



### **How to Apply for Financial Assistance (Spring Session 2023)**

1. BEFORE you apply for funding you must sign up for a class on JackRabbit. In order to apply for funding you will need the specific class information such as dates and exact costs. The exact costs that you can apply for include the cost of the class and the required \$45 annual Gymnastics Ontario fee (make sure you have not already paid it for the current season which runs July 1-June 30th).
  - a. Please note that summer camp will require a separate GO Fee for the 2023/2024 Season
2. Once you have registered for a class, apply for funding right away. Please make sure that we know you are applying for funding by filling out the below form:
  - a. <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdr667V65hr-Weh4jeHrmXOnNsOXpg5KrMktKRn7-IWt3scxw/viewform>
3. If you are applying to KidSport/ Jumpstart please forward your confirmation email to [info@kwgymnastics.ca](mailto:info@kwgymnastics.ca)
4. Once you receive approval of funding, forward the email to us at [info@kwgymnastics.ca](mailto:info@kwgymnastics.ca)
5. If we have not received your approval of funding on or before March 17th, 2023 your child will be removed from the Winter session. In this case, you are welcome to register again for the Summer session May 2023.

Please note: If you are using financial assistance dollars we must be made aware of it at the time of registration. If you do not notify us or if you apply for funding after the session has begun the dollars can not be used for those classes.

#### Funding Partners:

1. KidSport: Up to \$400 once per year. No age requirements. Funding for CLASSES ONLY, no camps/PD day care. Please note, parent participation classes are not eligible for KidSport Funding. <https://kidsportcanada.ca/ontario/kitchener-waterloo/apply-for-a-grant/>
2. Jumpstart - up to \$300 funding for camps or classes (4-18yrs old). Program must be a minimum of 5 weeks in length or 5 consecutive days of camp.
3. City of Waterloo Fee Assistance <https://www.waterloo.ca/en/things-to-do/assistance-programs.aspx> up to \$300 annually.
4. City of Kitchener Leisure Access Card: If you have been declined by both KidSport and Jumpstart but have qualified for a City of Kitchener Leisure Access Card, you are eligible to receive a 50% discount off our class fee. You must provide proof that you have been declined from both Kidsport and Jumpstart in order to receive the Leisure Access Card discount.