



## Funding guidelines of the TOOLS FOR LIFE Foundation

The TOOLS FOR LIFE Foundation supports development cooperation projects worldwide. Funding is provided on the basis and for the implementation of the foundation's purpose.

### ***The purpose of the foundation is realized by supporting projects in the following areas:***

- Water (WASH projects)
- Energy (renewable energy: solar, water)
- Education (school construction, workshops on technical education, children's rights, hygiene)

### ***Projects are supported if***

- they comply with the purpose of the foundation
- they clearly serve to improve the quality of life of the people in the project region
- the applicant is certified as a non-profit organization
- the applicant agrees to the Code of Conduct of the TOOLS FOR LIFE Foundation
- the applicant has project experience
- the applicant and the population in the project region make their own contribution
- the projects are sustainable

### ***The following are generally not eligible for funding:***

- Pure visitor programs
- Projects that would correspond to the form and purpose of institutional support
- Running costs that are necessarily incurred even after the completion of a project (electricity, rent, salaries that are necessary in the long run, e.g. for teachers)
- Travel & personnel costs of the applicant organizations
- Projects with more than five other sponsors

The decision to grant project funding is made by the Foundation's Board.

The maximum possible funding amount is €5,000 for initial projects and €10,000 for follow-up projects. A project duration of 3-12 months is preferred. If you have any questions, please send an e-mail to [info@toolsforlife-foundation.com](mailto:info@toolsforlife-foundation.com).

There is no entitlement to project funding.