

Aboriginal Sport for Respect Grant Program - Application Form Preview

About the Aboriginal Sport for Respect Grant Program

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Instructions for Applicants

It is important that applicants work through the form in sequence, including the eligibility requirements. Questions asked throughout the application are based on your responses provided in the initial sections of the application.

We encourage all applicants to read the [Program Guidelines](#) carefully before applying. A copy of the [FAQs](#) is also available to assist you throughout the application process.

Incomplete (unsubmitted) applications will not be considered.

Application Number

This field is read only.

Program Details

Primary prevention means stopping violence before it occurs. It focuses on addressing the underlying conditions that drive domestic, family and sexual violence (DHSV), including attitudes, norms, structures and power imbalances that enable or excuse violence^[1]. Primary prevention works across whole communities to create lasting change by strengthening respectful relationships, promoting equality and supporting safer environments.

The NSW Government's strategy, *Pathways to Prevention: NSW Strategy for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence*^[2] (the Strategy), recognises that gender inequality is a key driver of violence against women. However, it also recognises that violence is shaped by a range of intersecting social, cultural and historical factors, and that effective prevention must respond to different community contexts.

For Aboriginal communities, evidence shows that violence cannot be understood through gender inequality alone. Research from Our Watch^[3] highlights that violence against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women is driven by the intersection of three key and interrelated factors:

- **Driver One:** the ongoing impacts of colonisation, including intergenerational trauma, disruption of culture, and experiences of systemic disadvantage and disempowerment
- **Driver Two:** the ongoing impacts of colonisation within broader Australian society, including racism, discrimination and structural inequalities of power
- **Driver Three:** gendered drivers of violence, including harmful attitudes, behaviours and norms that reinforce inequality and disrespect towards women

These drivers interact and reinforce each other, resulting in disproportionately high rates and more severe impacts of violence against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women.

The NSW Government has allocated up to \$625,000 in 2026/27 for this Program.

Grants of between \$3,000 and \$25,000 are available to eligible applicants for eligible projects.

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Funding is available to support Aboriginal-led, partnership-based projects that use sport and active recreation as a setting for the primary prevention of DFSV.

An eligible applicant may submit multiple applications; however, the maximum amount of funding that can be awarded to any one eligible applicant is \$25,000.

Organisations may be listed as a project partner in more than one application. Where an organisation is involved in multiple applications, the Office of Sport may consider its capacity, role and proposed contribution when assessing project deliverability.

Organisations may only receive NSW Government funding once for the same project or same component of a project from this program or any other NSW Government funded grant program.

Grant Program Name

This field is read only.

The program this submission is in.

Purpose and Key Objectives

Aboriginal Sport for Respect Program enables Aboriginal organisations and communities to design and lead activities that reflect local priorities and ways of knowing, fostering respectful relationships through genuine partnerships with the sport and active recreation sector. In doing so, it responds meaningfully to the drivers of violence while strengthening culture and self-determination.

Investing in local capability, cultural leadership and ongoing reflection will help drive long-term prevention outcomes for whole of community, across NSW.

Key Objectives

- **Support Aboriginal-led Prevention through Sport:** Enable Aboriginal communities, organisations and leaders to design and deliver primary prevention activities that reflect local priorities, strengths, culture and Aboriginal ways of knowing.
- **Promote safe, respectful and inclusive sporting environments:** Support projects that use sport and active recreation to strengthen respectful relationships, challenge harmful attitudes and behaviours, and promote safety, inclusion and belonging
- **Address the drivers of DFSV in culturally meaningful ways:** Support projects that respond to the gendered, colonial and social drivers of domestic, family and sexual violence in ways that are culturally safe, strengths-based, trauma-informed and community-led.
- **Build local capability and partnerships for prevention:** Strengthen the ability of Aboriginal communities, sport and active recreation organisations, ACCOs, DFSV prevention specialists and local partners to work together and embed prevention into everyday sporting activities, leadership, policies, practices and community engagement.
- **Strengthen learning and impact through Aboriginal-led reflection and evaluation in sport:** Embedding culturally appropriate reflection, continuous evaluation and storytelling to understand what works, what is meaningful for communities, identify opportunities to strengthen impact and how Aboriginal-led approaches can inform future prevention activity and investment.

Disclaimer

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The Applicant acknowledges and agrees that:

- submission of this application does not guarantee funding will be granted for any project, and the Department expressly reserves its right to accept or reject this application at its discretion;
- it must bear the costs of preparing and submitting this application and the Department does not accept any liability for such costs, whether or not this application is ultimately accepted or rejected; and
- it has read the Funding Guidelines for the Program and has fully informed itself of the relevant program requirements.

