



NORDIC SKIING ASSOCIATION OF ANCHORAGE

Ski Equipment Grants for Schools

Applications due May 1, 2023

Ski 4 Kids Day is a fun-filled event for kids ages 0-14. Each spring, hundreds of families participate in a day full of ski races, obstacle courses, sling-shot lemon-drop biathlon, and snow-shoeing and then finish off with a fun prize. Funds raised at this event go to support youth skiing in Anchorage through equipment purchases for the Municipality of Anchorage's Ski Outreach Program and direct grants to Anchorage schools and programs to purchase ski equipment (skis, boots, poles, and bindings). Below are details for your school that explain how to apply for Ski Equipment Grants.

Grant Details:

- Individual grant amounts are generally between \$500 and \$2,500. Total number of grants awarded varies depending on the funds raised.
- Funds may only purchase cross-country skis, bindings, boots, or poles (no indirect or administrative expenses).
- Grant applications must be approved by the school principal.
- Application deadline: May 1st. Grant awards announcements are made on May 31st.
- Grant funds are disbursed directly to the vendor for the equipment purchases.

Grant Priorities – Funding Preference:

- Schools that have participated in the Outreach program during the previous school year will be given preference.
- Schools with a source of matching funds (ASEF, PTSA, School Business Partners, or private donations) will be given preference.
- Schools awarded funds will recognize the Nordic Skiing Association of Anchorage as a school business partner.
- Schools that have yet to have prior grants will be given preference.
- Grant applications may be submitted online through the Google Form below:

[S4K GRANT APPLICATION FORM](#)

Grant Timeline:

- Applications due: May 1, 2023
- Grant awards announced: May 31, 2023