



New Site Application

Thank you for your interest in Girls on the Run-Chicago. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis but decisions are made in October for the spring season.

Basic Site Information

Site Name: _____

If school, what school district? _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

If school, what type of school? (i.e., private, magnet, charter, public): _____

Administrator: _____ (Principal or Director)

Does your school or program site currently offer physical activity programming for girls?

No Yes If yes, please describe _____

How much physical education time do all students receive during the school week? _____

Please identify your curriculum interest:

Girls on the Run (3rd-5th grade) Girls on Track (6th-8th grade)

Site Coordinator Information:

The Site Coordinator's role includes assuring the smooth implementation of the program. (see information packet for additional details). **The site coordinator should be available on site.**

Name: _____

Title/Role at school: _____

Mailing address (if different from above): _____

Phone: _____ (home/work/cell)

E-mail (required): _____

PLEASE GIVE US AN EMAIL ADDRESS THAT YOU ACCESS REGULARLY AS THAT IS OUR MAIN FORM OF COMMUNICATION AT ALL TIMES OF THE YEAR.

Readiness to Participate Criteria

While Girls on the Run-Chicago (GOTRC) provides almost everything needed to run the program, the site is required to do the following:

- Provide a site coordinator who is able to fulfill all site coordinator responsibilities.
- Provide a safe, dedicated space for running that does **NOT** conflict with other programs. **THIS IS ESSENTIAL.** This does not have to be a track. A field or parking lot is fine. Briefly describe the available running area:

- Provide a rain site.** Indoor, private, preferably a gym reserved for GOTRC and **NOT** in conflict with other programs. Briefly describe the available indoor space:

- Secure storage area for curriculum supplies, snacks, etc. Please describe area and how it will be accessed by coaches:

- Briefly describe your recruiting and selection criteria (i.e., 1st come/1st served, lottery):

- Assign coaches and participants to teams. Teams should include a blend of ALL THREE grades (3rd-5th for GOTR and 6th-8th for GOT) as much as possible if multiple teams are formed.
- Provide at least two coaching candidates** per team for your site. Please list coaches below. Each coach will be required to attend one day of Girls on the Run training and become First Aid/CPR certified. Coaches must be available two afternoons per week.

Coach Candidate Name: _____

Phone: _____ (home/work/cell)

Email: _____ (required)

Position (parent, teacher, administrator): _____

Has this candidate gone through Girls on the Run-Chicago coach training? **Yes** or **No**

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Team/Practice Information

Each team must contain between 8 and 15 girls, with 2 adult coaches. If there is enough interest from girls and enough trained coaches at your site you can have more than one group.

Please choose two days per week and the time the participants will meet for at least 1 hour per day.

Group 1: Days: _____ and _____ at _____ (time).

Group 2: Days: _____ and _____ at _____ (time).

Group 3: Days: _____ and _____ at _____ (time).

Program Fees

Our program fees range from \$25 to \$165 per girl-scholarships are available to any girl regardless of the income level of her site. This fee covers the full cost of one child’s participation (including a t-shirt, water bottle, healthy snacks, race fee, race goody bag and race t-shirt). We offer a sliding scale based on percentage of students that receive free/reduced lunch, which provides for fee reductions as follows:

% free/reduced lunch	program fee
0-14	\$165
15-49	\$82.50
50-100	\$25

- total school enrollment: _____
- % students at your site receiving free or reduced meals: _____
- % of school population at a low income rate: _____

We provide scholarship opportunities to all girls no matter what program fee is determined for the site.

Administration Acknowledgment

Please have school principal/vice principal (or site director if this is an application for a non-school site) sign below indicating her/his acknowledgement and awareness that an application to deliver GOTRC at your site has been submitted:

_____ Date: _____

FAX or MAIL application to:

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Please direct any questions you have by phone at 773-342-1250 or e-mail to Sandhya (skrishnan@gotrchicago.org) or Kristen (kristen@gotrchicago.org).