Use of Information

By submitting this application form, the Applicant acknowledges and agrees that:

- if this project application is successful, the relevant details of the project will be made public, including details such as the names of the organisation (Applicant) and any partnering organisation (state government agency or non-government organisation), project title, project description, location, anticipated time for completion and amount awarded;
- the Department will use reasonable endeavours to ensure that any information received in or in respect of this application which is clearly marked 'Commercial-in-confidence' or 'Confidential' is treated as confidential, however, such documents will remain subject to the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 (NSW) (GIPA Act); and
- in some circumstances the Department may release information contained in this application form and other relevant information in relation to this application in response to a request lodged under the GIPA Act or otherwise as required or permitted by law.

Privacy Notice

By submitting this Application form, the Applicant acknowledges and agrees that:

- the Department is required to comply with the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 (NSW) (the Privacy Act) and that any personal information (as defined by the Privacy Act) collected by the Department in relation to the program will be handled in accordance with the Privacy Act and its privacy policy (available at: <https://www.dpc.nsw.gov.au/privacy>);
- the information it provides to the Department in connection with this application will be collected and stored on a database and will only be used for the purposes for which it was collected (including, where necessary, being disclosed to other Government agencies in connection with the assessment of the merits of an application) or as otherwise permitted by the Privacy Act;
- it has taken steps to ensure that any person whose personal information (as defined by the Privacy Act) is included in this application has consented to the fact that the

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Department and other Government agencies may be supplied with that personal information, and has been made aware of the purposes for which it has been collected and may be used.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for funding, your application must:

- be submitted by an eligible applicant as per 2.1.2.
- be submitted through SmartyGrants.
- be for a project located in NSW.
- be for an eligible project as per 2.1.6
- request a grant amount between \$3,000 and \$25,000
- provide evidence of a partnership as per 2.1.4.
- be for a project completed by 1 December 2027.
- include a declaration by the applicant organisation that if successful they will provide Public Liability Insurance with a minimum \$5 million cover

Eligible organisations that have outstanding reporting from previous Office of Sport grant programs may be deemed ineligible for funding.

Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants must have the legal, financial and operational capacity to manage and deliver the proposed project. The applicant organisation will submit the application, enter into the funding agreement with the Office of Sport, receive the grant funding, and is responsible for delivering and acquitting the project.

There are two ways an organisation can be eligible to apply. Both must use the partnership model outlined in section 2.1.1.

Aboriginal-led applicants

Sport, active recreation or local government applicants

Who can apply

An Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO)/Aboriginal-led organisation listed under 2.1.2.1.

A sport, recreation or local government organisation listed under 2.1.2.2.

Required Partnership

Must include at least one project partner. The partner does not also need to be Aboriginal-led.

Must include at least one Aboriginal organisation or community group as a project partner.

Project Requirement

The project must meet the definition of an Aboriginal-led project in section 1.3 and be delivered through sport or active recreation.

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Ineligible Applicants

Ineligible applicants are any organisation types not listed in the 'Eligible Applicants' section, and include (but are not limited to):

- Individuals
- Unincorporated groups that are not applying through an eligible applicant.
- Parents and Citizens (P&C) Associations.
- State and Federal Government departments and agencies.
- Schools and TAFEs.
- NSW Institute of Sport, Australian Sports Commission (incorporating the Australian Institute of Sport) and NSW Regional Academies of Sport.
- For-profit commercial organisations, unless they are listed as an eligible applicant under this section, such as an eligible Aboriginal-owned business or eligible NSW-based professional sporting organisation.
- Organisations named:
 - (i) by the [National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse](#) on its list of institutions that have not joined or signified their intent not to join the Scheme; or
 - (ii) in the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse that has not yet joined the National Redress Scheme.

Eligible Projects and Project Costs

Eligible projects must:

- Be delivered in NSW.
- Use sport or active recreation as the primary engagement setting.
- Meet the definition of Aboriginal-led project in section 1.3.
- Address one or more relevant primary prevention drivers of DFSV outlined in section 1.
- Be completed by 1 December 2027.

Projects may engage Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal participants within the sporting environment where the project responds to Aboriginal community priorities and is intended to contribute to positive outcomes for Aboriginal communities.

Eligible project costs

Eligible project costs may include, but are not limited to:

- Venue hire for project delivery
- Minor equipment, materials and resources required specifically for project activities
- Promotion, communications, marketing and community engagement materials directly related to the project
- Specialist facilitator, trainer, cultural advisor or other specialist contractor fees
- Accessibility costs, including transport support, interpreters, childcare or other participation supports where needed
- Reasonable payment for Aboriginal cultural knowledge, community leadership, Elders, speakers or lived/living expertise where directly related to the project
- Reasonable catering for project activities, workshops, yarning circles, community gatherings or training sessions, where the cost is directly related to delivery of the

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project. Catering must be proportionate to the number of participants, duration, and nature of the activity.

- Travel and accommodation where it's essential to project delivery, particularly for regional or remote participation
- Staff salary or wage costs for time directly attributable to project delivery (limited to no more than 10% of the total grant amount).

Ineligible Projects and Project Costs

Ineligible projects

- Projects that do not meet the definition of an Aboriginal-led project in section 1.3.
- Projects focused primarily on increasing sport or active recreation participation, where there is no clear and explicit link to DFSV primary prevention outcomes.
- Projects whose primary purpose is crisis response, victim-survivor support, case management, counselling, perpetrator intervention or tertiary response
- Projects that do not use sport or active recreation as the primary setting for engagement and delivery
- Projects that have already been funded by the NSW Government unless significant new and additional scope is identified.
- Projects that will not be completed by 1 December 2027.

Ineligible costs

- Costs associated with preparing and submitting the grant application
- General administration costs, or organisational overheads that are not directly related to the Project.
- Prize money, trophies and presentation functions.
- Entertainment, hospitality, catering, food and drink not directly related to the Project. The purchase of alcohol will not be funded in any circumstances.
- Events organised primarily for fundraising purposes, including charity fundraising events.
- Purchase of land, rental of premises for the organisation's administrative and operational requirements, or associated occupancy payments.
- General running costs including capital equipment, insurance costs (public liability and general liability insurance).
- Infrastructure projects (e.g. construction, upgrade, maintenance, and repairs).
- Costs of engaging an independent evaluator or evaluation consultant.

Project budgets should not include any ineligible costs. These will be removed by assessors if included, at the absolute discretion of the Office of Sport.

Each application will be assessed against the following criteria:

Criterion 1: Community Priority and prevention purpose (25%)

Criterion 2: Project activities and use of sport (30%)

Criterion 3: Aboriginal-led Partnership (25%)

Criterion 4: Deliverability, safety and budget (20%)

The key objectives of the Program align to the [Office of Sport Strategic Plan 2024-2028](#)

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You can find the guidelines here: [Program Guidelines](#).

Applicants must address at least one of the program objectives.

Eligibility Confirmation

Please declare this application meets the Program eligibility criteria:

- It has been prepared by and is being submitted by an eligible applicant
- Applicants will notify the Department if grant funding is secured from another source

I confirm that the applicant and project is eligible according to the criteria outlined in the Program Guidelines *

☐ Yes

Applicant Details

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Organisation Details

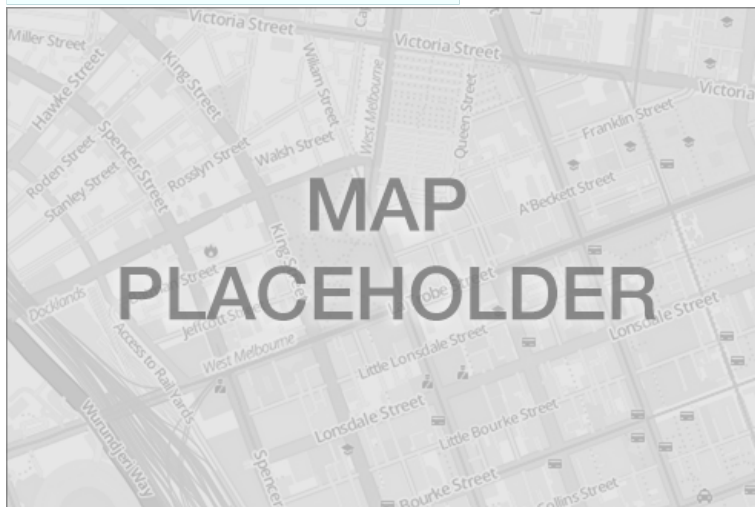
Organisation Name *

Organisation Name

Please use the organisation's full name. Make sure you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation such as that with the ABR, ACNC or ATO.

Primary Address

Address



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Postal Address

Address

Primary Phone Number *

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Must be an Australian phone number.

Country code not required, area code for landlines is required.

Other Phone Number

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Must be an Australian phone number.

Country code not required, area code for landlines is required.

Email Address *

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Must be an email address.

Website

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Must be a URL.

Please detail the primary activities of the applicant organisation. *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

What type of Organisation are you? *

- ☐ An Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO)/ Aboriginal-led organisation and partnering with at least one project partner
- ☐ A sport, recreation or local government organisation and partnering with at least one Aboriginal organisation or community group
- ☐ Neither of the above

You may not meet the eligibility requirements for funding under this program

Please carefully review the Program Guidelines or contact the Office of Sport prior to submitting your application.

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Insurances

Organisations approved for funding by this program are required to have a minimum Public Liability Insurance cover of \$5 million.

I understand that if the application is successful, our organisation is required to provide a copy of our Public Liability Insurance cover of at least \$5 million *

☐ Agree

It is recommended, but not a condition of funding, that applicant organisations have Personal Accident, Professional Indemnity and Directors and Officers insurance. Organisations that employ staff must comply with the Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998 (NSW). *

☐ Noted

Does the applicant have an Australian Business Number (ABN)? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

ABN *

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register	
ABN	
Entity Name	
ABN Status	
Entity Type	
Goods & Services Tax (GST)	
DGR Endorsed	
ATO Charity Type	More information
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	
Main Business Location	

Must be an ABN.

GST Status

Determine if your organisation is registered for GST by looking at the details of your ABN on the ABN box above (next to Goods & Services Tax - GST).

Is the applicant organisation registered for GST? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

Sport, active recreation and local government applicants

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To check your incorporation number, search one of the below registries:

- [NSW Incorporated Associations Register](#)
- [ASIC Registers](#)
- [ACNC](#)
- [Co-operatives](#)

Please select your organisation/entity type: *

- ☐ Incorporated Association - NSW Fair Trading
- ☐ Public Company limited by Guarantee - ASIC (Australian Securities and Investments Commission)
- ☐ Registered Australian Body - ASIC (Australian Securities and Investments Commission)
- ☐ Registered Charity - ACNC (Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission)
- ☐ Local government authority
- ☐ Regional Joint Organisations of Councils, the Lord Howe Island Board and Unincorporated Far West groups
- ☐ Not incorporated
- ☐ Other:

Applicant Organisation Incorporation Number: *

The incorporation details and ABN details (if applicable) should match the applicant organisation details.

Aboriginal-led applicants

Applicants may be registered with:

- [NSW Aboriginal Land Council](#) (NSWALC)
- [Aboriginal Health & Medical Research Council of NSW](#) (AH&MRC)
- [National Aboriginal Community-Controlled Health Organisation](#) (NACCHO)
- [Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations](#) (ORIC)
- [Supply Nation](#)
- [NSW Indigenous Chamber of Commerce](#) (NSWICC)

Please select your organisation type: *

- ☐ Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Corporation registered under the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 (Cth)
- ☐ NSW Aboriginal Land Council and Local Aboriginal Land Councils (LALC) under the Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983 (NSW)
- ☐ Aboriginal-owned businesses, with a minimum 51 per cent Aboriginal ownership and operation (for example, Supply Nation certified or NSWICC Registered)
- ☐ Incorporated Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCOs)

Please provide evidence of organisation type *

Attach a file:

Organisation Registration Number (if held)

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Primary Contact Details

This is the person from your organisation that will liaise with the Office of Sport on various administrative aspects of this application and grant if successful. It is your responsibility to update the Office of Sport of any contact details that may change during the delivery of this project.

Primary Contact *

Title First Name Last Name

This is the person we will correspond with about this grant.

Primary Contact Position *

e.g., Manager, Board Member or Fundraising Coordinator.

Primary Contact Phone Number *

Must be an Australian phone number.
Country code not required, area code for landlines is required.

Primary Contact Other Phone Number

Must be an Australian phone number.
Country code not required, area code for landlines is required.

Primary Contact Email *

Must be an email address.
This is the address we will use to correspond with you about this grant.

Secondary Project Contact

This person must be different to the Primary Contact. We generally will only contact this person if we can't make contact with the Primary Contact.

Secondary Contact Name *

Title First Name Last Name

Secondary Contact Position *

Secondary Contact Primary Phone Number *

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Must be an Australian phone number.
Country code not required, area code for landlines is required.

Secondary Contact Primary Email *

Must be an email address.

Application Details

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Title *

Word count:

Must be no more than 25 words.
Provide a name for your initiative. Your title should be short but descriptive.

Brief description *

Word count:

Must be no more than 50 words.
Include a brief summary of who will benefit from this initiative, what activities you will do and what outcomes you expect from your activities. This will be used for publication purposes.

Anticipated start date *

Must be a date.

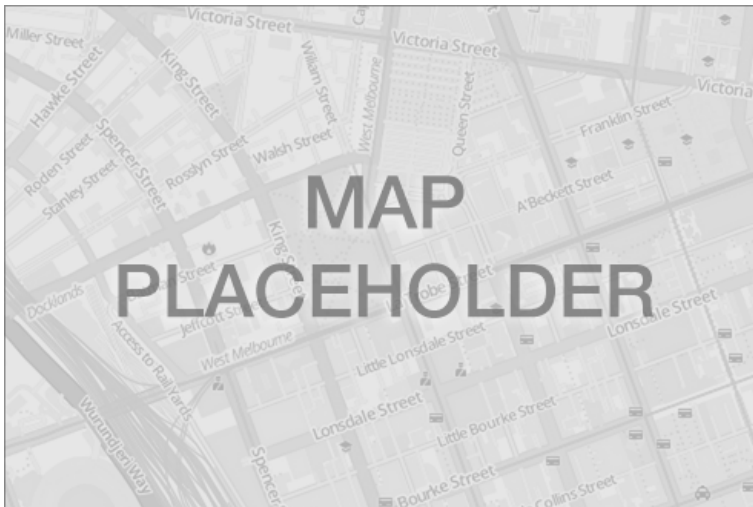
Anticipated end date *

Must be a date and no later than 1/12/2027.

