



MLST Winter Grants Round – Criteria 2020

The [Midland Legal Support Trust](http://www.mlst.org.uk) is holding a grants round with applications accepted until 11.59pm 19th February 2020.

The Trust is particularly interested in supporting agencies and organisations with a focus on providing legal advice to the most vulnerable in society.

We typically provide grants of up to £5000. We provide grants for one-off projects, items of expenditure or core costs.

When considering whether to provide a grant the following factors may be of relevance (this is not an exhaustive list):

- Focus on the most vulnerable people, and in particular families and individuals living in poverty
- Provision of specialist legal advice
- Preserving expertise for the sector
- Sustainability and plans to adapt to the new funding environment
- Effective use of resources
- Other funding which is available if the Trust is being asked to part-fund
- Other financial resources available to your organisation

If your application includes one-off capital expenditure (e.g. for equipment) you are required to submit three quotes.

To apply please complete the application form and send it via email to events@mlst.org.uk by 11.50pm 19th February 2020.

Details can also be found on our website here <http://www.mlst.org.uk/current-round.html> .

Kind regards,

MLST Trustees