



2020 SPECIAL PROJECT PARTICIPATION SCHEME

The Sligo Sport and Recreation Partnership Club Development Programme provides grant assistance to sport clubs/organisations within County Sligo for Special Project Participation Initiatives. This scheme reflects and will contribute to, the strategies of Sligo Sport and Recreation Partnership and Sport Ireland. This Scheme aims to increase participation and improve the management and administration of clubs, to develop youth structures in clubs/organisations and to support new and additional sports programming/ events thereby promoting sport and physical activity opportunities.

Guidelines for 2020 Special Project Participation Scheme

Applicants will be assessed and allocation of grants determined having regard for the criteria below which reflects both Sligo Sport and Recreation Partnership and Sport Ireland policies and priorities as outlined in their respective strategies.

Eligible Projects (may include):

Ineligible Projects (will include):

Introduction of new sports projects/initiatives for target groups where opportunities do not already exist (Young people, disadvantaged, females, Travellers, unemployed people)	Capital projects or major items of equipment
Special projects/initiatives that cater for people with disabilities	Day to day club running costs (eg. transport, insurance, purchase of gear) including annual venue hire or rent expenses
Projects which reflect a wide geographical spread	Initiatives which are being used as fundraisers or existing events
Projects which provide for a significant number of participants (mass participation)	Purchase of prizes
Outdoor education/water sport projects for young people from disadvantaged backgrounds	Applications from youth organisations/clubs or schools and applications from individuals (application must be made by the club/organisation)
New initiatives/capacity-building promoting participation in sport and physical activity by groups with low participation rates	Applications from profit making groups/commercial organisations
Performance opportunities for young people	Trips abroad without prior qualification/selection
Sports club initiatives supporting the development of minority sports	Sports clubs not affiliated to their relevant National Governing Body

NOTE:

- On receipt of applications a club/organisation may be contacted by the SSRP Sports Co-ordinator for further information.
- Applicants should note that successful clubs/organisations must comply with any reasonable request regarding publicity from Sligo Sport and Recreation Partnership.