Setting up Day Camps to Support Autistic Campers

Exploring the Spectrum

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Course Overview

The **Setting up Day Camps to Support Autistic Campers training course** is a tool to ensure that you are preparing your camp space to be a safe and inclusive environment; as well as preparing your camp teams to provide appropriate and quality support to campers.

This training will give you a breakdown of what is necessary to run a successful summer camp.

Who Should Take the Course?

This training is designed for a camp management team and/or camp directors.

Individuals taking this course should already be familiar with using visual communication tools (for example; PECS, Visual Schedule, Social Story, etc.) as well as have prior experience supervising and/or training a staff team.

Course Objectives

This course provides a foundation of knowledge related to autism and effective supports for campers on the spectrum.

This course is presented in the following 3 modules:

- Module 1: Autism Overview
- Module 2: What to do Before Camp?
- Module 3: What to do During Camp?

Evaluation Process

This course contains a knowledge check at the end.

These questions serve as a summative assessment of the learner's knowledge of the content provided in the three modules.

100 percent will need to be achieved to complete the course.

Questions will prompt the learner to retry if answered incorrectly.
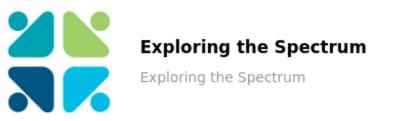
Upon successfully completing the course (all 3 modules), there is a printable certificate for your records.

Course Duration

This training course is a self-paced lesson that should take approximately 1.5 hours to complete.

Participants may leave the course at any time and can resume at any time to complete.

The duration will ultimately depend on the individual participant and their prior knowledge of the subject matter.

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