



# GROWTH AND PARTICIPATION

## Phase 2 FAQs

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**1. Can my club apply for one of the Growth of the Game funds as well as Major Capital Investment Fund?**

Yes, clubs can apply again for one Growth of the Game fund and Major Capital Investment Fund as the Major Capital Investment Fund will now sit within the Club Sustainability Fund.

**2. My club was successful in getting Development Environments funding in Phase 1 (May 2022), can the club apply for Development Environments funding in Phase 2?**

Yes, clubs can apply again for the same category of funding, with a focus on different outcomes of the fund than in Phase 1. Any award made in Phase 2 will be subject to the successful implementation, reporting and invoicing of the Phase 1 funding by May 2022.

**3. My club was successful in getting Women and Girls funding in Phase 1 (May 2022), can the club apply for Women and Girls funding in Phase 2?**

Yes, clubs can apply again for the same category of funding, with a focus on different outcomes of the fund than in Phase 1. Any award made in Phase 2 will be subject to the successful implementation, reporting and invoicing of the Phase 1 funding by May 2022.

**4. My club was successful in getting State School Rugby funding in Phase 1 (May 2022), can the club apply for State School Rugby Funding in Phase 2 in partnership with the same school?**

Yes, clubs can apply again for this fund in partnership with the same school. However, for Phase 2 clubs can only apply for the same level of programme (Rugby Starter £5k, Intermediate £7.5k or Developed £10k) as was awarded in Phase 1. Any award made in Phase 2 will be subject to the successful implementation, reporting and invoicing of the Phase 1 funding by May 2022.

**5. Can clubs apply for more than one school for the State School Rugby Fund?**

No, the State School Rugby Fund is a joint application and investment between one clubs and one school only.

**6. My club was successful in getting Development Environments funding in Phase 1 (May 2022), can the club apply for a new funding category (State School Rugby or Womens and Girls) in Phase 2 ?**

Yes, clubs can apply for a different category of funding from the Growth of the Game Fund, but can only apply for one of the 3 categories.

**7. Can clubs apply by completing the form at the end of the guidance notes?**

No, clubs must submit an application via the appropriate online form outlined in each of the guidance documents. Applications submitted in other forms will not be considered.

**8. If successful in Phase 2, how long do we have to implement our programme and spend the funding?**

Successful clubs will have from February 2023 to May 2024 to implement their programme and evidence impact and proof of spend.