



COMMUNITY GRANTS FUND APPLICATION

Please answer all questions which are relevant to your organisation – failure to do so may result in a delay in the determination of your application

PROJECT (In no more than 25 words)	To develop/revamp the youth rooms at Harlescott Grange Community Hub.	GRANT AMOUNT REQUESTED	£2,000
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Contact Details

Q1 Name of organisation making application:

.....4 All Foundation

Name of contact for this application

Title: ...Mr.... First Name: ...George..... Surname: ...Hounsell....

Position held in the organisation:Director of Operations

Contact Address, including full postcode:

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..... Postcode:[REDACTED].....

Contact Telephone Number:[REDACTED].....

Email address:[REDACTED].....

About your organisation

Q2 What type of organisation are you?

Tick (✓) relevant category:

Registered Charity: (✓) Charity Registration Number ...1203479.....

Voluntary Organisation: ()

Company Limited by Guarantee: () Company Number

Other – Please specify:

Q3 When was your organisation established?

.....June 2022.....

Q4 Briefly describe your organisation.

Describe your organisation, including how many members/users you have, whether there is a subscription fee and the usual activities/services you provide.

If you are a new organisation, describe the services/activities you plan to provide.

4 All Foundation was founded by the Marches Academy Trust (MMAT) as a community organisation in 2022, with the aim of supporting those living in the communities where the Trust's schools are located. It became an independent registered charity (CIO) in June 2023 (Registered Charity number 1203479).

The Foundation responds to the needs of communities across Shropshire and surrounding counties by working in partnership with local town councils, county/borough councils, other charities, and education providers, and by communicating directly with the local communities.

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Q5 If you are a subsidiary of a larger organisation, please state which one.

Connected charity to The Marches Academy Trust, however completely different organisations.

Q6 Does your organisation have an agreed Constitution or Memorandum of Association?

Please state which and attach a copy: Yes attached to the email of application

Q7 What is your primary source of funding?

Grants (Foundations and Trusts). Alongside our Fundraising Officer, raising funds.

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Details of the project or activity you are planning

Q8 Describe the projects/activity you plan to use this grant for.

- i. Try to be specific about what you will do and how you will do it.

4 All Foundation is taking over the Harlescott Grange Community Hub and plans to transform two currently empty rooms into a fully equipped youth space. With the support of this funding, we will create an environment that is welcoming, safe, and designed to meet the needs of local young people.

We will begin by engaging with young people from the local area to gather their ideas and priorities for the space. Their input will help us shape the layout, design, and activities to ensure the rooms reflect their needs and interests.

Once the design is agreed, we will purchase and install furniture and equipment to make the rooms functional and appealing. This will include comfortable seating, tables, storage units, and appropriate technology such as computers or gaming equipment. We will also ensure the furniture is durable and adaptable so the rooms can be used for a wide range of activities.

The two rooms will be developed into distinct activity zones. One will serve as a chill-out and social space where young people can relax, meet friends, and take part in games and creative activities. The other will be equipped as skills and learning space to host workshops, homework clubs, and other development opportunities. Together, these spaces will provide a balance of recreation, support, and learning to benefit young people across Harlescott.

- ii. Please state how you have identified this need and how the project will benefit the people of Shrewsbury, together with the estimated time span. If you are seeking continuation funding for this project, please provide evidence for this continued need.

We have identified this need through our ongoing work in the Harlescott community and through consultation with local families, schools, and young people. Feedback has highlighted a lack of safe, dedicated spaces for young people in Shrewsbury, particularly in the Harlescott area, where opportunities for affordable, accessible activities are limited. Parents and residents have expressed concerns about young people not having a positive place to spend time, which

can lead to isolation or involvement in antisocial behaviour. Young people themselves have told us they want somewhere they can feel welcome, meet friends, and develop new skills.

The project will directly benefit young people in Shrewsbury by providing them with a safe, engaging, and inclusive environment. It will offer opportunities to socialise, build friendships, and access positive activities. The skills and learning space will also provide a supportive setting for homework clubs, workshops, and personal development sessions, which will help improve confidence, employability, and aspirations. In turn, the wider community will benefit from reduced antisocial behaviour, stronger community cohesion, and more positive outcomes for local young people.

iii. How many people from the Parish of Shrewsbury do you expect to benefit directly from your project or activity?

150 approx

iv. Please indicate which of the key pillars of the Council's Vision are met and how:

Pillars	Met	How
Building Resilient Communities For Shrewsbury	Yes	It builds resilient communities for Shrewsbury by giving young people a safe space to connect, learn, and thrive, strengthening both individual wellbeing and community cohesion.
Supporting Shrewsbury Residents To Live Active And Healthy Lives Through The Provision Of Quality Services	Yes	It supports Shrewsbury residents to live active and healthy lives by providing a high-quality youth space that encourages social connection, positive activities, and personal development.
Preserving Shrewsbury's Heritage	Yes	It preserves Shrewsbury's heritage by revitalising the Harlescott Grange Community Hub as a valued local asset that continues to serve future generations.
Creating A Greener And Better-connected Shrewsbury		
Maintaining A Sustainable, Resilient And Efficient Organisation		
Taking Positive Action To Tackle Climate Change		

Q9 What criteria will be used to measure the success of the project and how many people from the Parish of Shrewsbury do you expect to benefit from it?

