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| To start your application please fill in the sections below. The more information you can provide, the easier it will be to assess your application.We would appreciate it if you could, where possible, complete and submit this form electronically (including scanned copies of quotes). You may still submit a hard copy if you wish.If you have any questions or need help completing this form, please call us on 01462 476057 or email grants@letchworth.com. |
| **Step 1: Tell us a little about your group.** |
| Name of your group: |
| Address of your group: |
| Postcode: | Group email:  |  |
| Telephone: |  |
| Website of your group: |
| Your name: |
| The main contact of your group (for this application): |
| Position held in the group (if applicable): |
| Contact addressTick if main correspondence address for this application. |
| Postcode: | Main email address: |  |
| Contact daytime telephone number: |  |
| Contact mobile telephone number: |  |
| **Step 2: Tell us more about your group**  |
| How would you best describe your group?Registered Charity Registered Company Club Community Group CIC Charitable Incorporated Organisation  |
| When was your group formed? (please give a date or how long you have been active) |
| Briefly describe the purpose of your group and an overview of the work of the group to meets this purpose: |
| To help us understand more about you group:* How many members do you have in your group? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* How many members of your group live in Letchworth? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* How much does it cost to be a member of your group? £\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* How many paid members of staff does your group have? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* How many volunteers does your group have? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Step 3: Tell us about your proposal** |
| Please describe your proposal including:Explaining need the group has identified and the evidence or data you have that explains why you feel there is a need for your proposal.What the group will be doing, who you will be working with and how this will help to meet the need or needs you have identified.Describe the skills you have within your group or will be bringing in to your group to successfully deliver your proposal. |
| Briefly describe the outcomes you would expect to see during the project and how you will be measuring the outcomes to know if you have been successful. |
| Please explain the difference your proposal will make to those that will benefit the most? |
| How many people will directly benefit from your proposal? (Number)How many of these people live in Letchworth Garden City? (Number)  |
| Are there any groups in Letchworth working on similar projects and have they been approached to see if there are any opportunities to work jointly on the project? |
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| After this project has been completed, if the project/activity will need maintaining or further works, how will this be achieved? |
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| **Step 4: Financing your proposal** |
| What is the estimated cost of your proposal? | £ |
| How much funding are you looking for from us?  | £ |
| What is the cost breakdown of your proposal?(give an itemised breakdown – e.g. 4hours staffing @ £25 per hour = £100) | Have you raised anything towards your proposal so far? If so, please list in the boxes below: who from, how much and what it will be spent on |
| Item | Cost £ | Other funder | Amount £ | To pay for |
| Please attach copies of supplier quotes for materials and / or services in your proposal. Large items, building works or services may involve the need for more than one quote, up to a maximum of three. |
| For larger grants we would expect groups to explore other funding opportunities, please list any other funding you have applied for (if this funding is for a specific part of your proposal include this here) |
| Funder | Amount £ | Purchase | When will you hear back? |
| If your proposal extends beyond one of our financial years (1 January to 31 December), please indicate how much will be spent in each year.Year 1Year 2Year 3 |
| Please include a copy of your most recent monthly accounts or for smaller groups please include a copy of a recent bank and / or building society statement. *It is important we receive this with your application* |
| **Step 5: Your Bank Details** |
| To help process the payment of grants complete the following: |
| Name on Account: |  |
| Bank Name: | Branch: |
| Account Number: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Sort Code: |  |  |  |
| If this is a Building Society account please tick here :  |
| Building Society Reference Number **PTO** |
| **Step 6: Check your application**  |
| Before signing and sending your application to us, please check you have: |
| Read through your application and completed all the sections which apply to your group. |
| Included copies of supplier quotes for materials and / or services in your proposal. |
| Included a copy of your most recent monthly accounts and / or a bank or building society statement. |
| Attached any further documentation to support your application. |
| Included a copy of your Safeguarding policy if your proposal involves working with children or vulnerable adults. |
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| **Step 7: Data Protection**  |
| As part of the application process we are very aware we are collecting personal information, the purpose of collecting this personal information is to:* Enable a member of the Grants Team to contact you during the application process should we need further information about your application.
* Be able to assess your application as thoroughly as possible
* Communicate the outcome of the application to your group, manage subsequent actions which could include payments, the monitoring of the grant and evaluating the outcomes of the grant

The data submitted in this application will be held for a maximum of three years and after the term of the grant, information will only be used for the purpose of evaluating our grant programmes.The data provided in this application is held securely in line with Data Protection legislation and is only used for the purposes of assessing, managing and evaluating the grant. The data will not be shared with other groups or organisations. |
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| **Step 8: Declaration** |
| Tick the boxes and sign below to confirm that:

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| You have been authorised by the organisation (through the board or committee running your organisation) to submit the application |  | I agree |
| All the information you have supplied is accurate and complete and we can contact you for further information if needed. |  | I agree |
| You understand and consent that we will only use the data contained in this application for the purposes explained in Section 7 |  | I agree |

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| When completing and submitting this form electronically, it’s not necessary to print this page and sign manually as an electronic signature is acceptable. |
| **For you to complete** |
| Signed | Date |
| Print name | Position |
| **For a member of your Board or Management Committee to complete** |
| Signed | Date |
| Print name | Position in group or profession |
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| **Step 9: Send us your application** |
| We will acknowledge receipt of your application, by email if possible, as soon as we receive it.For details of our Deadline and Decision Dates, please see our website Letchworth.com.Email your completed form and supporting documents to grants@letchworth.com or print & post with supporting documents to:Grants TeamFreepost RSSB-UHEX-JXAKLetchworth Garden City Heritage FoundationFoundation HouseIcknield Way Letchworth Garden CityHertfordshire, SG6 1GD |
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| **Supplementary Information**The following is not linked to the application process it is linked to the more general role of the Foundation supporting local community groups. If you would like to be contacted with regard to opportunities that may be beneficial to your group, such as promotion in Out and About or the Tourist Information Centre, Funding or Training please tick the box  |
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