

FSIF ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEPS 3&4	STEP 5	STEP 6	STEP 7
Ceiling grants	£400k	£250k	£150K	£100k	£100k	£20k
Maximum percentage grant	50%	50%	50%	50%	70%	70%
New covered seating	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
New open seating	x	x	x	x	x	x
New open or covered safe terracing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Upgrading open safe terracing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Convert terrace to open seating	x	x	x	x	x	x
Convert terrace to covered seating	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ingress, egress and circulation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
First aid rooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Secure boundary fencing and gates	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pitch perimeter rails, barriers + infill	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Players and officials safe walkway	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pitch perimeter hardstanding	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
P A systems (initial provision only)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
CCTV (initial provision only)	✓**	x	x	x	x	x
Computerised turnstiles	✓**	x	x	x	x	x
Control rooms	✓**	x	x	x	x	x
Mains service connections	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Crush barrier installations	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
New floodlights and upgrades	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	x
Emergency lighting (initial provision only)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Spectator toilets	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Press seating	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Turnstile and pay kiosks	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Changing rooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓*
Pitch drainage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pitch irrigation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓***	✓***
Car and coach parking	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Access roads	x	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Stewards radios (initial provision)	✓	✓	x	x	x	x
Hospitality areas (incl. tea bars****)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Artificial pitches	x	x	x	x	x	x
Viewing for disabled spectators	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
All facilities for disabled spectators	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

* The Step 7 ceiling grant for Changing Rooms is £50,000

** Only after securing promotion to the Football League

*** Pitch irrigation maximum 50%

**** Permanent buildings only with planning permission

Every application from Football League clubs considered on its merits up to a ceiling of £750,000 but taking account of all previous awards since 1990.

