



Guidelines for St Jude's Individual Sports Grant "School Grants for School Sport"

The St Jude's Community Council supports students who represent ACT or Australian sporting teams. The **St Jude's Sporting Grant** is designed to provide financial assistance to St Jude's boys and girls towards the cost of travel, accommodation, uniforms or equipment when competing.

Who qualifies for assistance?

- 1 Students from Kindergarten to year six;
- 2 Students participating in activities organised under the ACT School Sports Association (SSA) umbrella which include school representation (see ACT School Sport Handbook for further guidance on list of available sports);
- 3 Students who have not already been the recipient of a grant in the same calendar year.

How much is each student eligible for?

As of September 2010 the amount per student per sport is \$150 unless there is deemed to be extenuating circumstances as determined by the Community Council Chair in consultation with the School Principal and School Sports Coordinator.

In addition to this the school will support any parents and or children's individual fund raising initiatives within reason (as determined by the Principal) e.g. cake stalls, chocolate drives.

How do I apply?

All students who apply for the grant must provide the following information in writing to the Community Council via the Sports Coordinator including the:

- 1 team sport they have been chosen for;
- 2 association (e.g. ACT School Sports Association);
- 3 venue for international or national competition;
- 4 costs involved (as shown in a letter from the organising body);
- 5 dates of the competition.

Notification

Applicants should appreciate that funds are limited and grants can only be made to a restricted number of applicants in any given year. Applications will be submitted with a recommendation by the Sports Coordinator to the Finance Committee for their consideration. Applicants will be notified in writing of the outcome within 2 weeks of their submission with a copy to be provided at the next Community Council meeting.

St Jude's Community Council

Finance Committee

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