



So ALL Kids Can Play!

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We believe that no kid should be left on the sidelines and all should be given the opportunity to experience the positive benefits of organized sports. KidSport™ provides support to children in order to remove financial barriers that prevent them from playing organized sport.

How does KidSport help?

- KidSport provides grants to children from families facing financial barriers so they can participate in registered sport programs.
- KidSport supports programs that provide the child with a sustained sport experience led by qualified instructors.

Who is eligible to receive a KidSport grant?

- Families that are on a low income, unemployed, on AISH, currently receiving income support through provincial government are all considered eligible.
- KidSport considers social and economic barriers facing the child's family when determining eligibility.
- Grants are for children and youth 18 years and under.

What does a KidSport grant cover?

- KidSport Alberta provides financial support up to \$250 per child per calendar year (Jan.-Dec.) towards sport registration fees.
- If the child needs equipment we will make referral to our partner agency, The Brick Sport Central.

What are the funding arrangements?

- KidSport issues funds directly to the sport organization or community association.

When is the deadline to apply?

- It's best to submit your application to KidSport as soon as you register your child in the sport program.
- Programs that are complete are not eligible for funding.

How to apply to KidSport:

1. Contact KidSport Alberta to get an application form. Application forms are also available on our website www.kidsport.ab.ca.
2. Find a sport program your child would like to join and register him/her.
3. Complete the KidSport Alberta application form to request a grant towards registration fees and /or assistance with equipment.
4. Mail or fax the completed application to KidSport Alberta.
5. Application is reviewed by KidSport. Please allow up to 30 days to process the application.

When the application has been approved, KidSport sends a letter and cheque to the sport organization for the child's fees.

KidSport Alberta serves communities throughout the province where a local KidSport chapter does not exist.

For more information, contact us:

KidSport Alberta
PO Box 36107 Lakeview RPO
Calgary, AB T3E 7C6

Phone: 1-888-914-kids

Fax: 403.217.5763

Email: kidsport@telusplanet.net

To find your local chapter contact

KidSport Alberta

1-888-914-KIDS (5437)

Or log on to our website www.kidsport.ab.ca to view chapter list



KidSport Alberta Application Form

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Provincial website: www.kidsport.ab.ca

Athlete Information

First Name: _____
Last Name: _____
Gender: M / F Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): _____
Age: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Adult Information (parent/guardian/endorser)

Name: _____
Relationship to Child: _____
Address (if different than above): _____
City: _____ Postal Code: _____
Phone (home): _____ (work): _____
(cell): _____
Email: _____

In consideration for any funding or other services that may be provided by KidSport, KidSport is hereby released from any and all claims that I or my child may have with respect to the activity that is to be funded by KidSport.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____
Date: _____

Sport Program Information

To be completed by sport organization representative.
Sport: _____
Organization/Club: _____
Club Mailing Address: _____
City: _____ Postal Code: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Program Start Date: _____
Program End Date: _____

Registration Fee: _____

Subsidy/Discount from Sport Organization: _____

Total Amount Requested from KidSport:
(up to \$250 per child per year) _____

Sport Organization Rep. (print name): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Equipment Requests

Does the child need sports equipment? Yes / No
(Please note: Equipment is provided by another organization- The Brick Sport Central)
If Yes, please specify equipment needed (e.g. skates, soccer shoes, racquet, etc.) _____

Income Information

of adults in the home: _____ # of children in the home: _____

Please complete either A or B to verify your financial situation.

A) Please attach photocopy of one (1) of the following Government or Proof of Income documents:

- Alberta Works Child Health Benefits Letter
- AISH
- Income Support
- Subsidized housing
- Canada Child Tax Benefit Notice (first page)
- Three consecutive Pay Stubs of all working adults in the home
- Notice of Assessment for most recent tax year (for each adult living in the home)

If you do not have a copy of your Notice of Assessment, it can be obtained by calling 1-800-959-8281 and it will be mailed to you.

B) Endorser Signature

The endorser acts as an objective third party who is familiar with the family and in a professional position to assess the financial barriers facing the family.

Check one of the following:

- professional from a social agency/social worker, teacher,
- principal, police officer, lawyer, member of clergy

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Position: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

I verify that the family of this applicant has financial need and should qualify to receive a grant from KidSport. I agree to be contacted by KidSport for follow up if required.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit Grant Application

By Mail:

KidSport Alberta
PO Box 36107 Lakeview RPO
Calgary, AB T3E 7C6

Or

By Fax: 403.217.5763

Questions? Call us toll free at 1.888.914. kids