



Financial Assistance for Camp and Recreational Activities				
Organization	Service Description	Address	Phone Number	Website
211 Child Care	2-1-1 Child Care provides information and referrals to agencies offering camp scholarship programs in Connecticut.	55 Capital Boulevard, Rocky Hill, CT 06067	1-800-505-1000	http://www.211childcare.org/
Association for Autism and Neurodiversity (AANE)	The Daniel Braun Memorial Camp and Recreation Activities Scholarship helps individuals pay for the cost of services such as summer camps, group day trips, group travel programs, group social events, group fitness programs and creative arts programs.	51 Water Street, Suite 206, Watertown, MA 02472	617-393-3824	https://aane.org/services-programs/grants-free-programs/grants-for-adults-families/
Autism Care Today	Provides financial assistance for services that the person would otherwise not be able to afford. Areas of support include but are not limited to: ABA Therapy, Assistive Technology, Medical Testing & Treatments, Speech and Occupational Therapy, Safety Equipment, Summer and Social Programs, and Quality of Life Supports.	20750 Ventura Blvd, Ste 160 Woodland Hills, CA 91364	805-506-5235 or 877-9ACT-TODAY (877-922-8863)	http://www.act-today.org/our-funds/autism-care-today/
Autism Spectrum Disorder Foundation	ASDF partners with Autism organizations around the country that offer social skills summer camps. ASDF provides partial and full scholarships to those families who need financial assistance to send their children to camp.	228 W. Lincoln Highway 301, Schererville, IN 46375	866-791-3383	https://myasdf.org/
Bikes for Kids	Connecticut based organization that collects, repairs and safety tests used bicycles along with a new helmet.	36 Plains Road, Essex, CT 06426	860-388-2453	https://www.bikesforkidsct.org/

Camp Harkness	AUCP Camp Harkness is a summer residential program for adults and children with physical, developmental and/or intellectual disabilities. The State of CT Department of Developmental Disabilities has administrative responsibility of Camp Harkness bordering the Harkness Memorial State Park in Waterford, Ct.	DDS- 460 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106	860-443-7818	https://portal.ct.gov/DDS/SoutheastRegion/Camp-Harkness/Camp-Harkness
Camp Horizon	Offers summer camps and weekends tailored for children and adults with developmental disabilities and other special needs over the age of 8. During the summer a special Masters Program is offered for campers over the age of 40.	127 Babcock Hill Road, South Windham, CT 06266	860-456-1032	https://www.horizonsct.org/
Camp RWAF- Ryan Wood Autism Foundation	Offers summer camps for individuals with autism and/or disabilities. Activities include field trips, art, music, dance, social and life skills. For ages 16-22. Grants may be available.	50 Hickszille Rd, Unit 24, Cromwell, CT 06416	860-834-3018	n/a
C.A.R.E Foundation	CARE Family Grant Program is mainly for helping families with medication, autism diagnosis/evaluation, therapy sessions (including speech, OT and ABA) and autism summer camps. Please note that all grants awarded are paid directly to the vendor or service provider to pay for tuition, supplements, medication, medical evaluation, testing, therapies, etc.	n/a	(650) 930-9550	https://careautismfoundation.com/
Care and Share of East Lyme	Offers camperships to school age residents of East Lyme, Niantic and Salem	PO Box 114, East Lyme, CT 06333	860-739-8502	http://www.careandshareofel.org/
Care 4 Kids	Care 4 Kids helps low to moderate income families in Connecticut pay for child care costs including youth camps.	55 Capital Boulevard Rocky Hill, CT 06067	1-888-214-5437	https://www.ctcare4kids.com/
Challenged Athletes Foundation	Provides grants for paralympic sports related expenses such as: Travel/competition, coaching/training, equipment and athletic prosthetics. To qualify, the individual must have a permanent physical disability.	9591 Waples Street, San Diego, CA 92121	1-858-866-0959	challengedathletes.org

