



## ALDI Community Grants Programme 2024 FAQs

### **Why have you made the decision to award recipients with ALDI gift cards instead of cash?**

This is to assist with the efficient operation of the programme and ensure a swift transfer of the grant. In the past, we've seen some payments delayed due to issues such as incorrect bank details, and this will allow us to make our bursary awards to our deserving recipients as quickly as possible.

### **Can recipients choose to accept cash instead of ALDI gift cards if they prefer?**

No, the programme this year will operate using ALDI gift cards only. This is to assist with the efficient operation of the programme and ensure a swift transfer of grants to successful applicants.

### **Were applicants made aware that they would not be receiving cash?**

Yes – all applicants were made aware from the outset of the application process that payment would be made in the form of ALDI gift cards. This is to assist with the efficient operation of the programme and ensure a swift transfer of grants to successful applicants.