



Kamp Kiwanis Leadership Programs



NITES Next Step

The **NITES (Next Step in Training for Excellence) Program** at Kamp Kiwanis provides a summer camp experience for youth finishing Grade 7. The camp session lasts for 5 days, including a 2-day, 1-night off-site backpacking trip in Kananaskis. NITES introduces participants to camp leadership, team building, and expanding outdoor skills and knowledge.

RITES Rising

The **RITES (Rising In Training for Excellence) Program** is for students finishing Grade 8. The camp session lasts for 5 days, including a 2-day, 1-night offsite canoe trip in Kananaskis. RITES builds on skills learned in NITES (Gr. 7 Program) including camp leadership, team building, and expanding outdoor skills and knowledge.

SITES Setting Off

The **SITES (Setting Off in Training for Excellence) Program** is for students finishing Grade 9. The camp session lasts for 7 days, including a 3-day, 2-night off-site backpacking trip in Kananaskis. SITES builds on skills learned in RITES (Gr. 8 Program) including camp leadership, team building, and expanding outdoor skills and knowledge. Included is a 3-day, 2-night backpacking trip.

LITES Leaders

The **LITES (Leaders in Training for Excellence) Program** is for students finishing Grade 10. The camp session lasts for 7 days, including a 3-day, 2-night off-site canoe trip in Kananaskis. LITES builds on skills learned in SITES (Gr. 9 Program) including camp leadership, team building, and expanding outdoor skills and knowledge. Included is a 3-day, 2-night canoe trip and a cabin group placement with campers and a counsellor mentor to build camp counsellor skills.

KITES Kounsellors (In Training)

The **KITES (Kounsellors in Training for Excellence) Program** is for students finishing Grade 11. The camp session lasts for 15 days, including a 2-day, 1 night off-site trip in the Kananaskis Area planned in collaboration with both the participants and the leadership coordinators. The group will decide whether this will be a backpacking or a canoe trip. KITES builds on skills learned in LITES (Gr. 9 Program) including camp leadership, team building, and expanding outdoor skills and knowledge. Included is multi-day cabin group placement with campers and a counsellor mentor to build camp counsellor skills.