



2026 GRANT APPLICANT GUIDE



IDAHO RESIDENTS



GRANT AT A GLANCE

Grant Type: CAF-Idaho Grant

Funding Covers: Sports equipment, funding toward equipment, or sport expense grants for Idaho residents with permanent physical disabilities

Application Window: Year-round (April 1 – March 31 each fiscal year)

Decision Timeline: Applications reviewed monthly; awards announced the following week after review

Award Value: Varies by grant type and request (equipment, funding toward equipment, or expenses)

Who Can Apply: Individuals with permanent physical disabilities who reside in Idaho



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GRANT DETAILS & RESTRICTIONS

Applicants may apply for **one Idaho Grant per fiscal year** in one of three categories: Equipment Grants, Funding Toward Equipment, or Sport Expense Grants. Awards are based on financial need, appropriateness of the request, and available program funds. Requests for non-sport or general mobility equipment, medical or rehab services, uniforms, nutrition supplements, fitness trackers, or personal travel for family or coaches are not eligible. All receipts must be uploaded by the 1-year anniversary of the award.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Applications are evaluated based on:

- Financial need
- Appropriateness of the request to applicant's sport or fitness goals
- Commitment to sport or fitness
- Availability of program funds

FAQ HIGHLIGHTS

Q: What types of grants are available?

A: Applicants may apply for one of three categories: Equipment Grant, Funding Toward Equipment, or Sport Expense Grant.

Q: Are travel grants for Idaho camps and clinics included?

A: Yes. Travel grants tied to Idaho camps and clinics do not interfere with an athlete's eligibility to apply for a CAF-Idaho Grant.

Q: In interested in applying for an adaptive mountain bike. Does CAF-Idaho support that?

A: Yes. Funding is generally based on the base cost of bikes from our preferred vendors. More info can be found [here](#).

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must have a permanent physical disability that impacts mobility, balance, coordination, or limb function (hearing, intellectual, and developmental disabilities are not eligible)
- Be an Idaho resident

TIMELINE

- Application Window: Year-round (April 1 - March 31)
- Review Period: Applications reviewed monthly during the last week of the month
- Award Notifications: First week of the following month
- Receipt Deadline: One-year anniversary of the award



APPLICATION CHECKLIST

BEFORE APPLYING, HAVE THESE READY:

- Proof of Idaho residency
- Medical verification documentation
- Financial documentation demonstrating need
- One letter of recommendation (from a coach, teammate, etc)
- Athlete photo (preferably in sport)

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