Primary location of your initiative

Address

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Applicants must identify their 'project location' address (e.g., where your project will take place).

Project Data

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Sport Beneficiaries

Which sport will your project be primarily be enaging with *

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| ☐ Archery / Archery Field | ☐ Football (Powerchair Sport) | ☐ Polocrosse |
| ☐ Athletics | ☐ Gliding | ☐ Pony Club |
| ☐ Australian Football League | ☐ Goal Ball (Blind / Vision Impaired Sport) | ☐ Riding for the disabled |
| ☐ Badminton | ☐ Golf | ☐ Rifle |
| ☐ Ballroom Dancing | ☐ Golf (Amputee) | ☐ Rowing |
| ☐ Baseball | ☐ Gridiron | ☐ Rugby (Powerchair Sport) |
| ☐ Basketball | ☐ Gymnastics | ☐ Rugby League |
| ☐ Biathlon | ☐ Handball | ☐ Rugby League (Wheelchair Sports) |
| ☐ Billiards | ☐ Hang Gliding | ☐ Rugby Union |
| ☐ Blind Cricket (Blind / Vision Impaired Sport) | ☐ Hockey | ☐ Sailing |
| ☐ BMX - Freestyle / Racing | ☐ Hockey (Powerchair Sport) | ☐ Skateboarding |
| ☐ Bocce | ☐ Hockey (Wheelchair Sports) | ☐ Skiing |
| ☐ Boccia | ☐ Ice Hockey | ☐ Snooker |
| ☐ Bowls | ☐ Ice Racing | ☐ Snowboarding |
| ☐ Boxing | ☐ Ice Skating | ☐ Softball |
| ☐ Clay Target Shooting | ☐ Judo | ☐ Squash |
| ☐ Climbing / Rock Climbing | ☐ Karate | ☐ Surfing |
| ☐ Cricket | ☐ Karting | ☐ Swimming |
| ☐ Croquet | ☐ Kiteboarding | ☐ Synchronised Swimming |
| ☐ Cycling Track | ☐ Kung Fu | ☐ Table Tennis |
| ☐ Dancesports | ☐ Lacrosse | ☐ Tennis |
| ☐ Darts | ☐ Little Athletics | ☐ Touch Football |
| ☐ Diving | ☐ Motorcycling | ☐ Triathlon |

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| ☐ Dodgeball | ☐ Motorsport | ☐ Underwater Sports |
| ☐ Dragon Boating | ☐ Mountain Biking | ☐ Volleyball |
| ☐ Endurance Riders | ☐ Netball | ☐ Wakeboarding |
| ☐ Equestrian | ☐ Paddle Sports | ☐ Water Polo |
| ☐ Fencing | ☐ Parachute | ☐ Water Skiing |
| ☐ Flying Disc / Ultimate Frisbee | ☐ Paragliding | ☐ Weightlifting |
| ☐ Football | ☐ Pistol | ☐ Wrestling |
| ☐ Football / Futsal | ☐ Polo | ☐ Other: |

Does the project provide benefit to any other sport/s? *

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

Other Sport Beneficiaries

Please ensure you do not select the beneficiary already selected as the primary project beneficiary above.

Secondary Project Beneficiaries *

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| ☐ Archery / Archery Field | ☐ Football (Powerchair Sport) | ☐ Polo |
| ☐ Athletics | ☐ Gliding | ☐ Polocrosse |
| ☐ Australian Football League | ☐ Goal Ball (Blind / Vision Impaired Sport) | ☐ Pony Club |
| ☐ Badminton | ☐ Golf | ☐ Riding for the disabled |
| ☐ Ballroom Dancing | ☐ Golf (Amputee) | ☐ Rifle |
| ☐ Baseball | ☐ Gridiron | ☐ Rowing |
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- ☐ Football
- ☐ Football / Futsal

- ☐ Paragliding
- ☐ Pistol

- ☐ Wrestling
- ☐ Other:

The following information is being collected for statistical purposes but will also be considered as part of your application. Please be as accurate as possible.

