



YOUNG MONITORS PROGRAM

The Young Monitors Program is part of the CJA's rich history in Clare. The program aims to provide a volunteer experience for those who are too old to participate as campers but too young to return as Camp Monitors. Young Monitors support Camp Monitors, ensuring that activities run smoothly and that campers are supported in their camp experiences. This opportunity allows youth to enhance their resumes and gain work experience before entering the job market. Young Monitors are essential to the smooth running of the CJA and play a key role in creating unforgettable camp weeks.

Who can be a Young Monitor?

- Volunteers aged 13 to 15
- A young person who is responsible, enthusiastic, and enjoys spending time outdoors.
- Someone who is able to commit to volunteering for at least 4 days (one week of camp) during the 7 weeks of camp.

Where does a Young Monitor work?

The CJA yurts, located on the Université Sainte-Anne campus.

Why does the Young Monitor Program exist?

- 1) To ensure the continuity of the day camp**
 - To train the next generation of Monitors to guarantee a strong and stable camp for years to come.
- 2) To offer an enriching experience to youth**
 - To develop leadership, communication, and responsibility skills.
- 3) To promote community involvement**
 - A recognized experience that looks good on a resume or job application.
- 4) To improve the campers' experience**
 - The more experience our monitors have, the more the campers benefit!





How do you become a Young Monitor?

- Submit a cover letter explaining why you would be the ideal candidate for the program.
- If you have one, attach a resume. This is a good opportunity to practice writing a resume if you don't already have one.
- Application tip: Note your volunteer experience, participation in teams or clubs, and any experience working with children.
- Send your completed application to Samantha Burbine, CJA Camp Coordinator, at cja@munclare.ca.

What does a Young Monitor do?

- Assist Camp Monitors in organizing activities.
- Help campers who need extra support to participate in activities.
- Participate in the theme of the week, including outings and excursions.
- Observe, learn, and gain professional experience.

What does a Young Monitor receive?

- A small thank-you gift
- A volunteer certificate
- Selected participants will receive a letter of recommendation.
- Young Monitors who meet the criteria and have had a positive experience will be given priority for future paid summer positions.

Send your application to
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