



Respect in Sport (RiS) –Sask Sport Inc.

Special Olympics Saskatchewan is governed by Sask Sport Inc. and is responsible for complying with all processes and procedures that are deemed necessary for the safety of our athletes and the enhancement of the sport programming offered to our membership.

Special Olympics Saskatchewan is committed to creating a sport environment in which all individuals are treated with respect and dignity. Coaches and volunteers have a responsibility to create a sporting environment that is free of harassment, abuse, bullying, and neglect.

Overview

Respect in Sport provides an overview of the potential issues and circumstances that one may face while participating in any sport program, how to identify certain behaviours, and what to do if a situation arises.

Respect in Sport training is required for **all** volunteers who are considering taking on a leadership role within Special Olympics, including coaches, assistant coaches, ongoing/weekly program volunteers, Community Executive Committee members, and individuals providing support while travelling or attending competitions.

How to Complete Respect in Sports (RiS)

1. Go to <https://sasksrc.respectgroupinc.com/>
2. Under "Getting Started," click the option that applies to you.
3. If you are already certified and need to make changes or recertify, follow the applicable links and instructions.
4. If you are new to the program, select "Click here to register now."
5. Select "New User – I have never taken one of these programs before."
6. Enter your personal information.
7. Under "Association," click the "+" symbol to expand the list, then select Special Olympics Saskatchewan.
8. Create your account information.
9. Complete the "I'm not a robot" verification.
10. Under "Communication to the NCCP," select Allow.
11. Click Submit Registration.
12. Read the instructions and click on Program Access to begin.



The online course is divided into six short modules. You do not have to complete all of the modules at one time. You may choose to complete one or two modules in a single sitting and return to the website at a later date to continue.

To access the course again, follow Steps 1 and 2 above, then log in using your username and password. Click Program Access and select your next module.

Certification

After completing all of the modules, you will receive an email confirming that you have successfully completed the program, along with your certification number and certificate.

Once you have completed the modules, please send a short email to the Director of Community, Programs and Operations at Special Olympics Saskatchewan confirming that you have completed the Respect in Sport (RiS) training.

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact the Director of Community, Programs and Operations at 306-780-9247 ext. 5.

