



Ware Town Council

GRANT APPLICATION FORM 2023-24

The Town Council's criteria for giving grants are:

- i) To support the community
- ii) To encourage and support local organisations
- iii) To foster civic pride

Name of organisation

CHIPS-Children's Integrated Playschemes

Name & address of person applying on behalf of organisation
(including post code and telephone number)

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Philosophy & aims of the group:

Our purpose is to provide safe and caring environments where children with additional needs and their siblings can come together to play and have fun.

While their children are cared for by CHIPS staff and volunteers, the parents can have some much-needed respite time. CHIPS is a local charity which has been running playschemes for children with additional needs (SEN) and their siblings, aged 3-19 years in East Hertfordshire and the Borough of Broxbourne since 1994. We currently support 179 children with additional needs and 34 siblings across our 6 schemes, which run on Saturdays (2.5 hrs) and during school holidays (5.5hrs). 38 SEN children and 6 siblings attend our setting based at Kingshill School in Ware.

We believe that all children have the right to play and have fun together. CHIPS also aims to provide support for parents, through regular respite sessions.

Our application is for funding to contribute towards the cost of additional playscheme sessions for the SEN children attending the Ware playscheme. Please see the attached information for further details.

Full Cost £

Amount applied for

(Please attach written quotation or estimate if applicable)

Request for £

Amount of other funds available or anticipated
available towards the cost of project

Expected/Available £

Please enter your full bank details in the section below to enable us to pay funds by BACS transfer -

Account Name : CHIPS

Account Number : 00031314

Sort Code : 40-52-40

Please note we can only make payments to an organisation, not an individual.

Any further information - which you think will help the committee when considering this application - Please also include if your organisation has done anything for the town in the past ~ Please continue on reverse if necessary.

We ask that you formally acknowledge receipt of the grant.

Please see the attached sheets.



Signed

Date 28.9.2023

Please return this form with a copy of your latest published accounts to:

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