

YOUTH SPORT GRANT

INDIVIDUAL GUIDELINES

This grant is designed to assist athlete's who reside in the City of Melville who have been chosen to represent WA or Australia.

Applications must meet the following criteria to be eligible for a Youth Sport Grant;

1. Applicants to be 12-19 years of age (inclusive) at the time of event.
2. Applicants must live in the City of Melville and have done so for at least twelve (12) months.
3. Applicants who have been successful in obtaining a grant will be ineligible for further support until a period of two (2) years has passed.
4. A letter of support must be supplied for each applicant detailing the following;
 - a. Issued from either the relevant governing body; the State/Federal/Voluntary organisation or School Sport WA supporting the activity.
 - b. This letter must be on the organisations letterhead and include the applicant's full name, event name, details and dates.
 - c. There must be a demonstrated selection process - this will highlight the path in which the athlete was required to undertake in order to gain selection;
5. Assistance is given for travel costs, entry fees or any other event costs (no personal gain should be made by the grant).
6. The following limits apply:

• Individual	\$150
• Group	\$500
7. Where three or more residents are chosen to represent a team in the same sporting event, then a group donation may apply with a maximum contribution of five hundred dollars (\$500).
8. If a group grant is offered, the amount will be divided and calculated payments will then be issued to each individual.
9. The City of Melville reserves the right to withhold payment until the final cut off date for event registrations. At this time it will be determined if an individual or group grant will be issued. Therefore, we can not guarantee that payment will be received prior to the commencement of the event.
10. Grants are only issued subject to funding being available. Funding will be split across summer and winter season applications to ensure fairness in distribution.
11. A grant will not be given retrospectively.