

SMAP

Summer Missionary Assistance Program

How to become a Summer Missionary with One Hope Canada

We realize that every summer you have a number of options as to what you should do...find a good paying summer job to save some money, travel with your friends, or maybe, just maybe, spend your time at camp and see the Creator of the universe at work in the lives of hundreds of children.

At One Hope Canada, we think spending your time at camp is a great option, and so we have designed the Summer Missionary Assistance Program (SMAP) - a program that helps you gather a group of people around you who will partner with you in your summer ministry. These people commit to pray for you, support the work financially, and encourage you through the summer. No longer is it just you going to serve at camp...it is your entire support team, partnering with you, to see what God will do.

1. Decide that SMAP is for you

You may believe that God has called you to serve at camp and would like to build a support team that can stand with you and your ministry, and perhaps not just in this summer, but in the summers to come. If this is your case, then participating in the SMAP may be for you.

2. Apply to SMAP

Once you have decided that you would like to be a part of SMAP for the summer, simply fill out the summer application form and email it to: smap@onehopecanada.ca. Please send the TD1 federal and provincial forms (found at www.onehopecanada.ca/smap/) to your camp director..

3. Begin Building Your Support Team

Start by compiling a list of names and addresses – family, friends, church family, etc. – who may be interested in being part of your support team. Be careful not to assume that certain people may not have an interest in supporting you. In other words, do not pre-qualify or disqualify anyone. Once we receive and process your SMAP application we will email you a personalized support letter and response card that you can print and send to your family and friends. It's then up to you to follow up your letter with a phone call to confirm that they have received the letter and offer to answer any questions.

4. Communicate to your Support Team

You will receive an email with a link to a donor report. This will show you all the donors that have contributed to the SMAP fund on your behalf. Please communicate with them (Thank you card/note) within a week of receiving that information. Please communicate to your entire support team and let them know how you are doing throughout the summer. This will help make them feel as though they truly are on your team.

FAQs

How does SMAP work?

SMAP gives you the tools to fund raise on behalf of One Hope Canada for the SMAP Fund. One Hope Canada can then, in turn, hire summer missionaries through our participating camps because of the fundraising that you and others have done for the SMAP Fund.

What are the age and length of service requirements For SMAP?

To be considered for SMAP you must meet the following age requirements before you begin with One Hope Canada:

- QC & NS - 14 years old
- BC & AB - 15 years old
- All other provinces - 16 years old

You must serve a minimum of 4 weeks, whether consecutively or during the full summer camp season, to qualify for this program.

How are the SMAP funds distributed?

All funds are processed centrally at our Winnipeg office. We will forward the funds to the various participating camps who in turn will distribute them to all SMAP participants as a final payroll by mid September. These funds will be processed as regular payroll by the camp with payroll deductions taken off.

Is there a maximum that I can fund raise?

No. One Hope Canada is grateful for the generosity of all donors and uses gifts you have raised on behalf of SMAP to enable the fund to cover your summer wage, after which, any additional funds assists others who have also enrolled in SMAP.

How much will I be able to receive being on SMAP?

Each camp decides how to distribute SMAP funds. Please speak to your camp director for more information.

Position & Description	Per Hour	Per Week
Junior Cabin Leader	\$15.55	\$622
Frontline Cabin Leader, Activity Instructor, etc	\$18.66	\$746
Leadership Assistant Programmer, Lifeguard, etc	\$21.77	\$871
Senior Leadership Programmer, Leadership Development Program Coordinator, Food Services Coordinator, etc	\$24.88	\$995

When can I begin?

Right away! Start as soon as possible with building your support team. We will help you by providing a personalized support letter and response cards. Encourage your support team to jump on board early with their prayers and support.

Once you have finished your summer, be sure you report back to them. It is a team, after all, and they want to feel they are a part of it!

Please Note: Any One Hope Canada ministry would qualify for this program

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