



Tier 4 – Operator Grant

In order to apply for an Operator Grant (Tier 4) – the operator needs to submit a application document via email to info@swimathonfoundation.org . Please do not complete the application form.

The Tier 4 – Operator Grant application document should provide information on the following:

- Full contact details of the Operator.
- Full contact details of the applicant.
- Full details of what the grant will be used for, who it will benefit and what outcomes will be achieved (see Assessment criteria below)
- Details of where and when the training will take place
- Whether you have applied for The Swimathon Foundation grants before, and if so what was the outcome?
- How you heard about The Swimathon Foundation grants.
- Total costs of the training, your organisation's contribution and who will cover any additional costs of the course/assessment.
- Details of the potential beneficiaries of the training course.

The Tier 4 – Operator Grant is a competitive application process. There is one grant of up to £5,000 available. The successful application will provide all details requested and be able to demonstrate how their proposal has the ability to satisfy the following criteria:

Tier 4 Assessment Criteria:

1. Improve the training, education and qualifications of staff/management and volunteers.
2. Improve or develop training, education and qualifications in the sport of swimming
3. Demonstrate that the training programme/initiative is sustainable and able to be funded and developed in future years.
4. Provide opportunities above and beyond those already in existence or provided for.
5. Deliver measurable outcomes delivered from the Operator Grant
6. Provision of a post training report and assessment