



Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee Sponsorship Application Form

The Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee (DEIAC) was established by City Council to monitor and provide advice to City Council on the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Policy. The Committee also has a mandate to provide education and awareness programs on diversity, equity and inclusion of all citizens in the City of Saskatoon.

The Committee supports education and awareness by undertaking some of its own initiatives and by supporting organizations in the community on initiatives that support one or more of the following four community outcomes of the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Policy:

- The workforce will be representative of the population of Saskatoon;
- There will be zero tolerance for racism and discrimination in Saskatoon;
- Community decision-making bodies will be representative of the whole community of Saskatoon; and
- There will be awareness and understanding in the community regarding the issues, and acceptance of the various cultures that make up Saskatoon.

Please indicate which of the above community outcome(s) your project is addressing.

Note: The Committee's intent is to provide education throughout the year, not just in the month of March. This will be part of the Committee's consideration of your sponsorship request. The event or project must take place in Saskatoon and all eligible expenditures must be directly related to the event being sponsored.

Ineligible expenses include: cash prizes, administrative/overhead expenses, third party funding, fundraising and alcohol.

Events to be considered for sponsorship will be open and available to the public for anyone who may be interested in attending or participating.

Application Deadlines:

April 1 (for projects taking place from April to September)
October 1 (for projects taking place from October to March)

Applicant Information

1. Organization Name: Thiruvalluvar Tamil Language School

2. Your Group Is A: (check all that apply)

registered non-profit registered charity not a registered organization

3. Address: [Redacted] Gray Avenue. Saskatoon.

4. Postal Code: SK [Redacted]

5. Email Address: thiruvalluvarkalvikkoodam@gmail.com

6. Contact Name: Ajantha Jeyadharshan

7. Pronouns: (She/Her, He/Him, They/Them)

8. Contact's Role: Director of the organization	
9. Phone Number: [REDACTED]	10. Fax Number:
11. Website:	
Project Information	
12. Project Name: Introduce and celebrate Tamils' traditional event (AADIPPIRAPPU) ar	
13. Project Date and Location: July weekends. Various (Forestry Farm and Zoo, 410 Gray	
14. What is the fee/ticket amount for the event? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Free <input type="checkbox"/> Other (If other please specify the amount) \$	
15. Project Description: (Maximum 350 characters) We designed a "Cross-Cultural" learning project. We host Tamils' cultural and traditional event in July which is called "Aadippirappu", this is a festival of water, nature, and fertility, celebrated with joy and gratitude. We will facilitate introduction of learning Indigenous history from Wanuskewin and this commits Indigenous learning initiatives	
16. What is the primary purpose of your event? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Learning/Education <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artistic Expression <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Celebration	
17. What communities will your event or project serve? (Maximum 200 characters) Kids, youth, adults, and elders from Tamil community and include interested youth, adults and families from diverse communities Saskatoon .	
18. How many people do you anticipate will attend your event? 35 to 45	
19. How does your project contribute to inclusion of marginalized groups in Saskatoon? Please speak to one or both of the following questions within your answer: (Maximum 450 characters) a) How does your event contribute to celebrating multiculturalism? b) How does your event contribute to an equitable, anti-racist, and anti-oppressive Saskatoon? (See definitions below) a) & b) We welcome, include, and respect all the interested participants from diverse community in Saskatoon. Our event will provide space for communities to make meaningful connections and learning opportunities in a respect full way.	

20. How will you acknowledge the City of Saskatoon Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee as a funder of your event? (check all that apply)

Social media post Display our logo on event materials Verbal recognition at event

Budget Information

21. Sponsorship Request Amount: \$ 2000

22. Total cost of the project: \$2240 (expected)

23. What other groups/partners/funders will your project involve:

Multicultural Council of Saskatchewan

24. Please submit a budget for your project, which shows how the DEIAC Sponsorship will be used. Please see budget template and example budget.

Signature of Applicant: Ajantha.J Date: February 9, 2025

Name of Applicant: (printed) Ajantha. Jeyadharshan

How to submit this application:

1. Complete this form in full
2. Attach a simple budget for your event (see example document)
3. Email City.Clerks@saskatoon.ca
 - a. Address your email to the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee
c/o City Clerk's Office
 - b. Put in your subject line "DEIAC Sponsorship Request Application"

If you have any questions, please contact:

Heather Janzen, Committee Assistant - 306-975-3240

Definitions:

Anti-racism: the active process of identifying and opposing racism and working towards eliminating it through changing beliefs, actions, and structures.

Source: Alberta Civil Liberties Research Centre

Anti-oppression: the active process of identifying, opposing, and working towards eliminating systems of oppression, which include: colonialism, racism, sexism, homophobia, transphobia, classism and ableism. These forms of discrimination result in individual discriminatory actions as well as structural or systemic inequalities for certain groups in society. Anti-oppressive practices and goals seek to recognize and counteract such discriminatory actions and power imbalances.

Source: The Anti-Oppression Network

No.	Estimated Income	Amount
1	DEIAC sponsorship	\$2000
2	Multicultural Council of Saskatchewan	\$250
	Total Revenue	\$2250
	Estimated expenses	Amount
1	Food ingredients (1 st day)	\$300
2	Food (2 nd day)	\$150
3	Camp stove	\$300
4	Folding table	\$300
5	Groundsheet	\$40
6	Icebox	\$90
7	Cooking utensil	\$100
8	Disposable plates and cups	\$50
9	First Aid kit	\$40
10	Wanuskewin educational visit	\$200
11	Craft activities and Stationaries	\$150
12	Drinking water	\$20
13	Transportation	\$100
14	Food (3 rd day Wanuskewin visit)	\$300
15	Other	\$100
	Total expected expenses	\$2240