



Youth on the Air (YOTA) Americas Camp Information

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Activities for the Next Generation of
Amateur Radio Operators in the Americas

About the camp: Our goal is to enrich the amateur radio experience of our campers. They will refine their skills, participate in unique experiences with radio related technologies (Kit builds, Contesting, Satellite Operations, Special Event Station, etc.), meet other young hams through workshops and social events.

Who can participate: Any amateur radio operator between the age of 15-25 that resides in North, Central, or South America. Space is limited to 50 campers.

When: July 7-12, 2024

Where: Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Canada

Cost: \$100 USD per camper (plus transportation to/from Halifax)

Includes: Meals, lodging, admission fees, camp T-Shirt, and local transportation for camp activities

Transportation: Campers are responsible for their own transportation to and from Halifax. (Airport code: YHZ)

Ground transportation to/from the airport will be provided on a pre-arranged schedule.

Local ground transportation to all camp activities will be provided.

If you need assistance with travel, contact our travel coordinator at travel@youthontheair.org.

Language: The camp activities will be performed in English. Translators may be available. Ask us for details.

Lodging Details: Housing will be in campus apartments on the Mount Saint Vincent University campus.

- Standard room: 4 campers per apartment with 4 single bedrooms and 2 shared bathrooms - Apartments are separated by gender and age group, unless staying with accompanying parent
- Single bedroom apartments (limited quantity) are available for an additional fee (\$250 USD)

Meals: All meals from Sunday evening through Friday lunch will be provided. Participants with dietary restrictions or allergies must alert the staff in advance so that proper provisions can be made.

Required Forms: Emergency medical authorization, waiver of liability, photo/video consent, and transportation consent. **Staff members/volunteers:** background check authorization and Youth Protection Training.

Other expenses: Souvenirs or any other purchases will be the responsibility of the camper.

Alcohol: Alcohol is not allowed during camp.

Special Event Station: The special event station will be on the air between sessions and during dedicated time slots.

Major Sponsors: Youth on the Air Camp 2024 will be operated by Electronic Applications Radio Service, Inc (W9EAR). The camp is hosted by Radio Amateurs of Canada (RAC). This event is possible thanks to the generous support of our sponsors, which you can find on our camp web page.

For more information: Visit our website at <https://youthontheair.org> and our social media sites.

Questions? Contact Neil Rapp, WB9VPG at director@youthontheair.org.