



2020/2021 Kids Recreation Fund Guidelines

The Kids Recreation Fund provides Yukon families with a lower income an opportunity to apply for funding for their children to participate in sport and recreational activities within the Yukon Territory.

Who is eligible to apply?

Children and youth, aged 0 to 18 (born 2001), who are residents of the Yukon, and whose combined household net income is under:

- **\$43,900 with 1 child**
- **\$50,300 with 2 children**
- **\$56,700 with 3 children**
- **\$62,500 with 4 or more children**
- **SPECIAL ELIGIBILITY* OFFER - open April 1– August 31, 2020**

***SPECIAL ELIGIBILITY Applications** – for families that have lost employment/income due to COVID 19 and that do not fall within the above listed household income thresholds, please complete an application and attach a letter explaining your family circumstances along with proof of your current family income (examples; EI subsidy, CERB subsidy proof). *This Special Eligibility offer will be reviewed and possibly extended after August 31st, 2020, but is not guaranteed.*

What can be funded through the KRF?

The KRF helps cover the cost of sport and recreational registration fees including camps, memberships and lessons and sport- specific equipment.

Please see the next page for a list of equipment that can and cannot be

How much is funded?

A maximum of up to **\$500 per child** can be accessed but is **NOT guaranteed**. Funds are limited and can be applied for as long as they are available.

When is the deadline to apply?

Applications will be accepted from Monday, April 13, 2020 until Wednesday, March 17th, 2021. **After March 17, 2021 no applications will be accepted.**

What is the processing time?

Applications require up to 14 days to process from the time all the correct information is submitted. Applicants will be notified by phone or email once their application has been processed.

How to apply:

1. **For equipment:** get quotes from the local store(s) you are seeking equipment from or, if you purchase the equipment yourself, bring in the original receipt (**no older than 3 months from date of application**). Make sure the equipment you are seeking is on the list of eligible equipment for funding. Quotes are accepted from: Sports Experts/Coast Mtn, Due North Maternity & Baby, Changing Gear, Kicklised Revolution, Icycle Sports, and Mt. Sima. ****NOTE: Canadian Tire is currently not accepting purchase orders, but we expect an update in June 2020.****

For programs: if you can, apply/register for the program first. Bring proof of registration (receipt or proof of enrollment in program, camp, sport, etc.) or an info sheet about the activity that shows its price (blank registration form, brochure, etc.).

2. Fill out a separate KRF application form for each child you are applying for.
3. ****Once per fiscal year** - Provide proof of eligibility (income, marital, and residency) for the KRF as listed on the application form. The best proof is your 2019 Canada Child Benefit Statement, as it provides all proof required.

Examples of proof of income: Revenue Canada Notice of Assessment, Yukon Child Care Benefit Statement

Examples of proof of marital: tax return summary showing marital status; T1 General Form; a letter from your landlord, employer, social/support work, lawyer, accountant, or tax preparer validating your marital status.

Examples of proof of child's dependency: birth certificate, identification card, 2019 Canada Child Benefit Statement, letter from social worker, teacher or principal

For more information visit www.sportyukon.com/programs/kids-recreation-fund, call (867) 668-4236, or email info@sportyukon.com

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Items usually funded	Funded, with restrictions	NOT funded
<p><u>Equipment must be age appropriate.</u></p> <p>Badminton equipment Baseball equipment Basketball equipment Bike locks and pump Boxing equipment - with proof of registration mandatory Cross country ski equipment Disc Golf Downhill ski equipment Fishing lures (2 per year) Fishing rods Footballs Gloves (sport-specific) Helmets Hockey equipment Hockey nets and pucks Ice skates Kites Lawn activities Lifejackets and PFDs Mouth guards Pads (elbow, shin, knee, chest, shoulder) Protective eye wear Protective sports gear Required uniforms Skipping ropes Snowboarding equipment Snowshoes Soccer equipment Softball equipment Sport specific footwear – with proof of registration mandatory Squash equipment Street hockey equipment Table tennis equipment Tennis equipment Tobogganing sleds Volleyball equipment</p> <p>Proof of registration in sport may be required.</p>	<p><u>Once every 2 years per child:</u></p> <p>Bikes Long boards Scooters Skateboards Strollers Camping equipment – only sleeping bag, sleeping pad/mat Wagons Kicksleds (child size)</p> <p><u>Once per family:</u></p> <p>Bike trailers Canoes Child carriers Kayaks Jungle gyms Paddles (for canoe/kayak) Sleeping tent Stand Up Paddle Board Swing sets Trampolines Trampoline covers Trampoline enclosures Zipline</p>	<p>Air mattresses Ammunition Arrows Bags Bike lights, bells & gloves Board games Bows Car seats Clothing Darts Electronic items Fitness and exercise equipment Furniture and chairs Guns (real and toy) Hiking/winter boots Inflatable structures, toys, etc. Knives Motorized toys and equipment Play houses Pools or pool toys Rafts Sand boxes & water table Shoes Tackle boxes Toys Video games Water Bottles Weapons of any kind Winter clothing and accessories</p> <p><i>+ Anything from Walmart + Online purchases + Receipts over 3 months old</i></p>

If items are not on the list please verify that they will be funded before purchasing.