

# **BACKGROUNDER**

## CHILD CARE CAPITAL GRANTS 2019: LIST OF PROJECTS APPROVED FOR FUNDING

The Child Care Capital Grants focus on strengthening the quality of child care and creating new licensed child care spaces in the Basin.

#### 1: FUNDING TO CREATE OR IMPROVE SPACES

Community /Area	Organization	Project Description	# New Spaces	# Improved Spaces	Amount
?aqam	?aqamnik Daycare	Renovate the exterior.		17	\$ 30,000
Castlegar	Blueberry Creek Community School Council	Renovate part of an existing building.	8		\$ 20,000
Castlegar	Blueberry Creek Community School Council	Address maintenance issues at the existing facility.		52	\$ 45,000
Castlegar	Silly Monkeys Childcare	Address maintenance and safety issues.		59	\$ 15,000
Cranbrook	Little A-corn Preschool	Renovate the flooring.		20	\$ 6,695
Cranbrook	Summit Community Services Society	Complete general repairs.		32	\$ 4,695
Creston	Kootenay Employment Services Society	Upgrade the outside play area.		8	\$ 17,935
Invermere	Dragonfly Discovery Centre Inc.	Renovate an existing building.	72		\$300,000
Fernie	Fernie Child Care Society	Renovate and install a water filtration system.		44	\$ 9,942
Golden	Golden Community Resources Society	Complete safety upgrades to the outside play area.		77	\$ 664
Kaslo	Kootenay Lake Independent School Society	Create an addition to the centre.		12	\$ 28,189
Kimberley	Kimberley Independent School Society	Upgrade the interior and exterior activity areas.	14	60	\$ 16,000
Nelson	Children's World Day Care Learning Centre	Address maintenance and safety issues.		23	\$ 5,000
Nelson	First Baptist Church of	Improve the outdoor activity area.		40	\$ 22,000

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Nelson	Kootenay Kids Society	Upgrade the inside and outside play areas.		40	\$ 33,538
New Denver	School District 10 Arrow Lakes	Renovate two existing classrooms.	46		\$ 250,000
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Child Care Society	Renovate an existing building to relocate into it.		81	\$ 15,000
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Child Care Society	Improve the outside play areas.		61 (already counted above)	\$ 7,000
Rossland	The Four Winds Daycare	Complete health and safety upgrades to the interior and exterior play areas.		21	\$ 30,000
Salmo	Salmo Child Care Society	Upgrade outdoor activity area.		48	\$ 19,401
Slocan	W.E. Graham Community Service Society	Build a bike path and greenhouse.		16	\$ 13,150
Trail	Little Scholars Montessori & Children's Village Daycare	Complete safety repairs to the exterior surfaces.		40	\$ 13,000
Trail	Sunningdale Children's Centre	Upgrade electrical equipment.		89	\$ 30,000
Valemount	Canoe Valley Community Association	Renovate an existing building.	24		\$ 30,000
Valemount	Robson Valley Community Services Society	Create spaces in a new mixed development.	24		Up to \$ 300,000
Winlaw	Earth House Country Playschool	Improve the outdoor activity area.		8	\$ 3,340
Total			New 188	Existing 787	\$1,265,549

### 2: FUNDING TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENT

Child Care Capital Grants support the acquisition of specialized equipment to improve the quality and safety of child care operations. Examples include: children's furniture, outdoor playground structures and playhouses, indoor play equipment, high chairs, car seats, cribs and playpens, appliances such as dishwashers, washing machines and driers, storage cabinets, safety equipment and shade structures.

