

# KidSport™ Alberta Provincial Fund Application

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KidSport provides grants for children ages 18 and under to participate in a sport season of their choice. KidSport works to fulfill its mission of eliminating the financial barriers to sport participation, **So ALL Kids Can Play!** For more information, please visit [www.KidSportcanada.ca/alberta](http://www.KidSportcanada.ca/alberta)

## 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 who are low income, on AISH, unemployed, or receiving income support through provincial government are all considered eligible.
- KidSport considers the social and economic barriers facing the family when determining eligibility.
- Grants for children and youth 18 years and under.

## What does a KidSport grant cover?

- KidSport provides financial support, the KidSport Alberta Provincial Fund can provide up to \$350 per eligible child, per calendar year towards sport registration fees. Calendar year runs from January 1 – December 31.
- Thanks to partnerships with the Flames EvenStrength Program and the Edmonton Oilers Community Foundation, KidSport may provide additional funding for hockey – please see the section on page two regarding hockey applications.
- If the child needs equipment, we will make a referral to a partner agency.
- Grants are intended to be used for sport registration fees; travel to competitions is not eligible for funding.

## 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:

1. Find a sport program your child would like to join and register him/her.
2. Find your local KidSport Chapter, by visiting [kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/find-a-chapter/](http://kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/find-a-chapter/), or by calling 1-888-914-5437
3. You can now apply online or use the paper application form.
4. Notify the sport organization that you are requesting funds from KidSport.
5. Complete all sections of the application
6. Paper applications can be submitted by mail or email or fax.

Applications are reviewed by KidSport within 30 days. Cheques for approved applications are mailed to the sport club directly within two weeks of the review date. You will receive an email confirming your application **result**. Please note incomplete applications will delay the process by a minimum of four (4) weeks.

## Privacy / Confidentiality

KidSport respects your privacy. We never sell, trade or loan your information to any other organization. Information provided in this application is being collected for the purpose of administering KidSport. This information will only be disclosed to KidSport personnel who need the information to carry out the responsibilities of their job, and to other organizations who may need to be contacted in order to process the application.

## Provincial Partners





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This application is for families who live where there is no local KidSport chapter. Please go to [kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/](http://kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/)

| Section 1: Child Information  |  |                |
|---|--|----------------|
| First Name:   | Last name:   |                |
| Mailing Address:  |  |                |
| City:   | Postal Code:   |                |
| Telephone: ( )  | Birth Date (MM-DD-YYYY):   |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Another Gender   | Age:   |                |
| Please select if you are one of the following populations   |  |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous <input type="checkbox"/> Athlete with a disability <input type="checkbox"/> New Canadian (resided in Canada for less than 10 years)   |  |                |
| Section 2: Sport Organization   |  |                |
| Sport Organization:   | Sport:   |                |
| Sport Start Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)  | Sport End Date: (MM/DD/YYYY):  |                |
| Is this the first time the child is participating in this sport? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   |  |                |
| Mailing Address:  | City:  | Postal Code:   |
| Telephone: ( )  | Email:   |                |
| Total Registration Cost:  | Requested Registration Amount (\$350 max):                                 |                |
| <b>Hockey applications:</b>   |  |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Applicants who live in Red Deer County and North:</b>   |  |                |
| Thanks to our partnership with the Edmonton Oilers Community Foundation, KidSport can fund the total registration cost for approved hockey applicants who live in Oil Country (Red Deer County and North)   |  |                |
| Section 3: Adult Sponsor (Parent or Guardian)   | This application is for families who live where there is no local KidSport |                |
| First Name:   | Last name:   |                |
| Mailing Address:  |  |                |
| City:   | Postal Code:   | Telephone: ( ) |
| Relationship to athlete:  | Email:   |                |
| Number of Children in the Home (18 years and under) _____   | Number of Adults in the Home (over 18 years) _____                         |                |
| 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. By signing below, you agree to and understand that while KidSport is providing funding to cover the fees associated with your child's activity/sport, you will not hold KidSport responsible nor take legal action under any circumstance (i.e. injury, etc.) |  |                |
| I give KidSport permission to contact me. Please sign to below to agree to this waiver:   |  |                |
| Signature of parent/guardian:   | Date:  |                |
| Section 4: Please complete to verify your financial situation   |  |                |
| <b>Please attach a copy of a document from the list below:</b>  |  |                |
| Child Health Benefits Letter  | Subsidized Housing   |                |
| Canada Child Benefit Notice -page 1 & 2 most recent tax year  | Income Support   |                |
| Three Consecutive Pay Stubs (must be most recent and for all working adults in the home)  |  |                |
| Notice of Assessment for each adult in the home for the most recent tax year (copy can be obtained by calling 1-800-959-8281)   |  |                |
| Endorsement – please provide a signed letter on letterhead to verify the family financial barriers from one of:<br>Chief or Band Council Member, Metis Nation of Alberta Regional Leadership,<br>Metis Local Leadership, Metis Settlement Leadership,<br>Friendship Centre Leadership or School Division Indigenous Liaison Staff   |  |                |
| Section 5: Request for Equipment (used equipment may be provided by referral to another organization)   |  |                |
| Please list to request equipment:   |  |                |