

Sport and Active Recreation

Fee Assistance Programs

The cost of sport is a well-known barrier for many Canadian families. KidSport reports that cost keeps 1 in 3 Canadian children out of organized sport. Below are three assistance programs that help cover sport costs such as registration fees and equipment. These programs are excellent resources to help ensure that everyone has the opportunity to participate in sport

Canadian Tire Jumpstart (ages 4-18)

The Canadian Tire Jumpstart *Individual Child Funding* is for youth between 4-18 years of age. The funding is allocated to cover the registration fees to sport and physical activity programs running a minimum of 5-weeks (or minimum 5-day sport camps) and equipment for sport and physical activity programs.

<https://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/pages/individual-child-grants>

KidSport - Lethbridge & Taber (ages 18 and under)

KidSport provides grants for youth 18 and under to participate in registered sport programs. The grants are to help cover sport registration. If equipment is required to play, let KidSport know and they will make a referral to a partner agency.

<https://kidsportcanada.ca/alberta/lethbridge-taber/apply-for-a-grant/>

City of Lethbridge Recreation and Culture Fee Assistance Program (all ages)

The City of Lethbridge offers a Fee Assistance Program for all ages to help with the costs for any recreation, sports, arts, or culture registration, membership, or equipment. The program is for Lethbridge residents who face financial barriers to participate in recreational and cultural opportunities.

www.Lethbridge.ca/feeassistance



Find the full resource on our website: www.lethbridgesportcouncil.ca

