

It's ALL FREE - really!

From the very beginning, it has been vital to RPFF's mission as an organization to offer programming that is 100% free and accessible to anyone who wishes to participate and attend. Everything we offer is free, and we mean EVERYTHING.



FREE Community Screenings

Independent and international films shown at film festivals throughout the city can often be financially prohibitive for many people. We believe great storytelling should be accessible and available to everyone, so we host free community screenings throughout the year.



FREE School Programs

We provide access to films which address social issues affecting Toronto's diverse student population, as well as resources and lesson plans to teachers to facilitate dialogue about these issues, and critical conversations about art, creativity, and all students' lived experiences.



FREE Internships & Learning Opportunities

Hands-on industry experience and opportunities to work on film sets can feel unattainable to some youth. RPFF works with leading production houses and local media organizations to create opportunities for young people to gain experience in a booming Toronto film industry.



FREE Industry Panels & Workshops

Pathways to careers in films can often be unclear and confusing without guidance. Using our networks and industry partnerships, we give youth an opportunity to explore different aspects of the industry through workshops, hands-on learning and access to industry veterans.



FREE Film Submissions

Filmmakers can spend hundreds of dollars submitting their films to festivals worldwide just to be considered and given the chance to launch their careers. RPFF refuses to create any barriers for filmmakers to share their creative collaboration and hard work with the world.



FREE Child Care

From our very first film festival, RPFF has always provided free child care for every day of our Festival. Thinking holistically about the life of a creative and artist, and removing any additional barriers to participating in the film festival is vitally important to RPFF.



FREE Film Festival

As a film-loving city, everyone in Toronto should be able to watch incredible independent and international works, and experience the power of film to bring people together and delve into another world. RPFF has always been and will always be free and accessible to all.