

### Page Trust 2026 Funding Eligibility Criteria

#### Your organisation must be:

- An organisation registered with Charities Services or;
- A registered incorporated society or;
- A school registered with the Ministry of Education

AND

- Operating or providing a service within the Trust Funding Regions ([Hamilton funding area](#) or/and [Palmerston North funding area](#)).

#### Any applications with the following circumstances will not be considered

- Incomplete or late applications
- Applications for retrospective funding
- Accountability requirements from 2025 - any applicant who received funding in 2025 that has not uploaded a receipt for the grant to the SmartyGrants database, or who has not made alternate arrangements with the Trustee, will not be considered
- Applications from individuals, sports organisations and service clubs
- Applications requesting funding for overseas projects
- Applicants are not based in or supporting people within the specified Hamilton or Palmerston North funding regions
- Applications submitted requesting under \$3,000 or over \$10,000

#### PLEASE NOTE:

- The Page Trust will offer grants at the minimum value of \$3,000 to a maximum of \$10,000 per grant. All funding is GST exclusive.

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In 2026, **only applications for social services will be considered**, with preference given to those focused on the relief of poverty, including the following:

- Access to food - Direct provision of food, such as food banks, food rescue, and food distribution services. This may include community gardens where the primary purpose is to provide a food source for the community.
- Access to shelter
- Budgeting advice, and financial mentoring or management.
- Other basic necessities - Support for essential needs, including (but not limited to) clothing, laundry, showers, hygiene services
- Access to safety - Intervention and prevention of interpersonal violence and abuse
- Navigation of services - Assistance to access essential services such as healthcare, Work and Income, legal services, and refugee and migrant settlement services.
- Work readiness support - Programs that provide pathways to employment, career readiness programs
- Mental health support - Community-based counselling and/or psychotherapy, peer support (provided by a peer-support-specific service). This does not include social, sport, or art-based activities or services that promote mental health.
- Youth work - Individual or group mentoring and support from qualified youth workers

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**If your application is not requesting funding for one of the above services, your application is not eligible.**

## Are you eligible to apply for funding from the Page Trust?

\* indicates a required field

Please ensure you have read the Trust's [funding eligibility criteria](#).

Please read the below statements. If your organisation's circumstances do not match any one of the below your application will not meet the basic eligibility criteria.

### Is your organisation a/an: \*

- Registered Charity with Charities Services
- Registered School
- Incorporated Society
- None of the above - you are not eligible to apply

### The funding region/s your organisation or school operates in or provides services to: \*

- Palmerston North
- Hamilton
- Both of the above
- None of the above - you are not eligible to apply

### Have you read the 2026 specific application criteria? \*

- Yes
- No

The Trust will only be considering applications for social services in 2026. Please read <https://www.publictrust.co.nz/grants/page-trust/> and only continue if you are applying for one of the social services mentioned.

## Organisation Details

\* indicates a required field

### Name of your organisation \*

Organisation Name

If your organisation is a branch of a national body please enter your name in the following format 'ABC Group - Hamilton'.

### Please enter and lookup your Charities Registration Number, format: CC12345

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The Charity Registration Number provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the Charity Registration Number correctly.

New Zealand Charities Register Information
Charity Registration Number
Organisation Name
Other Names
Status
Street Address
Postal Address
Telephone
Fax
Email
Website
Date Registered

Please enter the number in upper case, with no space between the letters and digits. If you have entered the number correctly the fields in the grey box will populate.

**If details of your organisation's address, website etc need updating or are missing, please add them here:**

**Please enter any other registration number here e.g. incorporated society number or charitable trust number:**

**Is your organisation a local branch or group of a national organisation \***

- Yes  
 No

**If yes, please provide a brief explanation of your organisation's structure**

If you are successful we will need your bank details

Note that payments will only be made to bank accounts under your organisation's name. No payments will be made to third party bank accounts.

**Bank Account \***

Account Name

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Account Number

   

Must be a valid New Zealand bank account format.  
Account Name can not exceed 60 spaces.

**Please attach a bank deposit slip or verification of your bank account details \***

Attach a file:

Verification of your organisation / school bank account can be: an encoded deposit slip, a bank statement issued within the last 3 months, OR a signed and stamped confirmation from the bank dated within the last 3 months.

## GST Registration

**Is your organisation GST Registered? \***

Yes

No

**IRD/GST Number**

Must be at least 11 characters, format: 012-345-678.

**Contact for this application \***

Title

First Name

Last Name

**Position Held**

**Contact Phone Number \***

**Contact Person's Email \***

## Funding Request Details

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Tell us about your organisation

**What is your organisation's purpose? What does your organisation currently do to achieve this purpose and support your communities? \***

Word count:

Suggest 250 words or less.

