

Assistant Coach, Alberta Summer Games - Zone Team 14U Girls

Position: Assistant Coach, Alberta Summer Games Girls Zone Team

Contract Term: January 31, 2026 – July 31, 2026

Compensation: \$150 upon successful completion of all season requirements

Reports to: Head Coach, Alberta Summer Games Team; Technical Director/Manager of Coach Education & High-Performance Program Lead – Women's

About the Program

Every two years, the Alberta Games program brings together top basketball athletes from communities in all 8 zones to compete for their zone at the Alberta Summer Games. Many alumni go on to excel at higher levels, including post-secondary and professional basketball.

This contract position begins in January and ends after the completion of the Alberta Summer Games tournament and related administrative duties following the tournament (approximately July 31, 2026).

What We're Looking For

We're seeking a dedicated and passionate Assistant Coach to support the Head Coach in all aspects of the 2026 Alberta Summer Games Zone Team program. As Assistant Coach, you will play a crucial supporting role in talent selection, training, and competition, helping prepare your Zone Team for the Alberta Summer Games.

Key Responsibilities

- Support the Head Coach in player identification and selection at the Combine, camps, and tryouts.
- Assist with planning, delivering, and monitoring training sessions.
- Provide mentorship and support to athletes in a safe, inclusive, and positive environment.
- Foster open, regular communication with athletes, parents, and ABA staff, as directed by the Head Coach.
- Model exemplary conduct in line with ABA's Code of Conduct and Equity policies.
- Support the Head Coach in managing operations, communications, reporting, and budget.
- Participate fully in all team activities and meetings required by the Head Coach or ABA.

Requirements

- Experience coaching at club, collegiate, junior high or high school setting
- Strong knowledge of basketball technical/tactical aspects and athlete development

NCCP Certification Requirement:

- One coach in each zone must minimally meet one of the following under the National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP):
 - Certified - Learn to Train (L2T)
 - In Training - Train to Compete (T2C)
- Additional coach must minimally meet one of the following under NCCP:
 - Trained - Learn to Train (L2T)
 - In Training - Train to Compete (T2C)
- All coaches must also have completed the NCCP Make Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation.
- Valid Police/Vulnerable Sector Check (submit with application via RAMP system)
- Member of ABA in good standing
- Reliable transportation and willingness to travel within Alberta
- Strong leadership, communication, and organizational skills

Application Process

Upload your current Police Information Check as part of your ABA Membership via the RAMP system.

To apply, submit your resume and cover letter via email to careers@albertabasketball.ca, indicating "Assistant Coach – Alberta Summer Games Zone Team" in the subject line.

We appreciate all applications; however, only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.