

## Finance

Please send in a copy of your organisation's latest accounts and bank account details.

How much will the project cost?

Amount of grant you are requesting:

Other match funding sources

Please give name of other funding sources:

## Declaration

I certify that the information on this form is accurate and that any funding received through the REACT Fund will be used only for the purposes stated on this application form.

Signed  Date

Name (Please print)

Position in organisation

## What happens next?

We will contact you acknowledging receipt of your application. We may ask for clarification or further information and arrange a site visit. After this we will inform you of the decision. If you are successful you will be expected to complete a short report within six months so we can monitor the effectiveness of the scheme. You can send your application in straight away, but remember that you must not start your project until the application has been approved. Please contact us for further details.

Please return the form to:

Technical Support, Economy and Community, Ryedale District Council,  
Ryedale House, Malton, YO17 7HH, Tel: 01653 600666 Ext: 326

Or email [grants@ryedale.gov.uk](mailto:grants@ryedale.gov.uk)

# REACT

Ryedale Environmental Action  
Grants for Local Community Led Activities

**Grants of up to £1,000**  
Available for projects such as:

*Recycling*

*Green Tourism*

*Countryside Work*

*Energy Saving Schemes*

*Local Distinctiveness*

*Wildlife*



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## What is the REACT Fund?

The Ryedale District Council REACT Fund aims to support community-led environmental action in Ryedale District. Project grants will be available to back local action, within the following criteria. The maximum project grant will be 50% of your project costs, up to £1,000.

### What are the criteria for the REACT Fund?

**Community-led . . .** Projects should be taken forward by a local community or voluntary group, parish or town council in their own immediate area. There should be general support from the local community, and if the proposed project is site-based, there must be continuing public access for local people.

There must be significant involvement from local people – volunteer time and gifts in kind can form part of the match funding for the grant. The REACT fund aims to encourage new groups to form and take part in environmental action, and existing groups to take on new types of projects

**. . . environmental action** The REACT Fund can back a wide variety of projects relating to wildlife, landscape, countryside, recycling, local distinctiveness, green tourism and energy saving, for example, however general maintenance is not eligible.

### Who can apply for a grant?

Any voluntary or community group which has a constitution and a self controlled bank account may apply. New groups can be advised on how to constitute themselves.

### What can we apply for?

Grants of up to £1,000 are available. Groups must have 50% match funding for their REACT grant and we can advise applicants on how to raise their match funds. Match funding may include volunteer work.

### How do we apply?

Please complete the application form opposite and send to the address at the end of the form.

## REACT Fund Application Form

*Please continue on another sheet of paper if necessary*

Remember, the maximum grant is £1,000

Name of organisation:

Name:

Address:

Tel / e mail:

Aims of Group:

**Please enclose a copy of your constitution or set of rules with this application form.** (If you would like help to prepare your constitution, please contact Ryedale Voluntary Action on 01653 600120).

### Your Project

Please Describe your project.

How will this project involve local people?

How will this project benefit the local environment?