

City of Marion Youth Achievement Grant

Please note

Before completing this application form for a Youth Achievement Grant please read the guidelines: [Youth Achievement Grant Guidelines](#)

If you have any questions about your eligibility, please contact Ashley Lambourne, Grants Officer on 8375 6600 or email ashley.lambourne@marion.sa.gov.au.

Overview

The purpose of the Youth Achievement Grant Program is to encourage young people who have achieved outstanding results in their chosen field.

The aim of the grants program is to award financial assistance to support young people achieving their individual goals.

Grants are available for young people who are residents of the City of Marion.

Applications will be received from 1 July to 30 June each financial year or until funds are exhausted.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be a resident of the City of Marion
- Aged 12-25 years at the time of the event
- Representation at events/activities within Australia or internationally (including peak body organised event)
- Please attach a letter of invitation or relevant supporting documentation
- One application per person unless you are representing your state and country for the same activity (max \$400 limit)

The following applications will be ineligible:

- Applications received after the event/activity has taken place
- Retrospective costs (any money spent before grant is approved)
- Applications from activity/event officials, coaches and organisers

Suggested Grant Categories

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- Education & Academic Performance
- Youth Leadership eg Youth Parliament, Youth Forums
- The Arts eg Creative, Visual and Performing
- Sport and Recreation eg State and National Competition
- Community and Culture
- Technology and Innovation
- Environmental Sustainability

Grants Available

- \$200 - event or activity within Australia in your chosen field
- \$400 - international event or activity in your chosen field (or international event held in Australia)
- \$400 max - if nominated to represent state and country in the same activity

Conditions

- Applications will be accepted throughout the year
- One application per person per financial year unless you are representing your state and country in the same activity, then you may apply twice (max \$400 limit)
- Approval is subject to annual budgetary limitations
- Applications must be received through the Youth Achievement Grants Smarty Grants page
- Applications must include a letter of verification from the relevant peak body or a letter of invitation with the applicant's name, event details and date
- Applicants will be notified within four weeks of submitting an application
- Successful applications will receive payment via EFT. If applicants are under 18 the EFT will be made to the parent/guardian.
- In the event of a cancellation of the competition or an inability to attend, any grant received must be returned to Council
- Successful applications may provide a photo of the applicant during the event for inclusion in Council publications including the website. Please indicate via tick box on submission if you approve your pictures for use by the City of Marion.

Definitions

Peak body: a government or non-government organisation who represents, or whose membership consists of, smaller organisations of allied interests.

Note: If your field does not have a peak body, please attach a letter of invitation or relevant supporting documentation

Application Form

* indicates a required field

Youth Achievement Grants

Please ensure you have read the guidelines prior to completing this application form.

Youth Achievement Category *

- Education & Academic Performance
- Youth Leadership eg Youth Parliament, Youth Forums
- The Arts eg Creative, Visual and Performing
- Maths & Science
- Community and Culture
- Technology and Innovation
- Environmental Sustainability
- Sport & Recreation
- Other:

Please choose relevant category

Please specify your field of achievement *

Eg. - gymnastics, tennis, public speaking, maths or science field etc.

Applicant's details (person who is competing)

Applicant *

Title	First Name	Last Name
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Applicant primary address *

Address

Suburb State Postcode

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Must be an Australian postcode.

Applicant postal address *

Address

Suburb State Postcode

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Must be Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, and Postcode are required..

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Applicant phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Parent / guardian phone number (if under 18)

Word count:

If applicant is over 18 please put N/A

Email address *

Must be an email address.

Parent/guardian email if applicant under 18

Age *

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Applicant's age at the time of the event. Please note that applications from children under the age of 12 at the time of the event are strictly ineligible.

Applicant Date of Birth *

Must be a date.

Parent's name (if applicant is under 18)

Title	First Name	Last Name
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Has this applicant already received a City of Marion Youth Achievement Grant in the current financial year? *

- Yes No

Are you now representing Australia having already achieved at a State Level for this activity?

- Yes
 No

If the answer is no, your application is ineligible. Please provide

Competition / Event / Activity

Organisation being represented *

Organisation address

Address

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Suburb State Postcode

Must be an Australian post code

**Contact person
from organisation
represented ***

Phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number

Email

Must be an email address

**Please provide details of
the event / competition /
activity you are taking
part in ***

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

**Start date of event /
competition / activity ***

Must be a date and between 1/7/2026 and 30/6/2027.

End date

Must be a date and between 1/7/2026 and 30/6/2027.

**Location of event /
competition / activity ***

Representation *

Within Australia (\$200)

International (\$400)

If international event is being held in Australia you may still select 'International'

Declaration

To be completed by applicant or by parent / guardian if applicant is under 18

I agree to the conditions of this grant in the guidelines as outlined above

Full name *

Date *

Must be a date and between 1/6/2025 and 30/7/2026.

**The City of Marion
encourages you to
supply a photo of**

Yes

No

the applicant at the nominated event. If you choose to supply a photo, do you consent for the photo to appear in the City of Marion's publications and our website? *

Payment details

To be completed by parent / guardian if applicant is under 18

To enable payment via EFT please provide your bank details.

Payments will generally occur within 14 business days once the form has been received by the City of Marion accounts team

Bank Account *

Account Name

BSB Number

Account Number

Must be a valid Australian bank account format.

Total Amount Requested *

Must be a number.

Support letter from organising body

Must include applicant's name, event / activity details and dates.

Letters without the correct information will delay payment

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Attach a file: