

# SUMMER CAMPS

## LOWER MAINLAND



ABA Learning Centre Summer Camps | Variety of ages | Richmond | For more info:

<https://www.abacentre.ca/summer-camps>

This summer camp is tailored for children with autism and other complex developmental disabilities, focusing on augmentative and alternative communication (AAC). Activities include AAC device practice, expressive language development, communication strategies, peer interaction, sensory exploration, and motor skills. The camp is designed to be inclusive and supportive.

ACT SUMMER CAMPS & ACTIVITIES | Variety of ages | Metro Vancouver | For more info:

<https://www.actcommunity.ca/community-events/>

A list of camps and events submitted by the community.

ARTS UMBRELLA | Ages 3-19 | Multiple locations | For more info:

<https://www.artsumbrella.com/summer-programs/>

Running a series of arts camps in various mediums in the Lower Mainland. Open to learning about children's medical/learning needs.

CAMP ARTABAN | Ages 7-18 | Gambier Island | For more info: <https://www.campartaban.com/>

Offers a wide variety of programming for all ages.

CAMP SASAMAT | Ages 4-12 | Belcarra | For more info: <https://www.sasamat.org/>  
Outdoor summer camp open to campers of all abilities, willing to discuss accommodations such as dietary restrictions in advance.

CAMP SUMMIT | Ages 4-17 | Squamish | For more info: <https://campsummit.ca/>  
Outdoor adventure and traditional overnight camp facility offering various programs for youth and adults. They also offer a co-ed Summer Camp experience for campers aged 4 – 17.

CANLAN SPORTS | Ages 4+ | Burnaby, Langley, and North Shore | For more info: [Camps - Canlan Sports™: It's where we play.™](#)  
Includes hockey, skating, and multi-sport camps. Lists accessibility for all as one of their core values.

CANUCKS AUTISM NETWORK | Ages 6.5-12 | Lower Mainland, Kamloops, Nanaimo, Victoria |  
For more info: <https://www.canucksautism.ca/>  
Has multiple camp programs for a variety of age groups.

CITY OF LANGLEY | Ages 5-12 years | Langley | For more info: <https://city.langley.bc.ca/parks-recreation/recreation/langley-city-daycamps>

EASTER SEALS | Children (ages 6 and up) and Adults | Squamish, Winfield | For more info: <https://www.eastersealsbcy.ca/summer-camps>  
From day camps, to week long overnight camps, to in-person and virtual, there are options available for all interests, and for all children and adults with disabilities ages 6 and up.

EVANS LAKE | Ages 8-16 | Squamish | For more info: <https://evanslake.com/camp/camp-programs/>  
Outdoor educational forest camp. Open and accessible to people with disabilities, and continually updating services to increase accessibility.

FAMILY DEAF CAMP | Ages 5-29 | Princeton | For more info: <https://www.fndc.ca/familydeafcamp>  
FNDC's Family Deaf Camp is a summer gathering for families with Deaf children and for Deaf parents raising hearing children (CODAs).

KIDTROPOLIS | Ages 6-10 | Richmond | For more info: <https://www.kidtropolis.ca/summer-kid-camp-2021>  
An "indoor city" themed summer camp, with some outdoor activities. Willing to discuss accommodations for children with special needs.

MC KIDS ACADEMY | Ages 8-15 | Vancouver | For more info: <http://www.minecampkids.com/>  
Offers both online and in-person camps where children can learn how to play and create in Minecraft. Can provide 1:1 learning opportunities to children with special needs.

MOUNTAIN VIEW SUMMER CAMP | All ages | Hope | For more info: <https://mvsc.ca/>  
MVSC offers a specialized camp for the visually impaired, providing a safe and fun-filled outdoor experience. Activities include horseback riding, tubing, hayrides, archery, and more, with staff trained to care for visually impaired campers. They also offer a blind camp

PEDALHEADS | Ages 4 months-12 years | Across BC | For more info:  
<https://pedalheads.com/bike/british-columbia>

Kids summer camps and classes in BC, from Vancouver to Victoria and beyond, with bike, swim, trail, and soccer programs for ages 4 months to 12 years.

PLACE DES ARTS | Ages 5-14 | Coquitlam | For more info: <https://placedesarts.ca/art-camps/summer-fun/>

Their “Flying Colours” camp is specifically designed for children with developmental and physical disabilities, focused on art, music, movement, and sensory-friendly creative experiences. Smaller and very supportive environment.

RVN WELLNESS | Ages 5-11 | Port Moody | For more info: <https://rvnwellness.com/>

Our Resilient Kids and Resilient Teen programs are designed to foster emotional growth, confidence, and coping skills in a play-based setting.

Are your programs suitable for children with diverse needs? Yes. Our low camper-to-staff ratio supports a wide range of needs, including neurodiversity, mental health challenges, learning differences, and physical disabilities. Our flexible, child-led approach allows each child to participate in a way that feels safe and appropriate for them. If a child’s needs exceed our standard 1:5 ratio, additional support may be required (either provided by the family or arranged through us at \$30/hour). Please email [dawn@rvnwellness.com](mailto:dawn@rvnwellness.com) to discuss.

SURREY DAY CAMPS | Ages 3-10 | Surrey | For more info: <https://www.surrey.ca/parks-recreation/recreation-programs/day-camps>

Kids ages 3–18 can sign up for a variety of camps like sports, nature, science, cooking and creative arts. Choose from weekly 1.5-hour sessions, half-day or full-day camps, all led by experienced leaders.

UBC CAMPS | Age depends on camp | Vancouver | For more info:

<https://recreation.ubc.ca/camps/summer/>

A selection of camps in a variety of subjects, age groups, and themes. Cannot provide 1:1 support, but open to support workers and willing to modify programming for those who need it if contacted in advance.

ZAJAC RANCH | Ages 7-40 | Mission | For more info: <https://zajacranch.com/>

A fully inclusive summer camp where everything is accessible for children with medical conditions and disabilities.