



UP YOUR GRANTS POLICY

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Summary: *This paper provides an update on the implementation of the policy*

1. To increase the grant pot by 15% each year for both Cambridgeshire and Chelmsford campuses.	COMPLETED
2. For this money to be sought from Union budgets that do not relate to Clubs and Societies activities and Extra-curricular student experience.	IN PROGRESS
3. To lobby the University to continue to fund off campus facility hire.	IN PROGRESS
4. We will still actively encourage clubs and societies to fundraise to increase the resources being put into their societies to reach their aims and objectives.	IN PROGRESS

Updates:

1. This was accepted by the board and will be implemented as of next year.
2. To be approved by the Trustee Board/CEO/relevant senior managers.
3. Ongoing.
4. Ongoing. In committee training/1-1's with coordinators and Activities Officers/Part of the Bronze, Silver, Gold accreditation scheme/SU Awards (Fundraising Group of the year) JS is also looking into restructuring the grants procedure to compliment this, a presentation is being taken to forum and then to a Students' Union Activities meeting following on from this.

Spoke to Alexis Mannion (Finance Manager) in early November regarding Up Your Grants. She was not optimistic that we would be able to secure extra funding from other budgets to finance this. The policy has lapsed and Laura is resubmitting to council.

FVC/LEDIC are asked to **DISCUSS**