






2026 CAF ANNUAL GRANT PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY AT A GLANCE

ANNUAL GRANT TYPES

	EQUIPMENT GRANT		SPORT EXPENSE GRANT
	EQUIPMENT THROUGH CAF PREFERRED VENDORS	FUNDING FOR EQUIPMENT	<i>Covers training, competition, travel, and small equipment</i>
	U.S. only	U.S. only	U.S. + International
	Frequency: every 3 years (under 18) or every 5 years (18+)	Frequency: every 3 years (under 18) or every 5 years (18+)	Open to all ages
	Must demonstrate financial need	Must demonstrate financial need	Must demonstrate financial need

KEY DISQUALIFIERS



- Chronic pain, hearing impairments, cognitive or developmental disabilities
- Teams, organizations, and non-disabled individuals

CAF prioritizes athletes with the greatest financial need. Higher income does not automatically disqualify you, but support is not guaranteed.

APPLICATION WINDOW: OCT 1 – NOV 14, 2025