

Riddell Smarter Football

2019 Eligibility & FAQ

ELIGIBILITY

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Who is eligible for a Smarter Football grant?

All levels of play in the United States and Canada are eligible to apply.

How will grant submissions be assessed?

Equipment grants will be assessed on the following criteria:

- A complete grant application
- An expressed need for updated equipment
- Essay quality and your ability to communicate how an equipment grant will strengthen your team's commitment to Smarter Football

How much equipment will Riddell donate?

Riddell will donate up to \$100,000 in equipment grants to deserving programs and organizations based on the criteria above.

What does the grant application involve?

To be eligible for a Smarter Football grant, applicants must provide basic team information, such as name, location, phone number, and email address for whom they are applying. Additionally, Riddell requires applicants to detail how their program or organization practices Smarter Football both on and off the field and outline how receiving a grant will strengthen their commitment to practicing Smarter Football.

Can I submit on behalf of multiple programs?

Yes, however Riddell will only accept one application per applicant per program. Multiple applications from one applicant on behalf of one organization or program will be discarded. Individuals may apply one time on behalf of one or more organizations.

Who should I contact with additional questions about my grant application?

Please send all questions to media@riddellsports.com.



Who can fill out the grant application?

Riddell encourages all members of the football community to apply for a Smarter Football grant on behalf of the programs and organizations they represent. Submissions from parents, players, administrators, coaches, and all other community members will be assessed on the criteria outlined above.

When will I be notified if my team will receive a grant? When will the equipment be delivered?

Smarter Football equipment grants will be awarded after the submission period closes on July 8, 2019 and notification will be completed no later than the end of August 2019. Riddell will work closely with each winner to deliver their equipment for use during the 2019 season.

Who orders equipment for my team once grants are awarded?

For individuals applying on behalf of a program, equipment orders and delivery will be coordinated directly with leagues, programs and school officials. For coaches and other league members, Riddell will work directly with you to determine equipment needs and logistics.