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## Children and Youth Program Grants Policies

*The Winnipeg Foundation makes granting decisions based on an application's merit and does not discriminate on the basis of actual or perceived group characteristics as identified in the Manitoba Human Rights Code. Organizations applying for a grant from The Winnipeg Foundation must also adhere to the Manitoba Human Rights Code.*

**Program description:** Children and Youth Program Grants awards grants of up to \$25,000 to youth-serving organizations or established youth programs that serve children and youth facing systemic barriers to participation, including BIPOC and 2SLGBTQ+ youth, youth from economically disadvantaged communities, and youth with disabilities or chronic illnesses.

**Maximum request amount:** \$25,000

### **Eligibility:**

- Only registered charities or other qualified donees are eligible to apply for grants from The Winnipeg Foundation.
- Projects must primarily benefit the people of Winnipeg. For projects outside of the City, applicants should demonstrate how the project will also benefit the people of Winnipeg.
- Organizations may apply for one Children and Youth Program Grant per calendar year.
- Applying for a Children and Youth Program Grant does not preclude an organization from applying for a Community Grant or special program grant in the same calendar year, but it must be for a different project.
- Organizations must complete the project and submit a satisfactory final report on their previous Children and Youth Program Grant before submitting a new Children and Youth Program Grants application.
- Projects must serve children and youth facing systemic barriers to participation, including BIPOC and 2SLGBTQ+ youth, youth from economically disadvantaged communities, and youth with disabilities or chronic illnesses.

### **Eligible costs:**

- Food
- Equipment/supplies
- Fee subsidies
- Transportation
- Fieldtrips
- Facilitators

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- Food handler and first aid training
  - Staff

**Grants are not usually made to:**

- Family programs
- Individual schools

**Grants are not made to, or for:**

- Capital/renovations
- Project costs related to activities undertaken before the date of decision

**How to apply:**

- Applications are accepted online through The Winnipeg Foundation's website, [wpgfdn.org](http://wpgfdn.org).