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Active Schools Extracurricular Boost

Helping schools offer extracurricular sport and recreation opportunities for students who may not participate in traditional school sport.

$14,000
per eligible school

200 Victorian government schools each year
Secondary, primary/secondary, language and specialist school settings.

About the boost

Each year, 200 Victorian government schools across secondary, primary/secondary, language and specialist settings receive a $14,000 Extracurricular Boost to support the costs of extracurricular sporting and recreational opportunities. This funding is intended to target students who do not participate in traditional school sport programs.

Eligibility and payment

Schools are selected based on their SFOE index and will be notified if eligible. Funding is paid through the Student Resource Package.

What can the funding be used for?

Funding may support sport, recreation or physical activity programs before or after school, or during break times. Examples include:

- Engaging community or private providers to run programs, such as sporting clubs, wellness providers, gyms, dance providers or outdoor adventure providers
- Professional development to support delivery of extracurricular sport, recreation and physical activity programs
- Equipment to establish activity clubs that enhance student engagement and participation
- Casual Relief Teacher (CRT) coverage

What cannot the funding be used for?

- Staff salaries
- Laptops or IT equipment