Which gender group will the project primarily benefit? *

- ☐ Female
- ☐ Male
- ☐ Self-Described
- ☐ All Genders

Which identified age group will the project primarily benefit? *

- ☐ Preschool
- ☐ School Aged Children (5-12 years)
- ☐ Young People (12-24 years)
- ☐ Adult
- ☐ Seniors (60+ years)
- ☐ All Age Groups

What is the primary community (if any) that your project demonstrates benefit to? *

- ☐ Disadvantaged communities (low SEIFA)
- ☐ People from culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds
- ☐ First Nations/Aboriginal people
- ☐ People with a disability
- ☐ Regional and remote
- ☐ Women and girls
- ☐ LGBTQIA+
- ☐ None of the above

Does your project benefit any other communities? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Does your project demonstrate benefit to any other communities? *

- ☐ Disadvantaged communities (low SEIFA)
- ☐ People from culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds
- ☐ First Nations/Aboriginal people
- ☐ People with a disability
- ☐ Regional and remote
- ☐ Women and girls
- ☐ LGBTQIA+

Tick all that apply

Criterion 1: Community Priority and Prevention Purpose (25%)

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Describe the Aboriginal community priority or need the project will address and explain how it addresses one or more relevant primary prevention drivers of DFSV.

Which of the following program objectives will the project address? *

- ☐ Support Aboriginal-led Prevention through Sport
- ☐ Promote safe, respectful and inclusive sporting environments
- ☐ Address the drivers of DFSV in culturally meaningful ways
- ☐ Build local capability and partnerships for prevention
- ☐ Strengthen learning and impact through Aboriginal-led reflection and evaluation in sport

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Only select the objectives that apply to your project.

What Aboriginal community priority or need will the project respond to, and how do you know this is important to your community *

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

Which primary prevention driver/s will the project address? *

- ☐ The legacies and ongoing impacts of colonisation for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, families and communities
- ☐ The legacies and ongoing impacts of colonisation for non-Indigenous people, and across Australian society
- ☐ The gendered drivers of violence against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Refer to the Program Guidelines - Section 1.

How will the project address the selected driver or drivers? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 150 words.

Criterion 2: Project Activities and Use of Sport (30%)

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Describe the main project activities, including what will be delivered and the people or groups the project intends to engage. Explain how sport or active recreation will be used as the primary setting or method of delivery.

What activities or opportunities will you deliver through the project? *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 150 words.

What is your project and what will it deliver? Please list the project's specific, tangible and clearly defined deliverables in dot point format.

How will sport or active recreation be used as the main setting or way of delivering the project? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 150 words.

Who will take part in and how many people do you expect to be reached by the project? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 150 words.

Criterion 3: Aboriginal-led Partnership (25%)

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Explain how the project will be Aboriginal led.

Who will lead the project and what role will they have? *

Word count:

Must be at least 200 words.

Who will make or approve key project decisions throughout delivery? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

How will Aboriginal decision-making authority be maintained throughout the project? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

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Project Partner Details

Acceptable evidence may include one or more of the following documents: A partnership agreement or memorandum of understanding, a jointly endorsed document or roles and responsibilities document, letters or emails from project partners, meeting records or approved minutes or other documentation that addresses the requirements above.

If you have more than 1 partner, please click on 'add more'.

Partner Organisation Name *

Organisation Name

Partner Organisation Type (Aboriginal organisation/community group) *

Partner Contact Name *

Partner Position/Job Title *

Partner Email *

Must be an email address.

Phone Number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Contribution to the project *

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

Upload a letter or email confirming support/commitment from your Project Partner *

Attach a file:

Criterion 4: Deliverability, Safety and Budget (20%)

* indicates a required field

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Provide an activity schedule, demonstrate delivery capability and capacity, identify significant risks and mitigation strategies, and provide an eligible, reasonable and proportionate itemised budget.

Provide an activity schedule (project plan) identifying the main activities and timing, responsible parties, and the capability and capacity to deliver each activity.

Any project costs incurred prior to execution of a Funding Agreement are at the applicants own risk.

Please complete the following table with further details about the tasks/stages involved in your project. Please consider including information on stages relating to:

- Program development
- Procurement
- Construction/Delivery
- Event Promotion

Add more rows with '**Add More**' or '+/-'

Activity	Expected start date	Expected end date	Responsible Party
One per row. Must be no more than 25 words.	Must be a date.	Must be a date.	

Do you have an additional project plan document to support your planned activities? *

☐ Yes ☐ No

Upload your project plan here: *

Attach a file:

What experience, people, resources and community connections will help you deliver the project effectively and on time? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words.

Include examples of other projects/activities that demonstrate your ability to deliver projects of similar size.

Project risk management

We understand circumstances can change. Please tell us about any issues that could affect your project, community participation or delivery, and how you plan to respond.

