

# Marine Mammal Summer Camp

## July 29-August 7, 2023

This summer, the Faculty of Science at Saint Mary's University and the Canadian Whale Institute are offering a 10-day Marine Mammal Summer Camp for 15 students ages 14 to 17. The camp will be held in two locations: Saint Mary's University in Halifax, Nova Scotia, and Campobello Island, New Brunswick.

During the camp, students will...

- Learn about and practice scientific techniques to study marine mammals, including surveys, photo-identification, acoustic monitoring, DNA analysis, and examination of marine mammal skeletons; students may also observe a marine mammal dissection

- Travel to Campobello, NB, to meet with marine mammal scientists and local fishermen; students will also conduct ocean-based and onshore surveys for marine mammals

- Learn about issues threatening marine mammal populations and how they can help

- Participate in the daily operations of scientific field work

Due to the nature of the camp and the travel involved, the

# Student Application Form

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred first name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_ Male Female \_ \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship: Canadian Permanent resident Other \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a valid passport? Yes No

Parent/Guardian (1): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # (home): \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Work #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (2): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # (home): \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Work #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

We want to make sure that we can best accommodate your child at camp.

Does your child have any health problems that we need to be aware of? Yes No

Overall health: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Allergies (food/drug): \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Needs/Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

Special needs and/or require extra support (behavioural, emotional, physical, intellectual, language, etc.)?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for applying to Marine Mammal Summer Camp.**

Once we have processed the applications, we will contact everyone who applied. If you are accepted, we will send you a registration form and a parental consent form to complete your enrollment.

