



**Autism Nova Scotia's Ben James Summer Camp
Senior Leader Position
Job Description
Full-time: 35hrs wk/ \$13.50 hr**

The Ben James Autism Summer Camp is a recreation program for children and youth on the autism spectrum between the ages of 6-21 years. Each camper is supported with a 1:1 camper/counsellor ratio and activities are designed specifically with participants' needs and interests in mind.

Position:	Senior Leader
Program:	Ben James Summer Camp
Time:	Approx. 35 hours / wk. (Flexibility required)
Term:	9 weeks starting Saturday, June 26 th - Friday, August 25 th
Location:	Spryfield Lions Club Rink and Recreation Centre
Accountability:	The Senior Leader is accountable to the Camp Director.
Responsibility:	The Senior Leader is responsible to aid the Camp Director in the safe and smooth operations of the camp.

General Duties:

The Senior Leader is responsible for the following:

- Ensure good communication with staff, parents and campers about the camp activities.
- Work towards smooth running of camp
- Organize supplies required for the operation of daily activities
- Work directly with children in the camp as needed.
- Supervise camp staff.
- Mentor and support staff as necessary
- Other duties as designated by the Camp Director

Qualifications:

- Knowledge and experience working with individuals with autism
- Good leadership skills
- University degree or student in a post-secondary program
- Good communication skills (written and oral)
- Able to work independently
- Strong organizational skills
- Up to date First Aid certification

Application closing date: Friday, April 28th at 4:30

Please submit your cover letter and resume to:

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