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Add more rows with '**Add More**' or '+/-'

Risk or Issue	Who or what could be affected	How the risk or issue will be managed

Conflicts of Interest

Conflicts of Interest to declare *

☐ My organisation or any key personnel/decision makers involved in delivering this project do not have any conflicts of interest and I will immediately advise the relevant Grant Team Program Manager if I become aware of a conflict of interest.

☐ My organisation or any key personnel/decision makers involved in delivering this project have the following Conflict of Interest to declare.

E.g. the contractor providing the quotes is known to the applicant or applicant organisation

Please outline these conflicts and how they will be managed. *

Evidence to support your program

If you have any other supporting documentation you wish to provide, please upload here.

This might include letters of support from:

- State Sporting Organisations (SSOs) and State Sporting Organisations for People with Disability (SSODs)
- Local Council
- Local Sporting Associations/Clubs
- Community organisations

Attach files to show evidence of support/benefit for this project.

Attach a file:

Budget

You have indicated that your organisation is registered for GST (on page 2 of this application). Please list expenditure items **exclusive** of GST. If your application is successful, GST will be added to your grant amount at the point of invoicing.

Do not include 10% GST in your figures and in the Total Amount Requested.

- Provide a clear project budget that clearly identifies the income sources and the expenditure items.

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- Your expenditure table should clearly identify the income source that is intended to pay for it.
- Provide evidence to support budgeted costs and revenues, e.g., cost estimates or assumptions, quotes to support your costs.

NOTE: Please ensure that financial information presented in the application form below matches financial information presented in other documents provided (quotes etc). Mismatched financial information (without a clear rationale or explanation) may effect your scoring against this criterion (value for money).

You have indicated that your organisation is NOT registered for GST (on page 2 of this application). Please list expenditure items **inclusive** of GST.

Please include 10% GST in your figures and in the Total Amount Requested.

- Provide a clear project budget that clearly identifies the income sources and the expenditure items.
- Your expenditure table should clearly identify the income source that is intended to pay for it.
- Provide evidence to support budgeted costs and revenues, e.g., cost estimates or assumptions, quotes to support your costs.

NOTE: Please ensure that financial information presented in the application form below matches financial information presented in other documents provided (quotes etc). Mismatched financial information (without a clear rationale or explanation) may effect your scoring against this criterion (value for money).

Grant Request

Funding availability for this program is between \$3,000 and \$25,000.

Total Amount Requested

*

\$

Must be a whole dollar amount (no cents) and between 3000 and 25000.

What is the total financial support you are requesting under this grant?

Funding Sources

In addition to the grant request are there any other funding sources are contributing to your project? *

- ☐ No other contribution - only using this grant request to fund project
- ☐ Yes - there are other funding sources contributing to the project

Which of the below funding sources are contributing to your project? Tick all that apply. *

- ☐ Applicant organisation cash contribution

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- ☐ Partner organisation cash contribution
☐ Other:

Other Funding Sources

Please provide a breakdown below of your funding sources and attach evidence of this funding. Do not include any in-kind contributions to this table.

Examples of evidence required:

- **Applicant organisation cash contribution:** Formal letter from Organisation stating the contribution amount and project title. Bank statement showing available funds.
- **Partner cash contribution:** Formal letter from Partner Organisation stating the contribution amount and project title.

Add more rows using '**Add More**' or '+/-

Type of Contribution	Total Amount	Evidence of Contribution
	Must be a dollar amount.	
Other:		

Total Cash Contributions from other funding sources for the project

This number/amount is calculated.
This does not include the grant request.

Expenditure

Please include all expenditure items that you are seeking to fund under the grant request.

Organisations that are not registered for GST: include GST in these amounts.

Organisations that are registered for GST: do not include GST in these amounts

Please note, these items must be eligible under the grant as according to the guidelines.

Expenditure Item	Funding Source	Expenditure Amount	Evidence Type	Quote	Notes
		\$			
		Must be a dollar amount.			

Budget check

The Total Project Cost and Total Income should match. This below calculation should be zero (\$0). If they do not match, please amend your figures above.

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This number/amount is calculated.

This is the sum of the total expenditure minus the total income (grant request and any other income).

Your project costs currently exceed the total income you have identified for this project.

Please revise both your income and expenditure tables.

Your stated income sources currently exceed the stated costs for this project.

Please revise both your income and expenditure tables.

Totals

Total Project Cost

This number/amount is calculated.

This is the sum of all the expenditure items that you have entered in the expenditure table above.

Total Income

This number/amount is calculated.

This is the sum of the grant request and any income that you have entered in the contributions table.

Other NSW Government Funding

Have you applied for a grant for this project or a component of this project from the NSW Government? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

Please fill out the table below with the information from your other grant applications.

NSW Government Agency	Project Title	Project Description	Amount Requested	Status of Application
			Must be a dollar amount.	

