



# Encouraging the Nottinghamshire community to get involved in reducing, reusing and recycling



The Reduce, Reuse, Recycling Fund offers funding to groups, schools and charities who are committed to helping Nottinghamshire to Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. If you have an idea or are already running a project that helps to inspire others to be thoughtful about waste, the grant could help you get equipment or resources.



**Closing date:** 28 June 2024

**Q.** Who is the Reduce, Reuse, Recycle Fund run by?

**A.** The Fund has been set up by Veolia and Nottinghamshire County Council supporting projects which Reduce, Reuse or Recycle.

**Q.** Who can apply?

**A.** Properly constituted, not-for-profit local organisations which includes charities, voluntary and community groups, forums, clubs, societies and schools. Your team, group or society must be based and work within the County of Nottinghamshire (excluding the City).

**Q.** How much money can be applied for?

**A.** Grants of up to £1,000 are available per group, per year. Funding is at the discretion of Veolia and Nottinghamshire County Council.

**Q.** What sort of project will be considered?



Plastic bottle greenhouse

**A.** Funding can be granted for a variety of projects and activities including workshops, practical equipment, education and awareness raising. This can be anything from swap shop events to repair workshops, community gardens (which make use of reused, reclaimed, or recycled materials), to food growing, food waste reduction initiatives and composting schemes.

Campaigns to promote reducing, reusing or recycling can also be included, or those which address contamination (the wrong things being put in the recycling bin). These could be at home, school, place of work or at a local event. We are looking for creative and innovative ideas which inspire. From arts projects to recycling bins, the ideas are endless!

**Q.** How does my group apply for funding?

**A.** Applications can be made online at: [www.nottinghamshire.veolia.co.uk/reduce-reuse-recycling-fund](http://www.nottinghamshire.veolia.co.uk/reduce-reuse-recycling-fund) or application forms can be requested by calling **0203 567 4391**.

**Q.** What will be required from our group if we are awarded funding?

**A.** A representative from Veolia will visit your group to officially present your award at a mutually suitable time and date. Photographs will be taken at this presentation to be used in future promotion of the fund and / or for publicity purposes. You will also be required to complete and return a funding evidence form to ensure the money was spent on the items requested.

For examples of projects that have been awarded funding in Nottinghamshire, please see our website:

[www.nottinghamshire.veolia.co.uk/reduce-reuse-recycling-fund](http://www.nottinghamshire.veolia.co.uk/reduce-reuse-recycling-fund)

