



Step-by-Step Guide to Applying for a Thrivent Action Grant



Step 1: Confirm Your Eligibility

- To apply, you must be a **Thrivent member with benefit membership**.
 - If you're unsure, log in at [Thrivent.com](https://www.thrivent.com) and check your membership status.
 - Each benefit member is eligible for **two \$250 grants per calendar year**.
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Step 2: Choose Your Project

- Projects must be **volunteer-led** and support a **nonprofit, church, school, or community need**.
 - Examples:
 - Hosting a community meal or event
 - Assembling hygiene or food kits
 - Supporting a mission trip
 - Fundraisers (with certain restrictions)
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Step 3: Plan the Details

- Decide:
 - **What** you're doing
 - **When** and **where** the event will happen
 - **Who** will be involved (you need a volunteer team!)
 - **How** the \$250 will be used (e.g., supplies, promotional materials)
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Step 4: Log In and Apply

1. Go to Thrivent.com/actionteams
 2. Log in with your Thrivent credentials
 3. Click "**Apply for a new Action Team**"
 4. Fill out:
 - Project title and description
 - Event date (must be **within 120 days** of applying)
 - Organization benefiting from the project
 - How funds will be used
 5. Submit your application for review
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Step 5: Wait for Approval

- Approval usually takes **5–7 business days**
 - If approved, you'll receive:
 - A **\$250 Community Impact Card** (via mail or digitally)
 - A **Thrivent Action Kit** with T-shirts, a banner, name tags, and more
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Step 6: Launch Your Project

- Use your funds as planned
 - Take photos and gather feedback from your volunteers and participants
 - Display your Thrivent banner to show who helped make it happen
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Step 7: Report Back

- After the event, log in and **submit a short post-event report**
 - Share outcomes, photos, and any leftover funds (which must be used per the original plan)
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Step 8: Repeat!

- Eligible members can apply **twice per year**, so start planning your next project!