Declaration and Authorisation

* indicates a required field

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Child Safe Reporting Obligations

The Office of Sport is required to collect the following information as part of our child safe reporting obligations. Answering these questions will not have any impact on the eligibility/merit of your application.

Is your organisation aware of the NSW Child Safe Scheme? *

- ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure ☐ Not Applicable

Is your organisation working to embed the 10 Child Safe Standards in its systems, policies and processes? *

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

Applicant Feedback

You are nearing the end of the application process. Before you review your application and click the SUBMIT button please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

The objectives of the grant program were clearly communicated *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

The range of eligible organisations aligned well with and supported the program's objectives *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

The scope of eligible projects was appropriate considering the program's objectives *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

I understood the requirements of the grant based on the information within the program guidelines *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

The application process was easy to navigate *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

The application form was easy to complete *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

I received sufficient support from Office of Sport throughout the application process *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

I had sufficient time to prepare and submit my application *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

The application form allowed me to easily communicate my project objectives *

- ☐ Strongly disagree ☐ Disagree ☐ Agree ☐ Strongly agree

Which of the following best describes the project in your grant application? *

- ☐ We had a pre-planned project that the funding will help us deliver

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- ☐ We designed a new project specifically to align with the grant requirements
- ☐ We adapted an existing project to take advantage of the funding opportunity

How did you find out about this grant funding opportunity? *

- ☐ Office of Sport newsletter
- ☐ Social Media (e.g., Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram etc.)
- ☐ Member of Parliament
- ☐ State Sporting Organisation
- ☐ Sport club
- ☐ Word of mouth
- ☐ Other:

Would you like to receive information in future from the Office of Sport by electronic direct mail (EDM) about future or repeat programs or other resources available from the Office of Sport that may be of interest to your organisation? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ N/A

If yes, please add your Email Address to receive information by EDM from the Office of Sport

Please provide us with your suggestions about any improvements and/or additions to the application process/form that you think we need to consider

Declaration

The Applicant represents and warrants that this application has been submitted by an authorised representative of the Applicant (e.g. CEO, Chief Financial Officer, General Manager, Director, Chair of the Board, President, authorised manager etc).

Where this Application is submitted in the course of employment by a representative of any kind (e.g. authorised representative or agent) of the Applicant, you: (i) acknowledge and agree that the Applicant is deemed to be jointly and separately bound by this application; and (ii) represent and warrant that you have the authority to represent and bind the Applicant as contemplated by this provision.

By submitting this application form I hereby declare that:

- I agree for my project to be automatically considered in other NSW funding programs;
- I have read and understood each of the acknowledgements, agreements, representations and warranties provided above, and that each of these are true and correct;
- All information provided including the responses to each question in the relevant sections of this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge;
- Any information contained in this application may be disclosed to other Government agencies, staff administering the program, and to external stakeholders (including consultants, lawyers and other advisers) as part of the assessment of this application;

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- I am authorised to submit this application on behalf of, and have the authority to represent and bind the Applicant;
- I understand that any false declaration may render this application ineligible/invalid; and
- All relevant conflicts of interest have been declared

Declaration by person submitting this form

The declaration below must be agreed to by a person who is submitting this form on behalf of the organisation.

I declare that: *

- ☐ I am duly authorised by the organisation to prepare and submit this application.
- ☐ This organisation is eligible to apply for funding in accordance with the eligibility criteria in the Funding Guidelines.
- ☐ The responses in this application and all supporting documents provided are to the best of my knowledge true and correct.
- ☐ I understand that the Office of Sport may disclose the information provided in this application to other Government agencies, Local Government, reviewers and staff assisting with the administration or promotion of State Government Grant Schemes and/or in the event of a request pursuant to the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009.
- ☐ I understand that information in relation to this project will be made public in the event that the application for funding is successful and in other circumstances as outlined in the Program Guidelines.
- ☐ Where required, our project will comply with all the relevant codes, standards and applicable legislation of the Australian and NSW Governments.
- ☐ I acknowledge that in preparing this application I am not aware of any known conflicts of interest as outlined in the Program Guidelines, and will keep the Office of Sport updated if any conflict of interest arise during the term of the funding agreement.
- ☐ I understand that if the project is successful, the organisation is required to have a minimum Public Liability Insurance cover of \$5 million for the duration of the project.
- ☐ The applicant organisation is not named by the National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse on its list of Institutions that have not joined or signified their intent to join the Scheme.

At least 9 choices must be selected.

Authorisation

I agree *

☐ Yes

Name of authorised person *

Title	First Name	Last Name

Must be a senior staff member, board member or appropriately authorised volunteer

Position *

Position held in applicant organisation (e.g. CEO, Treasurer)

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Phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.
We may contact you to verify that this application is authorised
by the applicant organisation

Email *

Must be an email address.

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