

Birmingham Community Foundation

Grant Guidelines

Criteria

We are keen to receive applications from community based groups involved in activities that regenerate and build communities, however priority is given to those projects which:

- ⊙ Encourage community responsibility
- ⊙ Develop community capacity
- ⊙ Are unable to access other forms of funding
- ⊙ Does not duplicate other work being done within the area

How much can you apply for?

We have no set minimum or maximum level of grant as each application is assessed on merit, however, as a guide you should be aware that our average grant is in the region of £1000

Who can apply?

Any charity, voluntary organisation, community group within the Greater Birmingham area

We are currently unable to provide funding for:

- ⊙ Projects operating outside the Greater Birmingham area
- ⊙ Donations towards general appeals or for applications from large national charities (except for local branches working specifically for local people)
- ⊙ Individuals, for whatever purpose
- ⊙ Organisations and individuals in the promotion of political or religious ideology

When we receive your application we will:

- ⊙ Send you an acknowledgement of receipt
- ⊙ Review your application to see if it meets the criteria of any of our administered funds
- ⊙ Contact you if we require further information or for completion of a more detailed application form
- ⊙ Notify you of the outcome of your application within 12 weeks of the date of our acknowledgement

Please note:

It is unlikely that any group will receive more than one offer of funding in any 12 month period.