding :



Pictures: "Scooter Pods", "Wellie Sheds" and combined cycle and scooter storage are just some of the ways that our Kent schools have been supporting their school runners in making sustainable travel an easy decision!

## HEADS UP:

### Operation Motion Starts!

Keep an eye on our 10 fabulous classes as they compete to be crowned Kent's most active school runners! You can check out the leader board at [www.operationmotion.co.uk](http://www.operationmotion.co.uk)

Together with their class mates, journeying across Kent to discover wonderful destinations that whole families can explore, we have:

- St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
- St Fancis' Catholic Primary School
- St Bartholomew's Catholic Primary School
- Kingsdown and Ringwould CEP School
- Herne Church of England Junior School
- St Peter's Catholic Primary School
- Oaks Primary Academy
- St John's Catholic Primary School
- Westmeads Community Infant School
- Seabrook Primary School

Good Luck Everyone!



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