

AGE OF CONSENT TO SEXUAL ACTIVITY

THE AGE OF CONSENT IS THE AGE AT WHICH A YOUNG PERSON CAN LEGALLY AGREE TO SEXUAL ACTIVITY.

IN CANADA, THE AGE OF CONSENT IS 16 YEARS OLD. HOWEVER, THERE ARE CLOSE IN AGE EXCEPTIONS

*If a person is in the position of authority or trust, a person under the age of 18 can not consent to sexual activity

A youth who is:

Can consent to sexual activity with someone:

12 years old

12 years old to under 14 years old



13 years old

12 years old to under 15 years old



14 years old

13 years old to under 19 years old



15 years old

14 years old to under 20 years old