



2026-2027 CAF ANNUAL GRANT PROGRAM

GRANT CATEGORIES AT A GLANCE

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APPLICATION TYPE	EQUIPMENT GRANT		SPORT EXPENSE GRANT
	EQUIPMENT THROUGH CAF PREFERRED VENDORS	OTHER EQUIPMENT (FUNDING FOR EQUIPMENT)	
PURPOSE	CAF purchases and delivers adaptive sports equipment	Provides funding for applicant to purchase equipment	Covers training, competition, travel, coaching expenses
FUNDING COVERAGE	Partial or full cost of approved sports equipment	Partial or full funding toward equipment purchase	Travel, lodging, entry fees, coaching, small equipment maintenance
APPLICATION WINDOW	Sept 28 - Nov 13	Sept 28 - Nov 13	Sept 28 - Nov 13
GEOGRAPHIC ELIGIBILITY	U.S. residents only	U.S. residents only	U.S. and International applicants
GRANT RESTRICTIONS	Once awarded, may apply every 3 years if under 18, or every 5 years if 18 and over	Once awarded, may apply every 3 years if under 18, or every 5 years if 18 and over	Eligible annually
MAXIMUM AWARD AMOUNT	Covers baseline cost of equipment (may not include shipping)	\$3,500 maximum	\$1,500 maximum
AWARD NOTIFICATION DATE	March 2027	March 2027	March 2027
USE RESTRICTIONS	Equipment must be used for sport/fitness purposes	Equipment must be used for sport/fitness purposes	Only for sport-related travel, coaching, small equipment expenses