



FREE Fund Application Form

First name

Last name

Preferred Name if different than above

Preferred Pronouns

1. She/her/hers 2. He/him/his 3. They/them/theirs 4. Other, please specify

Email address

Phone number

Please specify if you have any accessibility needs throughout this process.

Country

Nigeria, Tanzania, Zimbabwe, Uganda, Bangladesh, Nepal, the Philippines

Are you applying as an individual or as an organisation/group?

For Organisations:

Organisation Name

Is your organisation registered?

Your organisation or group must be registered in some capacity. This could mean being registered locally, with a self-help group, or another local institution

What is your type of registration and where are you registered?

What is your organisational social media?

1. Facebook 2. Twitter 3. Instagram 4. YouTube 5. website 6: other"

What is the main thematic area your organisation focus on?

Choose the one that best applies

Disabilities, Early/Forced Marriage, Economic Empowerment, Gender-Based Violence, Indigenous Rights, Leadership, LGBTQIA+ Rights, Mental Health, Migration and Displacement, Peace Building, Sexual Reproductive Health and Rights, Strengthening Movements, Other

Please provide additional information about your organisation, collective or group.

This could include any relevant information such as your vision and mission, your values and principles, your background, your areas of work or your upcoming priorities

Annual Organisational Income from the year 2020

Maximum income eligible: \$250,000 USD

Must be in USD Currency

Annual reports, audit reports attachments (optional)

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Please provide the information below for the top 5 senior leaders in your organisation

List with Name, Position and Gender

Notable previous work (describe your track record in relation to working) with adolescent girls and young women within the last few years?

How much is your organisation applying for?

Upto \$10,000USD; Upto \$25,000 USD; Upto \$50,000 USD

For Individuals:

What is your year of birth?

Please list the details of your host organisation **This is an organisation or group that FREE can contact to learn more about you.**

Name of organisation

Point of Contact

Email

Phone number

Website (optional)"

What is your relationship or previous work with your host organisation?

What is your individual Social Media

1. Facebook 2. Twitter 3. Instagram 4. YouTube 5. website 6: other"

What are the most prevalent challenges and barriers that adolescent girls and women face in your community?

How much as an individual are your applying for?

Upto \$2500 USD; Upto \$5000 USD

For Everyone

Which of the following grant parameters does your proposal best fit within?

choose one

Regain employment and be re-trained for new opportunities;

Set up/evolve micro and small businesses, including seed funding, training, or the adaptation of existing businesses to focus on new products or services;

Develop skills that will allow them to earn a living and put these to use in the job market or through entrepreneurship, including boosting girls' engagement with STEM subjects;

Address unpaid work and other time-related challenges;

Increase financial literacy and inclusion

Which of the following thematic grant parameters does your proposal best fit within?



choose one

Create role models and give adolescent girls and young women a support network;

Expand young women's and girls' representation, voice, and decision-making influence in their communities or at the workplace;

Access to health and contraception;

Ensure freedom from violence;

Tackle the lack of freedom of movement.

Who are your project participants? Are they from underrepresented and excluded groups?

If so please identify which ones "FREE is aiming to include: All cis, trans, non-binary and all other underrepresented groups and communities such as black, indigenous, people of colour, LGBTIQ+, refugees, and migrant adolescent girls and women with or without disabilities, sex workers, aged between 12 to 35 years.

Please provide a brief description of the proposed plan and how you plan to use the funding to address the grant parameters.

We want to get a clear idea of the essence of your project, including the overall change(s) your project is intending to achieve and who will benefit. Tell us where your project participants live and what challenges they face, and explain a little bit about the context in which they are living. Tell us what changes you aim to bring about and the activities you will be carrying out to achieve those changes.

How will your proposal contribute to the vision and mission and impact of the FREE?

<https://www.thefreefund.org/why-free>

How are Sustainable Development Goals 5 and 8 incorporated into your proposal?

SDG 8: to increase opportunities for employment, reduce the gender pay gap and reduce reliance on informal, insecure work

SDG 5: achieve gender equality and women empowerment

Where would the majority of your budget be allocated towards?

Providing seed money to individuals

Regranting to smaller groups within your community

Conducting programmatic activities (such as financial inclusion, vocational training etc) "

Please provide a high-level breakdown of how you plan to use the requested budget

What impact are you expecting to achieve?

How many girls will you be able to reach? What meaningful and sustainable impact are you looking to achieve?

How will you measure/track impact?

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Tell us some of the indicators you will use to track what your project is achieving. By indicator we mean a tangible sign of change that you can observe in your target group and that you will measure to evidence progress. Tell us about some of the data collection tools you will use to help you track progress against your indicators.

How will you ensure that the project will result in girls gaining employment, earning an income or becoming economically empowered?

What activities or steps have you taken to understand the supply, demand and emerging trends of the labour market in your community? Consider the people you are trying to reach and identify the factors that may potentially hinder or enable their access to income generating opportunities."

Provide details of one partner or funder that you recently worked with. Name, Phone, email, and project details

Where did you learn about FREE fund?

Website

social media

newsletter

referred to me

other logic"

Anything else you want us to know?