

COVID-19 Rapid Response Grants

Inclusion Support Grants

FY 2020 – 2021



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Inclusion Support Grants (75% of Club Fees or up to \$200)

Description

Funding supports the inclusion of school aged Frankston residents up to the age of 18 years in disadvantaged circumstances to participate in a sport by paying their fees directly to the Frankston municipality sports club (e.g. cricket, football, netball, basketball, tennis, etc.). Applicants apply to Council and if successful, applicants must register with the sporting club within 8 weeks. Grants are paid directly to the club on receipt of invoice. Applicants must hold a Health Care Card or Pension Concession Card. Assistance can be provided for more than one family member per financial year. Council may consider applications for other recreational activities on a case by case basis.

Eligibility

Applicants must:

- Be a Frankston municipality resident; be school-aged up to 18 years; and hold a Health Care or Pension Concession card
- Be applying to a sporting club that is not-for-profit, and based in Frankston municipality; (Council has discretion to consider applications for other recreational activities)
- Agree that Council will pay fees directly to the sporting club (on receipt of invoice)
- Once approved, join their nominated club within 8 weeks from the date of approval
- Compulsory uniform and equipment *may* be considered as part of the application on a case by case basis and in discussion with the sporting club
- Not have been the recipient of a previous Inclusion Support Grant within the same financial year (assistance can be provided for more than one family member per financial year).
- Have previously complied with conditions of any previous grants received in prior years (including properly accounting for prior funds).