The success of the project will be measured in several ways. Firstly, we will track participation levels, recording how many young people from Shrewsbury attend the youth space on a regular basis. This will give us a clear picture of demand and ongoing engagement.

We will also gather feedback and satisfaction levels through surveys, focus groups, and informal conversations with young people, parents, and community members. This will help us understand how well the space is meeting local needs and what improvements can be made.

Another measure of success will be the range of activities delivered. By monitoring the balance between social, creative, and skills-based sessions, we can ensure that the programme remains varied and relevant to the interests of young people.

Health & Safety

Q10 What, if any, special safety issues are related to your project/activity?

Please provide the following information:

- i. What kind of insurance does your organisation have?

...The Foundation has public liability insurance of £10 Million

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- ii. Do the leaders have the relevant qualifications and/or experience?

.....We have a strong board of Trustees.....

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- iii. What policies does your organisation have in place (i.e. Health and Safety, Child Protection/Safeguarding, working with vulnerable adults, Equal Opportunities, CRB Checks etc.)? *You may be required to submit copies of your policies.*

.....The Foundation has over 30 polocies in place that include health and safety,
safeguarding, GPDR, lone working etc...

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Funding of your project

Q11 Previous Applications

If you have applied for and received funding from Shrewsbury Town Council in the past please provide details of the amount, the year and briefly what the funding was used for.

Year	Project Description	Award £
2024	Wellbeing Programme	1,000

Q12 Project Funding

Please provide details of the amount of funding you need for your project and give us a breakdown of what the money is for (please enclose any relevant estimates or details).

Tell us the amount of grant requested £1,500 and provide a detailed breakdown as to how you have reached this figure

Project Expenditure Please list all items of expenditure for your project	Amount of Project
3-seat sofa, Knisa dark grey X2	£330
2-seat sofa, Knisa dark grey X1	£115
Chair, red-brown Remmarn/red-brown x20	£400
Shelving large unit, white x3	£150
Shelving small unit, white x2	£60
Box, black x10	£30
Orange Cushions x10	£150
Snooker Que holder	£40
Inflatable gaming lounge chair, bright orange	£150
4ft Air Hockey Table	£60
Guitar Holders x5	£20
Paint	£200
Paint Brushes	£50
Orange Rugs x2	£30
TVs x2	£125
Total	£2,000
Project Income Please list how the project shall be funded	
The programme is free to all community members.	£0
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What is the difference? This should be the same as the amount of Grant you are applying for	£2,000

Q13 Covering a Shortfall

If the Town Council makes an offer less than the amount requested, how will that impact on the Project and how will you cover the shortfall?

This project will still go ahead, and the Foundation will continue to look for additional funding.....

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Q14 Sustainability

What plans do you have in place to ensure that your organisation becomes more sustainable and less reliant on grant funding, particularly from the Town Council?

The 4 All Foundation will continue to fundraise and look for additional funds to support our free community programmes within Shropshire.

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Your Accounts

Q15 Please provide the following details from your most recent annual accounts

Total Income	£132,000
Less Total Expenditure	£60,000
Surplus / Loss	£72,000 (£40,000 linked to new budget)
Savings (Reserves, Cash, Investments)	£20,000

Please provide a copy of your most recent annual audited accounts or, in the case of newly established organisations, the projected income and expenditure for the next twelve months.

You need to include these documents with this application.

Account Details

Q16 Please provide your bank or building society account details

You can only apply for grant if you have a bank/building society account in the name of your organisation. We will only pay grants into an account which requires at least two people to sign each cheque or withdrawal. **These people should not be related.**

Account name: [REDACTED]

Sort Code: [REDACTED] Account Number: ... [REDACTED]

Bank/building society name: [REDACTED]

Bank/building society address..... [REDACTED]

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Who are the signatories and what position do they hold in your organisation?

1 Name ... [REDACTED] Position ...Director of Ops.....

2 Name ... [REDACTED] PositionTrustee.....

3 Name ... [REDACTED] PositionTrustee.....

Any Other Information

Q17 Any other information which you consider to be relevant to your application.

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Declarations

Q18 Declaration

Please give details of a senior member of your organisation.

For example, this may be your Chairperson, Treasurer or Secretary. They must read the application and sign below. **(This must not be the main contact name in Q1).**

I confirm, on behalf of 4 All Foundation.....(insert name of organisation):

That I am authorised to sign this declaration on its behalf, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all replies are true and accurate.

I confirm that I have read the Terms and Conditions set out in the Notes which accompanied this application and further confirm that this application is made on the basis that if successful, the organisation will be bound to use the grant only for the purpose specified in this application, and will have to comply with those Terms and Conditions and any others which the Council might attach to the Grant.

Post held in organisation:Director of Operations

Title: ... First Name: ... Surname:

Organisation address:

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Postcode:

Telephone: ... [redacted]

Signed: [redacted]

Date: ...14/09/2025.....

Q19 Signature of Person Completing the Application

This must be the signature of the person named in Q1 as the main contact and **not be the same person who has signed in Q18**

I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information in this application from is true and correct. I understand that you may ask for additional information at any stage of the application process.

Signed: [redacted]

..... Date:14/09/2025.....

Checklist

1. Have you answered every question?
2. Have all signatures been completed?
3. Have you included a copy of your constitution?
4. Have you included a copy of your most recent audited accounts?
5. Please state any supporting documents you are submitting:



Please return your completed application form to:

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7 St John's Hill
Shrewsbury
SY1 1JD**

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