

Christian Reformed Churches in Winnipeg Camp Scholarship Program

At the Christian Reformed Churches in Winnipeg, we believe every child and youth should have the opportunity to participate in faith-building camps, retreats, and ministry experiences, regardless of financial circumstances.

The Camp Scholarship Program exists to help make these opportunities accessible for families who may need financial assistance. Through the generosity of our church community and fundraising efforts throughout the year, we are able to provide support to help offset registration costs for summer camp.

How the Scholarship Program Works

Scholarship assistance is determined using a combination of:

- Total household income
(previous year's gross household income before taxes)
- Household size
(all adults and dependent children living in the home)

Based on these factors, families may qualify for up to 95% assistance toward registration fees.

Scholarship Guidelines

The following chart outlines the typical assistance levels available:

Household Size	95% Assistance (up to)	80% Assistance (up to)	60% Assistance (up to)	30% Assistance (up to)
2	\$35,000	\$40,000	\$50,000	\$60,000
3	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$55,000	\$65,000
4	\$45,000	\$50,000	\$60,000	\$70,000
5	\$50,000	\$55,000	\$65,000	\$75,000
6	\$55,000	\$60,000	\$70,000	\$80,000

For households larger than six people, an additional \$5,000 may be added to each category for each additional household member.

Example

If a family of four has a gross household income of \$48,000:

- The 95% Assistance threshold is \$45,000
- The 80% Assistance threshold is \$50,000

Because \$48,000 falls below \$50,000, the family would typically qualify for 80% assistance toward eligible program costs.

What the Scholarship Covers

Scholarship assistance may be applied toward:

- Camp Registration fees

Families will still be responsible for:

- Optional purchases or activities
- The remaining balance not covered by the scholarship

Special Circumstances

We recognize that financial situations are not always reflected fully through income alone. Families experiencing unexpected hardship, such as job loss, medical expenses, or other significant life circumstances, are encouraged to include a brief explanation with their application. Requests may be reviewed individually and confidentially.

Application Process

To apply for scholarship assistance:

1. Complete the Scholarship Application Form
2. Provide proof of household income (such as a recent Notice of Assessment)
3. Submit the application before the stated deadline

Please note that available funding is limited and scholarships are distributed as funds allow. All information provided will remain confidential and will be destroyed once final scholarship decisions are made.

Our Commitment

This scholarship program is made possible through the generosity of our church family, donations, and fundraising efforts. Our desire is to ensure that financial barriers do not prevent children and students from participating in meaningful opportunities to grow in faith, build friendships, and experience Christian community.

If you have any questions about the program or application process, please contact the church office. We would be happy to assist you.