Growing Together Levenshulme: Privacy Policy

How we respect privacy when we deal with personal information that we have collected

This Privacy Policy applies to information we (Growing Together Levenshulme) collect about individuals who interact with our organisation. It explains what personal information we collect and how we use it.

If you have any comments or questions about this notice, feel free to contact us at: growingtogetherproject@gmail.com

1. Personal data that we process

The following table explains the types of data we collect and the legal basis, under current data protection legislation, on which these data are processed.

Purpose	Data (key elements)	Basis
Enquiring about our organisation and its work	Name, email, message	Legitimate interests - it is necessary for us to read and store your message so that we can respond in the way that you would expect.
Subscribing to email updates about our work	Name, email	Consent - you have given your active consent.
Making a donation	Name, email, address, payment information	Legitimate interests - this information is necessary for us to fulfil your intention of donating money and your expectation of receiving a confirmation message.
Supporting you (if you are a participant of	Contact details, personal and sensitive information	Legitimate interests – it is necessary for us to store your data so that we can support you

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	active consent

2. How we use your data

We will only use your data in a manner that is appropriate considering the basis on which those data were collected, as set out in the table in section 1.

For example, we may use your personal information to:

- reply to enquiries you send to us;
- handle donations or other transactions that you initiate;
- where you have specifically agreed to this, send you updates by email relating to our work which we think may be of interest to you.

3. When we share your data

We will only pass your data to third parties in the following circumstances:

- you have provided your explicit consent for us to pass data to a named third party;
- we are using a third party purely for the purposes of processing data on our behalf and we have in place a data processing agreement with that third party that fulfils our legal obligations in relation to the use of third party data processors; or
- we are required by law to share your data.

4. How long we keep your data

We take the principles of data minimisation and removal seriously and have internal policies in place to ensure that we only ever ask for the minimum amount of data for no longer than is necessary for the associated purpose. We delete data promptly.

Where data are collected on the basis of consent, we will seek renewal of consent at least every three years.

5. Rights you have over your data

You have a range of rights over your data, which include the following:

- Where data processing is based on consent, you may revoke this consent at any time and we will make it as easy as possible for you to do this (for example by putting 'unsubscribe' links at the bottom of any marketing emails).
- You have the right to ask for rectification and/or deletion of your information.
- You have the right of access to your information.

• You have the right to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioner if you feel your rights have been infringed.

A full summary of your legal rights over your data can be found on the Information Commissioner's website here: https://ico.org.uk/

If you would like to access the rights listed above, or any other legal rights you have over your data under current legislation, please get in touch with us at growingtogetherproject@gmail.com.

Please note that relying on some of these rights, such as the right to deleting your data, will make it impossible for us to keep you up to date with our work.

6. Modifications

We may modify this Privacy Policy from time to time. If a modification meaningfully reduces your rights, we'll notify people whose personal data we hold and are affected.

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