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Top Tips for Grant Applications

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Our Aims

- Impact!
- Protect public money:
It can go somewhere else
- Scrutiny
- Personal commitment



Before you apply:

- What is the problem you are trying to address?
- Does your project fit our aims?
- Can you do it in time?
- Do you need the money?
- Have you got a reviewer?
- Time?





Writing the Application:

We want Projects that:

- **Show** they meet the criteria
- Have clear aims
- Can deliver on time
- Can **demonstrate** impact



Writing the Application:

We want Projects that:

- Have clear applications– to look at and read
- Can handle the paperwork
- Will be sustainable
- Are value for money



Writing the Application:

We want to work with organisations that:

- Have shown they can deliver
- Are financially viable
- Are credible
- Are tolerant and fair



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Writing the Application:



**The Man on
the Street**



What does good look like?

Aim: To run workshops with teachers about domestic violence



Aim: We want to run 6 workshops with secondary school teachers on the problem of domestic violence.



Aim: We want to increase teachers' capacity to spot the signs of domestic violence among the children they teach to protect more children from abuse.



We will do this by running 10 workshops. We will assess the teachers' understanding before and after these workshops, and by monitoring domestic violence cases reported within the school at 6 monthly interviews.



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After you apply:

- Chase quickly
- Seek acknowledgement
- Track record



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Questions?