



**FIRST NATIONS AND INUIT YOUTH EMPLOYMENT STRATEGY
2019 NATIONAL SCIENCE CAMP
Trent University, Peterborough Ontario
July 21 – 28, 2019**

- Where?** Trent University
Peterborough, Ontario
- When?** July 21-28, 2019
- Activities?** Proposed activities at the camp include:
- Attending University science & technology activities
 - Traditional science activities
 - Local cultural activities
- Getting There?** Participants will travel from their home community to Yellowknife, NT then travel to Peterborough, ON as a group.
- Chaperones?** One or two chaperones will accompany the group to the FNIYES National Science Camp. The chaperone(s) will travel with the group from Yellowknife, NT to and from Peterborough, Ontario.
- Accommodations?** Trent University Residence, Peterborough, ON
- Costs?** All costs for participants, including travel, meals and accommodation will be covered by ISC.
- Student participants are allowed to bring a maximum of \$250.00 in personal spending money.
- Safety?** Where applicable, students are to be brought to their local airport by a parent or guardian.
- In the event that scheduling requires a participant to fly unaccompanied, the airline will be made aware that it is a juvenile travelling unaccompanied, so that supervision will be provided in the airport and while boarding and leaving the aircraft.
- Chaperones and/or CIRNAC staff will meet the students upon arrival in Yellowknife, NT. Chaperones will accompany students to the camp and will be with them at all times.
- When returning home, if not travelling with them, the chaperones will remain with the students at the airport.



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Who can apply? Indigenous students aged 12 -15 (at the time of the camp) enrolled in school full time in the Northwest Territories. Applicants must have demonstrated an interest in science.

Application? To be considered, applicants must complete the application and provide:

1. An essay written by the student applicant describing why they want to participate in the National Science camp and what they could contribute to the camp. The essay is to be a maximum of one (1) page typed or two (2) handwritten pages.
2. A letter of recommendation provided by a community leader, teacher or principal outlining why the student should represent their region at the national camp.
3. A signed statement of eligibility.
4. A signed parental permission form.

A selection committee will choose two finalists from each of the following regions: Dehcho, Akaitcho, Tłı̄chǫ, Sahtu and Beaufort-Delta. From the ten (10) finalists, the committee will choose five (5) regional representatives and five (5) alternates.

Applications which do not include all the required documentation will not be considered.

Deadline? The deadline for submissions of complete applications is **Monday, May 20, 2019**. Applications must be received by this date. Late applications will not be considered.

Applications may be submitted by email or fax. A hard copy including all the original signed documents must follow by mail.

Please submit applications to:

Marcy MacDougall - Policy and Program Analyst
Community Relations and Development Division
Operations and Community Services Directorate
Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada
4923-52ND ST, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3
Phone : 867-669-2548
Fax: 867-669-2710



E-mail: Marcy.MacDougall@canada.ca

Selection?

Five (5) regional representatives and five (5) alternates will be selected by the committee. Regional representatives will be notified the week of **May 27, 2019**.

In cases where a successful candidate is not identified from a region, consideration will be given to other applicants.

Acceptance?

Acceptance must be confirmed in writing by **Monday, June 3, 2019**. If confirmation of acceptance is not received from any of the regional representatives by that time, an alternate will be selected.

Any alternates selected will be notified on or before **Friday, June 7, 2019** and confirmation of acceptance to be a participant must be received by **Wednesday, June 12, 2019**.



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NT REGION STUDENT APPLICATION

Student's Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Student's region of residence (check one (1)):

- Dehcho Akaitcho Tłı̨chǫ Sahtu Beaufort-Delta

Date of Birth: _____ Age during Science Camp: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Summer Email Address: _____

Phone: Home _____ Work: _____

Student's School: _____

School Phone: _____ School Fax: _____

School Contact Name: _____

School Contact Email: _____

T-Shirt Size (please circle one): Adult S M L XL XXL XXXL

Documentation (application must include all):

- Completed Application Form
Student essay
Letter of recommendation from teacher, principal or community leader
Signed Statement of Eligibility
Signed Parental Permission Form

Signature of Student

Date

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**NT REGION STUDENT APPLICATION
STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY**

I verify that _____ is Indigenous, is a resident of the Northwest Territories and will be between the ages of 12 and 15 at the time of the camp.

Signature – Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature – School Contact

Date



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NT REGION STUDENT APPLICATION
PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION FORM

Student Name: _____

Address: _____

School: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Statement of Permission:

Should s/he be selected, I, _____

give my permission for my child, _____

to travel to and from and to participate in all the activities of the First Nations and Inuit Youth Employment Strategy National Science Camp, to be held July 21-28, 2019 in Peterborough, ON hosted by Indigenous Services Canada, local First Nations, KTEI and Trent University.

I also give permission for my child to be photographed and/or videotaped during the camp and authorized the use of any photos or videos for non-profit purposes such as reports, media coverage, and advertising for future camps.

All submissions will become the exclusive property of the sponsoring organizations. I understand that my child's submission may be used for reporting, evaluating, or communication purposes.

Signature – Parent/Guardian

Date