Community /Area	Organization	Project Description	# New Spaces	# Improved Spaces	Amount
?aḍam	?aḍamnik Daycare	Purchase outdoor play equipment.		17 (already counted above)	\$ 5,000

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Balfour	Nelson Christian School Society	Purchase child care equipment.		23	\$ 3,500
Castlegar	Desiree's Family Daycare	Purchase safety equipment.		8	\$ 2,000
Castlegar	Exploration Station Castlegar	Purchase indoor and outdoor play equipment.		8	\$ 4,824
Castlegar	Les Roudoudous Daycare	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 4,907
Castlegar	Mountain Nest Family Daycare	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 2,300
Cranbrook	Little Acorn Preschool	Purchase child care equipment.		20 (already counted above)	\$ 4,932
Cranbrook	Precious Time Child Care	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 2,350
Cranbrook	Summit Community Services Society	Purchase child care equipment.		32 (already counted above)	\$ 551
Creston	Junior Happy Home Child Care	Purchase outdoor child care equipment.	8		\$ 2,300
Fernie	Bright Beginnings Community Preschool	Purchase outdoor storage and safety netting.		48	\$ 3,942
Fernie	Busy Bees Family Daycare	Purchase outdoor play equipment.		7	\$ 1,300
Fernie	Fernie Mountain Munchkins	Purchase outdoor play equipment.		7	\$ 992
Fernie	Sweet Peas Daycare	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 5,000
Fruitvale	Tina's Tiny Tots and Kids Family Daycare	Purchase child care equipment.		2	\$ 2,000
Golden	Carol Miller	Purchase outdoor play and safety equipment.		2	\$ 2,000
Golden	Cheryl's Family Daycare	Purchase outdoor play equipment.		7	\$ 2,500
Golden	Golden Community Resources Society	Purchase child care equipment.		77 (already counted above)	\$ 1,731

Golden	Jenn's Playhouse	Purchase outdoor child care equipment.		7	\$ 4,200
Invermere	Lake Windermere Alliance Church	Purchase child care equipment.		19	\$ 3,000
Kimberley	1-2 Tree Nature School	Purchase child care equipment.		12	\$ 1,806
Nakusp	Hibberson's Family Child Care	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 4,000
Nelson	Bluebird Playschool	Purchase child care equipment.		4	\$ 2,500
Nelson	Lakeside Montessori	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 3,484
Nelson	Little Tree Kinderhouse	Purchase outdoor child care equipment.		8	\$ 2,400
Nelson	Maggie's Multi-age Day Home	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 2,000
Nelson	Maple Tree Childcare	Purchase child care equipment.		2	\$ 1,821
Nelson	Mountain Montessori Early Learning Centre	Purchase child care equipment.		19	\$ 3,178
Nelson	Starseed Kindercottage	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 4,000
Nelson	The Storyhouse	Purchase child care equipment.	2	2	\$ 5,000
Nelson – North Shore	School of Little Fish Daycare	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 5,000
Revelstoke	Chatterbugs Childcare	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 4,500
Revelstoke	City of Revelstoke	Purchase child care equipment.		56	\$ 1,810
Revelstoke	Conin's Family Daycare	Purchase safety-related child care equipment.		7	\$ 4,000
Revelstoke	Jenny's Family Child Care	Purchase appliances to address licensing concerns.		8	\$ 3,500
Revelstoke	Lucky Penny Garderie	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 2,000
Revelstoke	Milestones & Memories Childcare	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 1,480
Revelstoke	Mountain Monkeys Child Care	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 1,500
Revelstoke	The Owls Nest	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 2,100

TOTAL OF ALL GRANTS		New 198	Existing 1,256	\$1,398,991	
Total			New 10	Existing 469	\$133,442
Winlaw	Earth House Country Playschool	Purchase child care equipment.		8 (already counted above)	\$ 1,125
Winlaw	Appledale Children's Centre	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 3,067
Trail	Toon Town Licensed Family Child Care	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 1,055
Sparwood	Bright Stars	Purchase outdoor play equipment.		2	\$ 2,000
South Slocan	Brent Kennedy Learning Centre	Purchase outdoor child care equipment.		24	\$ 5,000
Rossland	Shey's House	Purchase child care equipment.		8	\$ 1,094
Rossland	Rossland Child Care Society	Purchase child care equipment.		46	\$ 2,361
Rossland	Little Friends Habitat	Purchase safety-related child care equipment.		7	\$ 184
Revelstoke	Wiggles and Giggles Family Care	Purchase child care equipment.		7	\$ 2,148

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