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Name	Level of Government or Organization	Description	Dollar Value	Deadline	Link
Canada Summer Jobs	Federal	Supports funding for staff	Varies	Dec. 19, 2024	Canada Summer Jobs - How to apply - Canada.ca
Canada Arts Presentation Fund	Federal	Supports professional shows, presentations and professional development for arts professionals	25% of eligible expenses to a maximum of \$100,000 for grants; and 25% of eligible expenses or \$500,000 for contributions	Annual Deadlines: Apr. 1, Oct. 15	Programming: Professional Arts Festivals and Performing Arts Series Presenters – Canada Arts Presentation Fund - Canada.ca
Celebrate Canada	Federal	Supports activities organized on : National Indigenous Peoples Day, Saint-John Baptiste Day, Canadian Multiculturalism Day and Canada Day	100% of eligible expenses or up to \$50,000	Nov. 21, 2024	Celebrate Canada funding program - Canada.ca
Multicultural and Anti-Racism Program	Federal	Supports projects, events and organizational capacity building for community based initiatives that address racism, discrimination and promote the value of diversity and foster inclusion	Project: Max. \$300,000, Events: Max. \$100,000, Organizational Capacity: Max \$100,000	Varies with stream applied for	Multiculturalism and Anti-Racism Program - Canada.ca
New Horizons for Seniors Program	Federal	Supports community-based programs for seniors	\$25,000	Sept. 12, 2024	https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/new-horizons-seniors.html
Venture for Canada Internship Program	Federal	Supports the hiring on eligible college or university students	50-75% wage subsidiary capped at \$7,000	Varies based on hiring cohort	Venture For Canada
Community Initiatives Program	Provincial	Support new programs, program enhancements, community events, equipment purchases, wages, venue rentals and facilitator/speaker fees	50/50 matching up to \$75,000	Annual Deadlines: Jan. 15, May 15, Sept. 15	Community Initiatives Program Alberta.ca
Ethnocultural Grant	Provincial	Supports opportunities for intercultural connections with ethnocultural and Indigenous groups and celebrating diversity	\$8,000 to \$50,000	Jan. 24, 2025	Ethnocultural grant Alberta.ca

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Heritage Awareness Grant	Provincial	Supports projects that promote awareness of Alberta's history including educational programs, multimedia projects and heritage preservation projects.	50/50 matching up to \$25,000	First working day of February	Heritage awareness grants Alberta.ca
Arts Presenting Project Funding	Provincial	Supports arts presentations, performances, readings or exhibitions	% of fees paid	Dec. 1, 2025	Arts Presenting Project Funding Alberta Foundation for the Arts (affta.ab.ca)
Arts and Culture Microgrant	Municipal	Supports new arts and culture projects, programs, temporary installations, creative place keeping, workshops and events.	Tier1: up to \$5,000 (apply at least 30 days before start date); Tier 2: up to \$30,000 (two intake periods March 5 and September 3)	Applications accepted until all funds have been allocated.	Arts and Culture microgrant (calgary.ca)
Inspiring Neighbourhood Grant	Municipal	Supports beautification and placemaking, programming, community safety, recreation and community education, communication and engagement projects	Beautification and Placemaking: Up to \$15,000, Communication and Engagement: Up to \$10,000, Community Safety: up to \$5,000, Recreation and Community Education Programs: Up to \$5,000. Technology: Up to \$5,000	Ongoing	Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant (calgary.ca)
Ward Community Event Fund	Municipal	Supports events	Varies	Ongoing - no less than 21 days prior to event	Ward Community Event Fund (calgary.ca)
Circular Economy Grant	Municipal	Supports community-based action that contributes to the circular economy in Calgary	\$5,000 to \$25,000	Mar. 14, 2025	Circular Economy Grant Program (calgary.ca)
Community Standards Fund	Municipal	Supports small scale capital or operational projects like litter control, graffiti abatement or awareness initiatives.	Unknown	Jan. 26, 2025	Community Standards Fund (calgary.ca)

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Sponsorships and Community Investment	ATB Financial	Supports applications that connect with one of the focus areas identified – Arts & Culture, Community and Social Development, Sports and Wellness and Business Markets	Applications can be for \$5,000 and under or over \$5,000	Under \$5,000 applications must be submitted 90 days prior to the start of the event or initiative. Applications over \$5,000 must be submitted a minimum of 6 months before the start of the proposed activities.	Sponsorship Criteria & Guidelines ATB Financial
Community Investment Program	Chevron	Supports projects falling into one of the three pillars - empowering people, advancing environmental stewardship, and creating prosperity	Unknown	Ongoing	https://canada-test.chevron.com/community/apply-for-a-grant
Stronger Communities Fund	CN	Supports project in community investment focus areas – People, Safety, and Environment.	Unknown	Application cycles: Jan. 1 to Mar. 31 and Jul. 1 to Sept. 30	Donations and Sponsorships Community Delivering Responsibly cn.ca
Community Investment Fund	Federated Co-Op	Supports community programs and organizations	Between \$500 and \$10,000	Annual Deadlines: Mar. 31, Jun. 30, Sept. 30, Dec. 31	Community Investment Fund (fcl.crs)
Jumpstart Community Development Grant	Canadian Tire	Supports organizations with the costs of delivering sport and recreational programs	Unknown	Intake 1: Oct. 18, 2024, Intake 2: Jan. 31, 2025, Intake 3: May 30, 2025	Community Development Grants Jumpstart (canadiantire.ca)

