

Charities that may help with Equipment

Family Fund

Family Fund is a charity that provides a multitude of options, from a new washing machine to games consoles or summer houses. This is a means tested grant available once every 18 months in Scotland. You can apply directly from their website.



Cauldwell Children

Cauldwell Children can provide sensory packs that include a dark den, bubble tube and assorted sensory toys, they have a small contribution fee towards this. They also provide smaller sensory packs, these come with bubbles, foil blanket and tactile sensory toys.



Newlife Charity

Newlife charity specialises in equipment that your child may require, this can be a specialist car seat or car harness to a safe space sleeping area. New life also rent out sensory pods, which may be an option if you want to try things before purchasing.



Whizz kidz

Whizz Kidz is a charity that provides mobility equipment to children up to age 18. This can include specialist buggies to allow more freedom over rough terrain.



Other things that may help

CEA Cinema Card – this entitles the young person to a free carer to accompany them in the cinema and can be used to book online.



Access Card – The physical card acts as a photo ID that can be used to easily communicate your access requirements to events and venues, so that the venues can provide accessibility to the needs of their visitors. It also works online with other platforms like ticketing systems, to unlock the access facilities you need. The card shows a photo ID and translates a persons disability or impairment into symbols, effectively highlighting the barriers they face and the reasonable adjustments they might need. The Access Card app provides you with a personalised directory of venues, with first-class accessibility information to help you plan your trips.



Discount for Carers – Exclusive discounts, cashback & vouchers for Carers & Care Workers. For care assistants, live-in carers, those that care for loved ones, and everyone in between.

