



La Gente Youth Sports, Inc Scholarship Request Application

La Gente Youth Sports, Inc. provides registration fee scholarships and equipment vouchers to help eligible youth participate in sports programs in Pueblo. This scholarship program provides assistance to youths from low-income families who are not currently being served by existing scholarship or fee waiver programs.

Eligibility

To be eligible for a scholarship, a child must:

Qualify for or be currently receiving assistance from one or more of the programs listed below:

- Food Assistance
- Child Care Assistance
- Foster Care
- Health First Colorado (Medicaid)

AND Meet each of the criteria listed below:

- Live in Pueblo County or the City of Pueblo
- Be enrolled in school (pre-school through 12th grade)
- Commit to attend a minimum of 80% of scheduled practices and games
- Not be currently served by an existing scholarship or fee waiver program.
- Apply prior to registration deadline. Late request will not be accepted.

Priority may be given to eligible youth recommended by a Pueblo County Department of Social Services social worker or Pueblo City Schools counselor.

To Apply

1. Applications must be submitted by sports organizations. Parents should complete the application and submit it to La Gente Youth Sports, Inc.
2. Complete the application on the reverse of this page. Ensure that the application has been signed by a parent or guardian. Attach official documents signifying the child is receiving aid.
3. Log into or create an account at www.lgys.org and register for the sport of play. You DO NOT have to pay at the time, the order will stay in the shopping cart waiting approval.
4. Eligible applicants will be confirmed and awarded scholarships prior to play via email conformation receipt.

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Name of youth: _____
Last, First

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Grade: _____ Gender: _____

Parent or Guardian Name: _____
Last, First

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Day Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

CONSENT TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION I understand that information may be needed to verify eligibility for this program and to coordinate services with other agencies; therefore, I agree that agencies may share my child's information. I certify that the information supplied is true and correct and that La Gente Youth Sports, Inc. staff have my permission to verify the information on this application. I understand that my child's participation in this program requires a commitment to attend a minimum of 80% of the scheduled practices and games.

REQUEST FOR FEE WAIVER or EQUIPMENT VOUCHER My child is currently enrolled in a public assistance program. I request a fee waiver or equipment voucher for the Youth Sports Scholarship Program and give my permission for the Department of Social Services to release information verifying my eligibility. I understand that I must submit proof that I am receiving services.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date: _____

A non-returnable copy of official documentation signifying that the child is receiving aid must be attached. Scholarships are based on financial need and availability. Request does not guarantee approval. Some scholarships are given in partial.

La Gente Youth Sports is committed to nondiscrimination on the basis of disability in all programs, services and activities. Reasonable accommodations will be made at request.

