



for business in Shaw

£100,000 of help for independent businesses



Oldham
Council

Shaw Business Improvement Grants

We're investing £100,000 to increase the vibrancy of Shaw town centre and offering up to £3,000 of grant support to independent businesses.

What can the grants be used for?

Support is available to help new and existing independent business owners to set up or grow their business. We're keen to hear from independent businesses located or wishing to locate to the area outlined on the map on the back of this leaflet.

The grants can be used to improve the exterior of your premises or for internal fit out.

Additional free support for businesses in Shaw

In addition to the Shaw Business Improvement Grant, we offer a range of additional support for your business, including:

- **Your Council contact** – a named contact within the council to help you progress your ideas
- **Bespoke business support to help grow your business** – this includes business planning, advice and guidance, access to new markets and a variety of workshops
- **Free recruitment support** – through the Get Oldham Working initiative to help attract new staff through advertising, interview support and wage subsidies
- **Access to finance** – in addition to the Shaw Building Improvement Grant, there is a range of funding available, including the Oldham Enterprise Fund. The Oldham Enterprise Fund is unique to the borough and provides a mix of loans and grants to new and existing businesses to help them grow

- **Mentoring and training** – specialist training to suit your business needs, plus mentoring and support from experienced business people
 - **Supply chain and networking opportunities** – introductions to relevant businesses and invitations to business networking events
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Interested?

Then please give us a call on: **0161 770 2077**

or email: invest@oldham.gov.uk

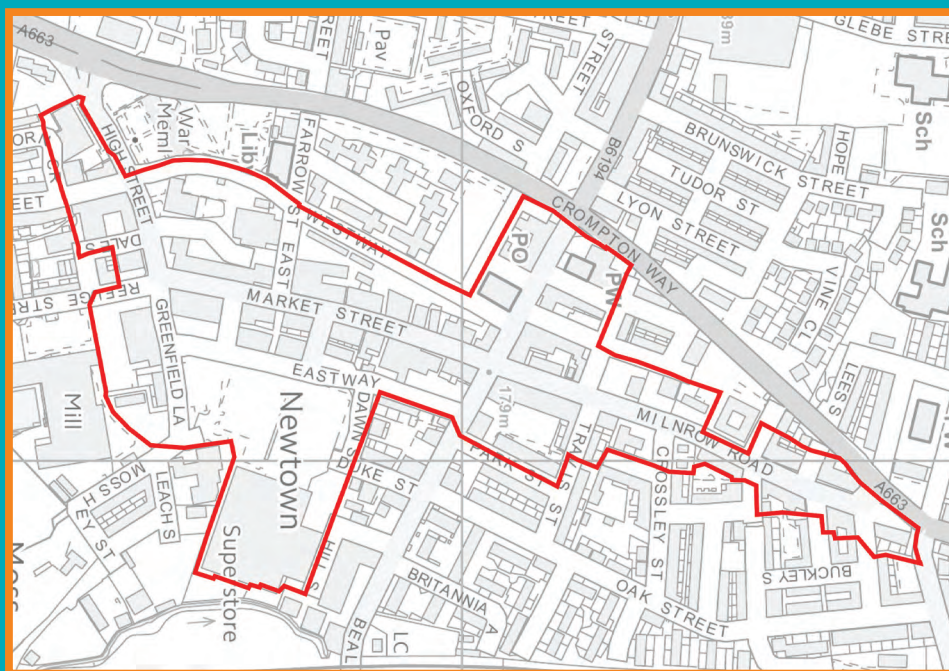


More support for local businesses

You'll find more help and support on our website:
www.oldham.gov.uk/business

Show Business Improvement Grants Area

Independent businesses located within the boundary (indicated by the red line) can apply for a Business Improvement Grant.



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