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Charitable Contributions	Costco	Supports programs that focus on children, education and/or health and human services	Not more than 10% of the program budget	A lead time of three months for planned events or programs is needed.	Charitable Contributions Frequently Asked Questions Costco
Friends of the Environment Foundation	TD	Supports environmental initiatives with a primary focus on environmental education and green space programs.	Unknown	Winter: Jan. 15, Summer: Jul. 15	FEF Grant (td.com)
Corporation Inclusion Program	Calgary Sport and Entertainment	Supports projects around inclusion, diversity and equality in sport	Unknown	Jan. 30, 2024	Inclusion - Calgary Flames Foundation
Park People	TD	Supports unclusive and accessible events in green spaces	\$2,000	Feb. 24, 2025	Park People TD Park People Grants
Here To Be Grant	Lululemon	Supports community-led projects creating equity in wellbeing and serving populations most impacted by systemic inequality.	\$50,000 USD	2026 applications will be opening later this year.	Home (lululemon.com)
Community Giving Program	Canadain Western Bank Financial Group	Supports contributions to economic success focused on two areas of giving – enabling business and promoting inclusivity.	Projects under \$50,000 and over \$50,000	Ongoing	Community giving CWBank Group
Community Grant	Calgary Flames Foundation	Supports programs in one of the following areas – health and wellness, education and amateur and grassroots sports	Varies	Apr. 1	Community Grant Program - Calgary Flames Foundation
Community Grants	Calgary Foundation	Supports programs in one of the following areas – health and wellness, education and amateur and grassroots sports	Up to \$100,000 with average donations is \$25,000	Will reopen in Aug. 2025 with due date in mid-Sept.	Community Grants Calgary Foundation
Contribution Program	InMotion Network	Supports multi-opportunity recreational, sport and physical activity programs for women and girls in Alberta.	\$2,500 per application.	Annual deadlines: Apr. 1, Dec. 1	Programs for Girls, Teens, and Women InMotion Network : InMotion Network (inmotionnetwork.org)
Stepping Stones Grant	Calgary Foundation	Supports projects that build connections between people and their local neighbourhood and communities.	Up to \$ 1,000	Ongoing	Stepping Stones Grants Calgary Foundation

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Strategic Opportunity Grant <i>(Undergoing a redesign lanuching in summer 2025.)</i>	Calgary Foundation	Supports small, time-sensitive initiatives in organizational and program development.	Unknown	First of each month at midnight	Strategic Opportunity Grants Calgary Foundation
Oshki Wupoowane (The Blanket Fund) Reconciliation Action Grant	The Gord Downie and Chanie Wenjack Fund	Supports projects for Indigenous-led activity, event, or initiative.	Reconciliation Action Grant: \$1,500 to \$15,000	Annual deadlines: Mar. 13, Jun. 13, Sept. 10, Dec. 10, 2025	Oshki Wupoowane The Blanket Fund - The Gord Downie & Chanie Wenjack Fund (downiewenjack.ca)
Environmental Impact Grant	Alberta Ecotrust Foundation	Supports projects in the focus areas – nature-based solutions and conservation, climate resilience and emissions reduction, circular economy, and foundational initiatives	Up to \$50,000	EOI: Jan. 20, 2025 Full applications Mar. 3, 2025	Environmental impact grant (albertaecotrust.com)
Unified Assist Program	Canada Basketball Foundation	Supports projects in three pathways – coaching and officiating development, youth sport leadership and youth basketball skill development.	Unknown	EOI: Feb. 5, 2024	UNIFIED Application Program (basketball.ca)
Community Foundation Grant	Canada Post	Supports commuinity-based projects to increase capacity of an organization or expand services	\$25,000	Feb. 28, 2025	Apply for Community Foundation grants Our company Canada Post (canadapost-postescanada.ca)
ClimateReadyYYC	The Federation of Calgary Communities	Supports projects to engage the community in developing knowledge, resources, or programming around climate resilience.	Small - up to \$5,000; Large - up to \$25,000	Small grant deadline: Mar. 31. 6, 2025 (multiple intakes anually) Large grant deadline: Jan. 6, 2025 (one intake annually).	ClimateReadyYYC - Federation of Calgary Communities
Community Organization Grant	Burns Memorial Fund	Supports projects with the goal of each child having the opportunity to participate in recreation activities that help them to discover their talents and develop their full potential.	\$15,000	May 1, 2025	Community Organization Grants – Burns Memorial Fund (burnsfund.com)

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Funding Opportunities - Programs, Services and Events

This spreadsheet will be updated quarterly. Deadlines are as per the grant website at the time of updating.

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Daryl K. Seaman Canadian Hockey Fund	Calgary Foundation	Support projects and initiatives that encourage young people to learn about, enjoy and play amateur sport.	Varies	Annual deadline: Nov. 15	Doc-Seaman-Amateur-Sport-Grant-Guidelines-2022.pdf (calgaryfoundation.org)
Major and Signature Grant	Calgary Foundation	Supports projects that reduce poverty, encourage mental health, living a creative life, strengthening relationships with Indigenous communities, or pursuing an environmentally sustainable future.	Varies	Annual deadline: Nov. 1	Major Grants Calgary Foundation

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