



Letters have now been issued to all eligible businesses for the grant funding, and should arrive during the next couple of days. Payments will start to be made later this week. At this stage I have no further details and will update you as soon as I can.

As a reminder, here are the criteria for the 2 grant schemes:

SMALL BUSINESS GRANT FUNDING

The one-off grant of £10,000 is available to eligible businesses:

- Based in England
- In receipt of small business rate relief or rural rate relief as of 11th March
- You are a business that occupies property

CASH GRANT FOR RETAIL, HOSPITALITY AND LEISURE

A grant of up to £25,000 is available to eligible businesses. Businesses in these sectors with a property that has a rateable value of up to and including £15,000 may be eligible for a grant of £10,000. If your rateable value is between £15,001 and £51,000 you may be eligible for £25,000. Eligible businesses:

- Based in England
- Business is in the retail, hospitality and/or leisure sector
- Properties that will benefit from the relief will be ones that are wholly or mainly being used:
 - o As shops, restaurants, cafes, drinking establishments, cinemas and live music venues
 - o For assembly and leisure
 - o As hotels, guest and boarding premises and self-catering accommodation

Regards

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