California Community Foundation
Grant Application Portal

Link to access:
https://applyforgrants.calfund.org

REGISTER
Click the “register” link on the login portal, and enter the required information to complete your account, including contact information, password, and password hint.

Selecting Portal Access

Scholarship Applicant: Required for all
Grant Applicant: Required for all nonprofit applicants/users. create, edit, and/or view applications per permissions set by the Organization Admin.
Organization Admin: This role is not required, but may be used by an organization to establish a portal administrator who can manage permissions for other users connected to the organization, determining who can create, edit, and/or view applications. This role should only be selected along with Grant Applicant, otherwise the user may experience delays in accessing applications.
Vendor: This role is only available for NSI contractors.
Entering Personal Information
Once you have selected your portal access, enter your personal contact information, and then click “register.” You will then be directed into the portal.

Entering Personal Information: for Grant Applicants Only
Search for your organization in our database, or click “Create a New Organization.”
Note: to optimize searching, we recommend using a keyword from your entity’s name rather than the exact entity name, in case our database wording is slightly off.

NOTE: New Organizations must be approved by CCF, which may take up to 24 hours.

ACCESS SAVED APPLICATIONS
If you started either a grant or scholarship application and choose to save and exit, to return to your saved application, once logged in, click on “Scholarship/Grant Applicant,” then “Saved Applications” to revisit your saved application.

To begin a new application, look under “Available Applications.”
If you need immediate assistance, please call 213-239-2320 to speak to the Grants Management Group or email grantsmanager@calfund.org.