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**Who are the communities and people your organisation aims to serve or support? Please include how many people you support each year within the funding region.**

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Word count:

Tell us about your funding request

**Funding request title \***

In 10 words or less - if you had to give a brief statement to describe your funding request what would you say? e.g. Operating expenses - rent, insurance; to provide counselling services; purchase of equipment.

**How much funding is your organisation requesting? \***

\$

Minimum amount \$3,000 and maximum amount \$10,000. Please round to the nearest \$. If you are GST registered the amount requested must EXCLUDE GST.

**What social service is your organisation requesting funding for? \***

- Access to food
- Access to shelter
- Budgeting advice, and financial mentoring or management
- Basic necessities (e.g. clothing, laundry, showers, hygiene services)
- Access to safety
- Navigation of services
- Work readiness support
- Mental health support
- Youth work

You may choose more than one service but please choose only those that are most relevant to this funding request.

**Please explain how you plan to use the funding. How is your request aligned with the Trust's objectives? If your application relates to the relief of poverty, please explain how. \***

Word count:

Please briefly outline specific details of your project/programme, it would be helpful to include information such as the expenses you wish to pay or the item/s you wish to purchase. Please keep to no more than 300 words.

**Tell us about the impact that this request will contribute to, how does it benefit disadvantaged communities? What are the measurable outcomes that will demonstrate the success of the plan? \***

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### Word count:

Please briefly outline the expected outcomes of the funding and the projected benefit/s to the people/ communities, including the number of people you expect to help with this specific request. Please keep to no more than 200 words.

### What is the total expected cost of your project/programme/expenses? \*

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

### If not fully funded by the Trust, how will you fund the remaining balance required? Include details of other funding applications, and/or provide an outline of any fundraising efforts already undertaken toward this project. \*

This is specifically related to the purpose of the application. If you are seeking other grants how much of your funding is confirmed?

### The Deed provides a non-binding wish that the Trustee give consideration to charitable purposes having some connection/relating to the Roman Catholic Church. Please explain if your request has a connection to the Roman Catholic Church. \*

Please note, your request will still be eligible for consideration if there is no connection to the Church.

## Budgets, Cost and Quotes

### Please attach supporting quotes, budgets etc. here

Attach a file:

## Your Organisation's Financial Details

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### Financial Statements

### Please attach a copy of your organisation / school most recent Financial Statement \*

Attach a file:

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Note that for Registered Charities, financial statements must comply with the reporting standards set by Department of Internal Affairs - Charities Services. You must attach the same completed financial statements you used with your latest Charities Filing Return.

**If there is anything about your financial statements or financial position that you wish to tell us, please add comments here:**

### Sources of Funding

**Please list your organisation's top sources of external funding (such as grants, government contracts & foundation income) for the next 12 months, including \$ dollar figures. For unconfirmed sources of funding, you may write, 'unconfirmed' \***

### Final Information/Declarations

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**Please upload any other supporting information here.**

Attach a file:

E.g. Supporting research, letters of support etc. Our preferred format for attachments is PDF, Excel, Word or JPG. Supporting materials cannot exceed 25MB in size, as files exceeding this will not upload

**How did you hear about the Page Trust? \***

- I have applied to the Page Trust in the past.
- Word of mouth or recommendation.
- Internet (e.g. Public Trust, search engine or other funding websites).
- Facebook
- Media (e.g. Newspaper or radio adverts).
- Other:

**Please tell us how you learned about the Trust, and whether there are any places you would like it to be advertised in the future.**

### Application Feedback (optional)

**Have you got any suggestions for how we could improve our application process?**

### Declaration Privacy Statement

**In submitting this application form I certify that:**

- I am authorised by my organisation to complete and submit this application;
- I am authorised to provide and upload the personal information of our employees in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020, if applicable;
- to the best of my knowledge, all details supplied in this application and any attached documents are true and correct.

I agree that I will contact Public Trust Charities Team immediately if any information provided in this application changes or is incorrect.

I understand that if the Trust approves a grant, my organisation will be required to comply with any terms and conditions applying to the grant, including those set out on Public Trust's website, and be bound by the content of my application to apply the funding for the purpose for which it was requested. My organisation may also be required to comply with the Trust's accountability requirements, and may be asked to publicly acknowledge the donation from the Trust.

I acknowledge that the information contained in this application is stored in the SmartyGrants database and will be held by Public Trust for the purpose of assessing the application submitted by me on behalf of my organisation to the Page Trust.

I understand the information may be made available to other parties such as Independent Auditors in the course of enquiries regarding applications and third party suppliers for related purposes.

I acknowledge that if I do not provide all of the information requested, Public Trust may not be able to assess this application.

My organisation gives consent for Public Trust to hold this information for no longer than is required in order to assess this application and to meet their legal requirements.

My organisation acknowledges that individuals may ask for access to personal information held about them and, if they believe the information is incorrect, they are able to request correction of that information.

**I have read and understood the declaration and privacy statement \***

Yes

**Full Name \***

**Date \***

Must be a date.