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Deputy Geoghegan,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

Dail Question No: 547

To ask the Minister for Transport the details of the capital funding programmes or grants which his Department or any body under his aegis has responsibility, for which sporting organisations are eligible to apply for; the details of any funding programme or grant that is currently open or the date when a subsequent prospective funding programme or grant is scheduled to be opened for which a sporting organisation is eligible to apply for, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Geoghegan,

Thank you for your query which was referred to daa by the Minister for Transport. This query does not apply to daa as we are not a sporting organisation.

Dail Question No: 548

To ask the Minister for Transport the details of capital funding programmes or grants which his Department or any body under his aegis has responsibility, for which community organisations are eligible to apply for; the details of any funding programme or grant that is currently open or the date of when a subsequent prospective funding programme or grant is scheduled to be opened that a community organisation is eligible to apply for; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Geoghegan,

Thank you for your query which was referred to daa by the Minister for Transport. For decades, Dublin Airport has been a supporter of community activities, promoting development in education, literacy, sports and the arts. The Dublin Airport Community Fund supports local projects that make a difference to our neighbouring communities. We recently doubled our community spend to €400,000 per year for 25 years, making €10m available in total.

Under the fund, we have also partnered with the Dublin City University Access Service to provide scholarships to those students that may be marginalised in our community, giving them a unique opportunity to access third level education. Further information is available on our website: www.dublinairport.com/community-fund

Elevate '25 is a new daa-funded initiative that supports primary and secondary schools in Dublin Airport's local communities. Its purpose is to help fund transformational projects that benefit students, teachers and the wider school communities. All Department of Education - primary and secondary schools in the Dublin Airport catchment area are eligible to apply. Applications can be submitted [here](#).

Kind regards,

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