Cherish the Children Foundation	A. Financial assistance with short term need for the child/family due to medical emergency or condition, an opportunity for the child that the family can't afford on its own (camp, school trip, medical travel, etc.) or B. To provide financial assistance to help improve the child's quality of life - Specialty equipment or supplies denied by insurance or when all other traditional funding resources have been exhausted.	PO Box 128 Glastonbury CT 06033	860-509-5346	http://www.ctchildren.org/Grants.php
City of Meriden-Youth Services Division	Camperships for children who would like to attend one session of summer camp and need financial assistance. Some camps will require a non-refundable deposit to reserve space for each child that is awarded a campership.	142 East Main Street, Meriden, CT 06450	203-630-4225	https://www.meridenct.gov/government/departments/health-and-human-services/youth-services/
Connecticut Yankee Council Boy Scouts of America	A campership is financial assistance awarded to a Cub Scout or Boy Scout to allow him to attend a Boy Scout or Cub Scout summer camp program within the Connecticut Yankee Council, either residential or day camp. Camperships are need-based and are awarded to youth who are unable to afford the full summer camp fee.	60 Wellington Road, Milford, CT 06461	203-876-6868 ext. 230	https://www.ctyankee.org/scout-info/camperships/
Connecticut Science Center	Connecticut Science Center's Access Membership Program are for families with Husky A or C health insurance, or SNAP benefits. The goal is to help families have access to science exploration and learning while being able to acquire a membership at a 90% discount. Families would be able to access free general admission to the CT Science Center, Mystic Aquarium, Beardsley Zoo, and Maritime Aquarium during certain months of the year. Scholarship opportunities may be available for children to attend school vacation camps and participate in family programs.	250 Columbus Blvd., Hartford, CT 06103	860-724-3623	https://ctsciencecenter.org/
Dealhack	The Dealhack Persons with Disabilities Discounts Guide provides a list of companies and organizations offering discounts for persons with disabilities, including to theme parks, camps, museums, aquariums and more.	140 Broadview Ave. Suite 31, Toronto, ON, Canada M4M 0A8	1-800-852-2347	https://dealhack.com/blog/disability-discount-guide

Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation-Family Grant	Providing financial assistance for a limited number of families who need a little help paying for these services.	42 Felton Street 2R, Waltham, MA 02453	1-508-270-8855	https://www.flutiefoundation.org/relieving-financial-burden-families
Favor, Inc.	Through the Connecticut Medical Home Initiative at Favor, Inc, funds may be available for respite care and extended services including camps. The maximum amount granted per family annually is \$500.	185 Silas Deane Highway, Wethersfield, CT 06109	860-436-6544 or 1-855-436-6544	http://www.favor-ct.org/programs-services/ct-medical-home-at-favor/
Girls Scouts of Connecticut-North Haven Service Center	Camp financial aid available for girls scouts to attend any of the seven day camps or one resident camp available.	n/a	1-800-922-2770	https://www.gsofct.org/en/about-girl-scouts/who-we-are.html
Giving Angels Foundation	Mission is to enhance the daily functioning of a child with a physical disability or illness from a low income family by awarding grants for life-changing equipment, medical supplies, essential family bills, specialized camps, and therapeutic toys.	1461 Golden Drive, Dresher, PA 19025	267-332-1320	https://givingangelsfoundation.org/
Litchfield Community Services Fund	The Litchfield Community Services Fund, Inc. is a private, not-for-profit organization established in 1967 by clergy and concerned citizens to help Litchfield residents in need by providing temporary or emergency financial assistance. for fuel assistance, mortgage, rent, utilities, medical, and transportation issues. Fund also provides temporary financial assistance for summer camps and day care.	PO Box 819, Litchfield, CT 06759	860-567-0480	http://litchfieldcommunityservicesfund.org/
Meriden Dept. of Health and Human Services	Camperships are offered to children who would like to attend one session of summer camp and need financial assistance.	142 East Main Street, Meriden, CT 06450	203-630-4226	https://www.meridenct.gov/government/departments/health-and-human-services/
Molly Ann Tango Memorial Foundation	The Foundation helps finance the purchase of much-needed medical equipment and services when insurance is exhausted and other social programs are not available. Financial assistance can be requested for expenses related to tuition for special needs summer camps.	PO Box 15 Ridgefield, CT 06877	203-403-7070	https://www.mollytango.org/

