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| J9438_final**Applications to The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust**The objectives of The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust are to promote, facilitate and support such purposes as are exclusively charitable according to the laws of England and Wales in the areas of agriculture, rural development and insurance in the United Kingdom and in particular:* To advance the education of the public by means of research and dissemination of information in relation to agriculture
* To advance the education of young people within rural areas
* To relieve poverty within rural areas
* To promote the benefit and social welfare of inhabitants of rural communities by associating together with the inhabitants and local authorities, voluntary and other organisations to advance education and leisure
* To promote research into agricultural associated activities
* To advance the education of the public by means of research and dissemination of information in relation to insurance

The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust will focus on providing funding to larger initiatives, which would have a significant impact on the rural community. The primary focuses that are outlined in the Charitable Trust’s strategy are as follows:* Education of the public about agriculture and education of young people in rural areas
* Relief of hardship and promotion of mental health and wellbeing in rural communities
* Support for the next generation of farmers

For further information please visit our website [www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/charitable-trust](http://www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/charitable-trust) We do not provide funds for the following:* University fees
* Salaries
* Overseas Appeals
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| **Application FORM** |
| **Name of organisation:** |  |
| **Address of organisation:** |  |
| **Contact name and position:** |  |
| **How would you like to be addressed (e.g. Mr Jones, John):** |  |
| **Contact Details:** **Address (if different from above):** |  |
| **Telephone Number:** |  |
| **Email:** |  |
| **Where did you hear about The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust?**  |
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| **What is the legal status of your organisation? (Please tick any that apply)** |
| **Registered Charity**[ ]  | **Educational Establishment**[ ]  | **Other**[ ]  |
| **If other, please explain (max 20 words):** |
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| **If you are a registered charity, please provide number:** |  |
| **Is your organisation part of a larger organisation? If yes, please explain (max 50 words)** |
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| **Please explain the background, aims, objectives and activities of your organisation (max 150 words)** |
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| **How much funding are you requesting from the NFU Mutual Charitable Trust?** |
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| **If the funding request relates to a specific project, please give details and explain how this money would be spent (max 150 words)** |
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| **If the project is part of a larger project, please give total project costs:** |
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| **If other funding has already been secured, please give details:** |
| **Amount £** | **From** |
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| **Which of The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust objectives does this request relate to? (please tick all that apply)** |
| [ ]  To advance the education of the public by means of research and dissemination of information in relation to agriculture[ ]  To advance the education of young people within rural areas[ ]  To relieve poverty within rural areas [ ]  To promote the benefit and social welfare of inhabitants of rural communities by associating together with the inhabitants and local authorities, voluntary and other organisations to advance education and leisure[ ]  To promote research into agricultural associated activities[ ]  To advance the education of the public by means of research and dissemination of information in relation to insurance |
| **Do you have an existing relationship with any other farming charities? If yes, please provide details (max 50 words)** |
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| **Approximately how many people will benefit from the funding?** |
| [ ]  <25[ ]  25 – 100[ ]  100 – 500[ ]  500-1000[ ]  >1000 |
| **What is the catchment area of the work carried out by the project?** |
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| **Please provide details of any recognition which would be given to the Trust (max 200 words):** |
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| J9438_finalPlease e-mail your application to nfu\_mutual\_charitable\_trust@nfumutual.co.uk If you would like to attach any further documentation to support your application, please attach it in pdf format.**Decision Process**If your application meets the criteria and objectives of The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust, it will be put forward to the Trustees for their consideration. The Trustees meet twice a year in June and November. The Trust has a limited budget and the level of requests always exceeds the funds available. Therefore, some organisations who meet our objectives may still be unsuccessful. If funding is awarded to your organisation, we will notify you within four weeks of the meeting and we will require a report on how funding has been spent approximately 6 months following the donation. Unfortunately, due to the large number of requests we receive we are unable to provide individual feedback.**Deadlines for Applications** Applications for the meeting in June 2024 should be received no later than 24th May 2024. Applications for the meeting in December 2024 should be received no later than 25th October 2024.**Contact Details:**E-mail: nfu\_mutual\_charitable\_trust@nfumutual.co.uk Visit: [www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/charitable-trust](http://www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/charitable-trust) |