



Creative Kids Northern Cultural Fund

Expense Eligibility

Eligible Expenses

- Expenses directly tied to holding cultural activity or activities for children and youth ages 4 to 19 in northern Saskatchewan;
- Expenses that are over and above normal operating costs for a cultural group (i.e. not tied to salaries, rent, etc.);
- Artist fees and honorariums for cultural workers;
- Materials or equipment rentals;
- Travel and accommodations;
- Evaluation costs and;
- Advertising and promotional costs (to a maximum of 20%).

Ineligible Expenses - Funds may not be used for:

- Retroactive program funding;
- Construction, renovations or repairs;
- Capital expenditures;
- Cash prizes or gifts;
- Purchase of alcohol;
- Food or food-related costs are generally ineligible. However, up to 25% of the grant may be used if these costs can be directly attributed to the cultural activity (e.g. the cultural activity is specifically focused on the cultural significance and mentorship aspects associated with traditional food preparation, instruction, gathering and so on).
- Activity that exclusively promotes definable religious or political viewpoints;
- Volunteer hours as a budget expense;
- Allowances, wages or personal expenses for registrants and participants;
- Operating costs, salaries and related expenses of existing staff of the applicant organization(s);
- Normal operational expenses; and
- In-kind contributions and donations of goods and services.