MyGOAL Autism Organization	MyGOAL Inc. Enrichment Grant is a grant program that will enable families to take advantage of socialization and educational opportunities designed for individuals with special needs. (medical, Nutrition, Personal Needs)	Monmouth Junction, NJ 08852, PO Box 531	1-877-886-9462	https://mygoalinc.org/mygoal-autism-grant-program/
Organization for Autism Research	Provides a tool kit and assist with fundraising for services needed.	2111 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 401, Arlington, VA 22201	1-866-366-9710	https://researchautism.org/fundraising/
Person-to- person	Person 2 person provides camperships to assist children attend day camps.	Darien, Stamford, and Norwalk	Darien 203-655-0048; Norwalk 203-939-1650; Stamford 203-724-9111	https://p2phelps.org/services/camperships/
Pervis Jackson Jr Autism Foundation	Pervis Jackson Jr Autism Foundation help needy parents of children with disabilities to get respite or other support services. Grants can be used for Camp Sessions, Respite of Parent's Choice, Cleaning Help, Cooking Help, Spa Day, Urgent Bills, Other Parent Needs	PO Box 04422, Detroit, MI 48204	313-933-7151	https://pervisjackson.org/
Suffield Community Aid	Camp subsidies are available to residents who are experiencing a financial challenge.	450 South Street, Suffield, CT 06078	860-668-1986	https://suffieldcommunityaid.org/
TEEG- Thompson Ecumenical Empowerment Group	TEEG offers many social service programs within the community including camperships for residents of Thompson, Woodstock, Pomfret and Putnam.	15 Thatcher Road, North Grosvenordale, CT 06255	860-923-3458	http://www.teegonline.org/
Town of Berlin- Social and Youth Services	Together with the Berlin Children's Fund, Youth Services provides camperships to children of families in need who live in Berlin. A wide variety of camp experiences are available. Contact Berlin Youth Services to apply.	240 Kensington Road, Berlin, CT 06037	860-828-7059	https://www.town.berlin.ct.us/department/?structureid=24

Town of Greenwich-Social Services	The Greenwich Camperships Program allows low income Greenwich Families to help pay for the cost of sending their children to summer camps.	101 Field Point Road, Greenwich, CT 06830	203-622-7797	https://www.greenwichdhsfund.org/campership-program
Town of New Milford- Social Services	New Milford Social Services offers resources for scholarships for local summer camps.	2 Pickett District Road, New Milford, CT 06776	860-355-6079	http://www.newmilford.org/
Town of Plainville	Summer camp scholarships available for Plainville youth.	One Central Square, Plainville, CT 06062	860-793-0221 ext. 261	https://www.plainvillect.com/youth-services
Town of Rocky Hill- Human Services	A scholarship fund is available for children to experience camp when they would not normally be able to due to extra cost to family. Financial assistance is limited to activities that are educational and recreational and must be a Rocky Hill Parks & Rec Program	761 Old Main Street Rocky Hill, CT 06067	860-258-2799	https://www.rockyhillct.gov/index.php
Town of Salisbury-Social Services	Salisbury Family Services assist people in the community experiencing difficulties. Help may be available in the form of summertime camp scholarships.	30 A Salmon Kill Road, Salisbury, CT 06068	860-435-5187	http://salisburyct.us/
Town of Vernon-Social Services	Camp scholarships available for income eligible residents with a financial need.	14 Park Place, Vernon, CT 06066	860-870-3661	http://www.vernon-ct.gov/
Town of Westport-Human Services Dept.	Camperships available for Westport residents who demonstrate a financial need.	110 Myrtle Avenue, Westport, CT 06880	203-341-1050	http://www.westportct.gov/
Town of Wethersfield-Social and Youth services	Each spring, the department offers a limited number of camp scholarships to Wethersfield families with financial need. Donations to the Camp Scholarship Fund are accepted throughout the year.	505 Silas Deane Highway, Wethersfield, CT 06109	860-721-2800	https://wethersfieldct.gov/

United Way of Greater Waterbury	United Way of Greater Waterbury offers Campership to children ages 5 - 18, who are members of low-income families in Bethlehem, Cheshire, Middlebury, Prospect, Southbury, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott, or Woodbury. Campership enables children to attend one session of summer camp, and they are awarded on first-come, first-served basis.	123 Bank Street, 3rd Fl. Waterbury, CT 06702	203-757-9855	http://www.unitedwaygw.org/
Varghese Summersett	The special needs scholarships can be used offset the cost of camp, tutoring, classes, secondary education, post-secondary education or tools to help them learn and flourish.	300 Throckmorton Street, Suite 1650, Fort Worth, TX 76102	817-203-2220	https://www.versustexas.com/scholarships/
YMCA of Western CT	YMCA offers summer camp financial aid.	2 Huckleberry Hill Road, Brookfield, CT 06804	203-775-4444	https://www.regionalymca.org/

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