

CAMP TEAM LEADER

JOB DESCRIPTION • Contract: 5 Weeks

ABOUT STANDINGROCK KIDS FOUNDATION

Since 2006, StandingRock Kids Foundation has been on a mission — connect First Nations Youth with technology, keep it FUN, and root it all in who we are as Cree people. 20 years and 1,200+ camp kids later, we are still going strong! This year is extra special — our campers don't just bring themselves, they bring their families. Wahkohtowin in Action! means Youth AND their Elders learn side by side, and we need staff who can honour and celebrate that beautiful connection every single day.

POSITION DETAILS

Reports To:	Camp Facilitator / Organizer
Works With:	Camp Elder Camp Administrator Camp Assistants
Contract Term:	5-Week Employment Contract (July 20 – August 21, 2026)
Training Week:	Train-the-Trainer: July 20 – 24, 2026
Camp Sessions:	July 27 – August 21, 2026 (4 Sessions)
Locations:	Maskwacis Cree High School (Samson), Maskwacis, AB • Mimiw-Sakahikan School, Pigeon Lake, AB
Hours:	8:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday
IRC/CYIM Check:	Required (must not be older than 6 months)

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Supervise and support all Camp Assistants throughout each session, providing daily direction, coaching, and check-ins
- Work closely alongside the Camp Elder to integrate cultural teachings and Cree protocols into the daily rhythm of camp
- Operate the official camp camera daily — capturing key moments, activities, and milestones throughout each session
- Collect photos and videos from all staff members at the end of each day and turn them over to the Camp Administrator for filing and storage
- Coordinate the camp's social media presence with your team, ensuring daily moments are shared authentically and appropriately
- Manage group rotations and activity transitions for the two camper cohorts (Group A & Group B, ages 8–17)
- Assist the Camp Facilitator/Organizer with daily scheduling, logistics, and on-the-ground problem solving
- Coordinate volunteer scheduling and on-site support alongside the Camp Administrator
- Lead by example during Thursday field trips, Friday Game Days, and all special camp events
- Deliver all camp equipment — including the official camp camera — to the Camp Administrator on your final day of the contract
- Participate fully in the Train-the-Trainer staff development week (July 20–24)

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR

While a passion for technology is a bonus, what matters most is your love for working with kids. We want staff who show up every day with energy, positivity, and a genuine desire to make every camper's experience fun and memorable.

- Proven leadership experience with youth — in camps, schools, recreation programs, or community settings
- Natural ability to build trust and rapport with young people (ages 8–17) and their families
- Strong communication and team coordination skills — you can give clear direction while keeping the energy positive
- Comfort with digital tools: smartphone photography/video, social media, and basic file management
- Ability to stay calm, flexible, and solution-focused when things don't go as planned
- Experience working with First Nations or Indigenous youth and communities is highly valued
- Cultural sensitivity and genuine respect for Cree traditions and protocols

CONSIDERED A STRONG ASSET

- Experience with social media content creation (Instagram, Facebook, TikTok, or similar)
- Photography or videography skills — comfort behind a camera and capturing candid moments
- Knowledge of STEM, coding, computers, or digital arts
- Standard First Aid + CPR-C certification
- A valid driver's license and reliable personal vehicle are a strong asset, as camp programming takes place across two locations in Maskwacis and Pigeon Lake

At StandingRock Kids Tech Camps, we embrace "Wahkohtowin in Action!" — meaning our campers (both Youth & their Elders) arrive as "Family Units". The ideal candidate is someone who can connect genuinely with both Youth AND the Adults and Elders who accompany them, treating every family member with equal warmth, patience, and respect.

COMPENSATION

We offer a competitive rate that reflects your experience and the important work you bring to our camp community. Details will be discussed at the interview.

How to Apply:

Submit Resume & IRC/CYIM Check to:
Camps@StandingRockKids.com

Application Deadline:

June 26, 2026
Questions? Call: +1.780.362.1979