



2024-2025 KyNASP® Equipment Grant Information

*****ALL Approved Grant orders must be placed by March 31, 2025**

National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP®) is an in-school program designed to introduce archery to as many 4th – 12th grade students as possible during the school day as part of the school's curriculum at some point in the school year. The grants are for in-school instruction taking place in the school's gym as part of physical education classes. These NASP® schools, teaching a minimum of 10 hours per year, are eligible to participate in local school hosted NASP® tournaments with an opportunity to participate in state and national events.

The following grants are available only to schools with a Physical Education teacher certified as a Basic Archery Instructor teaching in-school introductory NASP® archery lessons as part of the school's PE curriculum in their school's gym. At least 10 hours of instruction must be implemented and include: determining eye dominance, the use of a Stringbow® to teach the Eleven Steps to Archery Success®, Safety Orientation, and the shooting of bows and arrows on a NASP® range.

- **New School Recruitment Grant:** \$3,000 off the purchase of a full startup kit that values \$3500-\$3900 for new NASP schools that have never participated and new purchased equipment. A startup kit includes 10-12 bows, 5 targets, 10 dozen arrows, a bow rack, arrow curtain, and repair kit. Quivers are also available. (Requests can be made by the school Principal through February 28, 2025)
- **Reactivation Grant:** \$1500 off the purchase of \$2000+ in NASP® equipment for schools that had reported in-school instruction in the past but have not reported in-school instruction in two or more years including last year. Reactivated schools in need of a full startup kit would be eligible for the \$3000 off the purchase of a full startup kit. (Requests can be made by the school Principal through February 28, 2025)
- **Retention Grant:** \$500 off the purchase of \$1000+ in NASP® equipment for current NASP® schools with a great need for assistance that reported in-school instruction during the 2023-2024 annual reporting but received no grants during the 2023-2024 school year. (Requests can be made by the school Principal through December 1, 2024) These grants are very limited and will be awarded to schools in most need. Principals should explain the need on the application.

Schools interested in one of these grants must have their Principal complete and submit the following Grant Application to Lisa Johnson, Ky NASP State Coordinator at lisa.johnson@ky.gov. Principals may submit the grant application only after their PE teacher is trained as a Basic Archery Instructor.

PE teachers that need to be trained as a Basic Archery Instructor (BAI) can go to <https://naspbai.org> and register online for a BAI class near them. Training fees may be waived for PE teachers if a letter is presented on the day of the training from the principal stating they are the school's PE teacher and will be implementing NASP® archery lessons as part of their PE curriculum.



2024-2025 KyNASP® Equipment Grant Application

***Applications must be completed and emailed to lisa.johnson@ky.gov by the school's Principal after the school's PE teacher is trained as a Basic Archery Instructor.

Grants are available only to schools starting September 1, 2024 with a certified PE teacher trained as a Basic Archery Instructor teaching in-school introductory NASP® archery lessons in their school gym as part of the school's PE curriculum. At least 10 hours of instruction must be implemented and include determining eye dominance, the use of a Stringbow® to teach the Eleven Steps to Archery Success®, Safety Orientation, and the shooting of bows and arrows on a NASP® range.

School Name: _____ County: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Grades within the school: _____ School Enrollment: _____

Name of the school's trained BAI in-school Physical Education teacher: _____

Email address of BAI in-school Physical Education teacher: _____

Approx. how many students will be introduced to archery as part of your schools PE curriculum: _____

Which grant are you interested in?

_____ New School Equipment grant of \$3000 off the purchase of a startup kit purchased of \$3300 or more (must be a new school that has never participated in NASP® and has never purchased equipment from NASP®)

_____ Reactivation Grant of \$1500 off the purchase of \$2000 or more in equipment (must be a NASP® school that has not reported in-school instruction for 2 or more years)

_____ Retention Grant of \$500 off the purchase of \$1000 or more in equipment for current NASP® schools (must apply by 12/1/24). Need explanation: _____

Principal's Name: _____

Principal's Signature: _____

Application to be completed and submitted by the school Principal to lisa.johnson@ky.gov

Once the form is received and approved, instructions will be emailed on how to order equipment using the grant. ***ALL Approved grants must be utilized by ordering equipment before March 31, 2025.