

- **Groups must be either a registered charity and/or a fully constituted community group holding a bank account in the name of that group; evidence of this should be made available if requested.**
- **The person making the application for funding must have a direct ongoing involvement with the group and be a member of The Midcounties Co-operative (applicants will be asked to provide details of this membership number at the first stage of the process).**
- **Applications are open to anyone from the UK.**
- **We do not support individuals, groups promoting or directly linked a political party.**
- **We cannot support any organisation that is unlawful or involved in unlawful activities.**
- **We will not fund capital projects that are over £1000 in value**
- **Applications from religious groups must demonstrate that their request for support benefits the wider community, be inclusive of all, not directly only supporting those of a specific faith, and demonstrate grant monies are not used in anyway to promote religious faiths or beliefs.**