

2019 Great Kids Award Nomination Form

What makes a great kid?

Alberta is home to thousands of kids who go above and beyond for others and their communities. Great Kids are a diverse group of children and youth between the ages of five and 18 who are recognized for achieving great things while facing life's challenges.

How do I nominate a Great Kid?

It's simple – just follow the step-by-step instructions below. You can find this form online at greatkids.alberta.ca.



Once you have completed all the steps, print this form and ensure the nominator and nominee's parent/legal guardian sign the form where requested. Once the form is signed, you can either scan and email the complete package to cs.greatkids@gov.ab.ca, or send it by mail to:

2018 Great Kids Award – Children's Services
11th Floor, Sterling Place, 9940 - 106 Street
Edmonton, Alberta T5K 2N2

Nomination deadline is Nov. 30, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. Late or incomplete packages will not be considered.

STEP 1: PROVIDE NOMINEE AND NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Please fill out the information below. If you are submitting in writing, please print clearly. Once you have filled in the information below, print this form and be sure to include the appropriate signatures where requested.

Nominee:

Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Mailing Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

City/Town: Click or tap here to enter text.

Postal Code: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone (*home*): Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone (*cell/other*): Click or tap here to enter text.

Age (*as of deadline date*): Click or tap here to enter text.

Birthdate: Click or tap here to enter text.

Gender (*optional*): Click or tap here to enter text.

Nominate a Great Kid today at greatkids.alberta.ca

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Nominator (*Ideally, nominators are from outside of the child's immediate family*):

Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone (main): Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Relationship to Nominee: Click or tap here to enter text.

Signature of Nominator:

Date:

Once all information is filled in, please print this form, sign and date in writing. Include signed form in package.

How did you learn about the Great Kids Award?:

STEP 2: NOMINEE DESCRIPTION (1-2 pages, written by Nominator)

In a separate document, please tell us why you feel your nominee is a Great Kid. What great things has he or she achieved in the face of challenging circumstances.

STEP 3: TWO ADDITIONAL LETTERS OF SUPPORT (1 page each)

Great Kids make an impact on people's lives. We want to hear about it! In addition to the Nominee Description, please include two letters of support from others - teachers, classmates, coaches, community leaders, or family members - who know this Great Kid. Each letter must include the full name and phone number of the individual providing the letter. If more than two letters are submitted, two will randomly be selected and the others discarded.

Please note: Materials supplied as part of the nomination form will not be returned. Please DO NOT include photos, news clippings or any additional materials with your nomination package

STEP 4: RECEIVE PERMISSION FROM PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN

I agree to allow my child to be nominated for a Great Kids Award. I confirm the information attached is accurate and understand that this information will be used to select the award recipients. This information is subject to the disclosure provisions described in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. I also consent to having any photography or videos of my child relating to the Great Kids Awards, my child's name, hometown, and summary of achievements published and released to the media, my MLA and in Alberta government publications

Name of Nominee's Parent/Legal Guardian:

Please state your relationship to the Nominee:

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian:

Date:

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What happens next?

Over the next few months, 16 award recipients will be selected in four categories (*ages 5-8, 9-12, 13-15, and 16-18*). The recipients will be notified by phone and invited to an awards ceremony that will take place in the spring of 2019. All nominated children and youth will receive a letter and certificate of recognition from the Minister of Children's Services by mail after the awards ceremony takes place.

Thank you for your nomination!

Nominate a Great Kid today at greatkids.alberta.ca