

**APPLICATION FORM – 2025 AWARDS**

**About the Middleton Trust funding**
The Middleton Trust funds projects which aim to advance the social, cultural, educational and recreational development of young people (up to 25 years) within the boundaries of Cromarty & District Community Council.

*Please note that we can only fund organisations not individuals, and funds will not be awarded to any application that does not satisfy the above brief.*

Most grants offered by the Middleton Trust have been in the range of £200 - £2,000.
To see information on previous recipients, see [www.cromartylive.co.uk/middleton-trust](http://www.cromartylive.co.uk/middleton-trust)

**2024 Application for 2025 Awards**

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| Applications Close: | Friday 27th September 2024 |

We will assess applications by Thursday 24th October 2024 and will get back to you shortly thereafter to advise if your application was successful. Grant payments will be made in early February 2025.

If you wish to apply for grant funding from the Middleton Trust please complete this form, and return to the Trust’s secretary Jenny Pyle, either;

* by email to middletontrust@gmail.com (please send as a PDF or non-editable format)
* or print/request a paper copy of this form, and send to: Middleton Trust Secretary, Mizpah House, High Street, Cromarty IV11 8YR.

*If you have any questions or require help in completing this form, please contact Jenny Pyle at* *middletontrust@gmail.com* *or by phone 07765321442.*

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| **Applicant Details** | **MT REF:** |   |

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| Name of organisation / group: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Contact person: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Role in organisation/ group: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Address: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Email address: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Phone: | Click or tap here to enter text. |

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| Are annual accounts available? (Please tick) | **Yes** [ ]  |  | **No** [ ]  |  |
| *If* ***YES****, please provide a copy of your most recent accounts with this application.* |

**About Your Project**

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| **Description** – Briefly tell us about the project, including what you want the grant to cover? |
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| **Location** - Where will the project take place? |
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| **Timing** – When will your project commence? How long will it run for? |
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| **Who will be involved?** - Who will lead activities? Will you work with any other organisations? |
| Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Are there safeguarding and child protection measures in place?** See <https://www.careandlearningalliance.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/CP-Guidance-for-Community-Groups-Dec-20.pdf> for helpful guidance. |
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| **What are the benefits?** * How many young people do you think your project will engage?
* How will your activity make their lives better?
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| **Budget***Please note that following an award, retain all expenditure receipts for your project as they may be requested for verification or auditing purposes.* |
| What is the **total cost** of your project?  | £Click or tap here to enter text. |
| How much are you requesting from the Middleton Trust?  | £Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Kind of funding applied for (tick all that apply) | [ ]  Recurrent funding for continuing project |
|  | [ ]  Event or course funding |
|  | [ ]  Recurrent/ multi-year funding |
|  | [ ]  One-off capital grant (purchasing equipment etc.) |

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| If you have other sources of income / support for the project, please tell us about them.  |
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| Budget Breakdown – If you propose to spend the MT grant funds on more than one element, please provide approximate allocation. It is useful to supply at least budgeting scenarios. The Trustees have historically often granted part of monies requested. Please indicate if the project is unviable without full funding, otherwise please project at least two funding options at both an ideal and a reduced funding point: |
| **OPTION 1** |
| Item | Cost or Percentage |
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| Item | Cost or Percentage |
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| Is there any more information that you think might be relevant to your application, or helpful for the Trustees to know?  |
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Thank you for applying to the Middleton Trust.