



## 2023-2024 ODP Financial Assistance Policy

The Oregon Youth Soccer Association (OYSA) is a non-profit, charitable organization devoted to promoting youth soccer in the state of Oregon. OYSA's Olympic Development Program (ODP) makes its selections without regard to a player's ability to pay. OYSA provides financial assistance for those who qualify as players whose families cannot afford to pay the full cost of participation in the ODP.

Those requesting financial assistance for ODP fees should submit an ODP Financial Assistance Application to the OYSA State Office. While financial aid funds are limited, the financial assistance program makes this opportunity available to those in need in our community.

If approved for ODP Financial Assistance, the player's financial responsibility will be as follows:

- State Training fee will be 50% of the family's responsibility.
- State travel event fees will be 50% of the family's responsibility.

### Financial assistance for ODP will be approved by the State Office if:

- The player requesting assistance is on the free or reduced lunch program
- Medicaid
- WIC Enrollment
- The Finance Committee will consider other extenuating circumstances.

*The financial assistance program does not cover ODP try-out fees and foreign trips. It does not cover out-of-pocket expenses such as transportation and food on trips to practices or events when that expense is not part of the OYSA ODP fee.*

### Payment Policies

- OYSA requests that players remain current with ODP fees. OYSA can withhold participation in ODP activities, including, but not limited to, training sessions, practice games, tournaments, and camps if required fees are in default. The player can rejoin the program after all owed fees are paid in full.
- No refunds will be processed for ODP fees. Exceptions to this will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

### Process

- Application links will be provided after the tryout selection process.
- You must select the payment plan option and make the first payment with your pool acceptance.

