

# NextED CHALLENGE

## Immersive Learning Program

Through a summer camp experience, NextED Challenge provides young adults an opportunity to challenge their expectations of living on their own. Attendees participate in hands-on learning, interactive group activities, and community exploration.



## 2024 Summer Sessions

### • Session 1 - Overnight

**Dates:** June 24- 28

**Location:** University of Missouri - St. Louis

**Time:** Check-in Monday at 9 AM through Check-out Friday at 4 PM

### • Session 2 - Overnight

**Dates:** July 15-19

**Location:** University of Missouri - St. Louis

**Time:** Check-in Monday at 9 AM through Check-out Friday at 4 PM

### • Session 3 - Daytime

**Dates:** August 5 - 9

**Location:** Airbnb near Forest Park

**Time:** Monday-Friday; 9 AM - 4 PM

### • Session 4 - Daytime

**Dates:** August 12- 16

**Location:** Airbnb near Forest Park

**Time:** Monday-Friday; 9 AM - 4 PM

## Real Life Skill Building

NextED Challenge is for individuals ages 18-30 with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Each session focuses on the nine pillars of independent living:

Self-Determination

Tools of Independence

Personal Safety

Connection to Community Resources

Cooking and Nutrition

Leisure and Wellness

Managing Living Spaces

Money Management

Communication

## Registration

### Program Fees:

- Overnight- \$1000
- Day- \$500

**Registration Fee:** 10% of the session cost

All individuals must complete an intake meeting prior to registration.

If interested, email [nexed@slarc.org](mailto:nexed@slarc.org) for more information or to register.

