

Financial Support Channels

South East Business Boost	Fund up to 30% of a project with grants between £1,000 - £10,000
LoCASE	Fund up to 40% of a green project with grants between £1,000 & £10,000
i-Construct	30% grant funding between £1,000 - £20,000 to develop & launch a new product/service
Innovation funding	Commercial viable R&D from Innovate UK
Manufacturing Growth Programme	Consultancy project with grants between £3,000 - £6,000
Start Up Loan	£500-£25,000 for business less than 24 months old
Recovery Loan Scheme	£25,001 to £150,000
Kent Community Foundation	£10,000 - £100,000 for Charities and CICs
SE Internationalisation Fund	Grants between £1,000 -£9,000 to SMEs with high growth potential

Non Financial Support Channels

Maidstone Borough Council	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General advice for existing businesses and signposting to business partners /stakeholders. • General advice for start up's -including business planning, cash flow forecasting, signposting to business partners/stakeholders. • HerBiz workshops for female start-ups
Kent & Medway Growth Hub	General business support and information
Kent REV's	free trial of electric van for 2 months
Locate in Kent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Support in locating your business to Kent or moving within Kent • Future Forward business growth programme
Further Education & Skills	www.gov.uk
Work from your local	A community driven campaign to get people working from their local on the local's terms
Business Success Programme	Training courses aimed at pre-start and start up with follow up grants in Oct/Nov
Adapting with Digital	Digital skills training with grants between £500-£2000 in Oct/Nov