



# KANANASKINS

**AGE RANGE:** 12-13 (must be the correct age by Dec 31, 2020)

**NUMBER OF OPTIONS:** 4 (Hike, Mountain Arts, Horse, Canoe)

## WHAT TO EXPECT WITH ALL OPTIONS:

The Kananaskin section is full of campers who are learning to take on new challenges, adapt to changing situations and take on more responsibility. All campers gain a sense of belonging in the community and the natural world.

- 13 days of exciting pre-scheduled and group-selected activities and programs. These include horseback riding, waterfront, team-building activities, games, challenge course and more!
- Expedition Preparation and Training: groups work together to create a route plan, menu plan, and ready themselves for their trip
- Expeditions for the options vary slightly, and each group determines specific goals, but the core of each trip is for all campers to gain confidence and skills with living in the outdoors, such as setting up camp, cooking, and sleeping outside
- Over the course of 13 days, Kananaskin campers belong to a vibrant community, learn and grow, and thrive in a new and exciting ways

**COST:** \$1525

Visit [camps/camp-chief-hector](https://www.yymca.org/camps/camp-chief-hector) for session dates and fees and registration instructions.

Returning campers AND new campers\* can register online at [YMCA Online](https://www.yymca.org/online).

\*New campers MUST contact the Camp office to set up an account and get an ID# and PIN.

403-269-6156 or 1-866-430-9622





**OPTION BREAKDOWN:**

	Hike	Mountain Arts	Horse	Canoe
<b>What makes this option unique:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Campers are encouraged to build on their outdoor-living skills throughout their time at camp and spend much of their time exploring the area and hiking as a team</li> <li>- Multi-day (3-5) expedition in the nearby backcountry empowers campers to make steps in their growth and increase their comfort level hiking in the Rockies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Campers are encouraged throughout their time to be creative, and participate in lessons on photography, sketching, and painting.</li> <li>- 3-day expedition in the nearby backcountry with sketching materials to discover inspiration and continue their creative journey</li> </ul> <p>*NEW – an all-gender group is available</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Campers spend a large portion of their time at camp at the barn and with the horses, learning horsemanship, basic horse knowledge, and riding skills</li> <li>- Campers will also do a 3-day expedition in the nearby backcountry to strengthen their bond as a small group and learn about outdoor living</li> </ul> <p>*NEW – an all-gender group is available</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Campers enrolled in this stream will develop their canoeing skills on our lake</li> <li>- During their time at camp, they will also head to an age- (and skill) appropriate river to complete a 4-day canoe expedition</li> </ul>