

CONNECTING YOU TO PLAY: JOOAY

Jooay App Monthly Newsletter

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ABOUT THE NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the Jooay newsletter! Jooay is a free mobile and web app (<https://jooay.com/>) that helps children with disabilities and their families locate leisure opportunities that are close to where they live; accessible and inclusive; suit their needs and abilities; match their preferences; and can help them develop and participate in society.

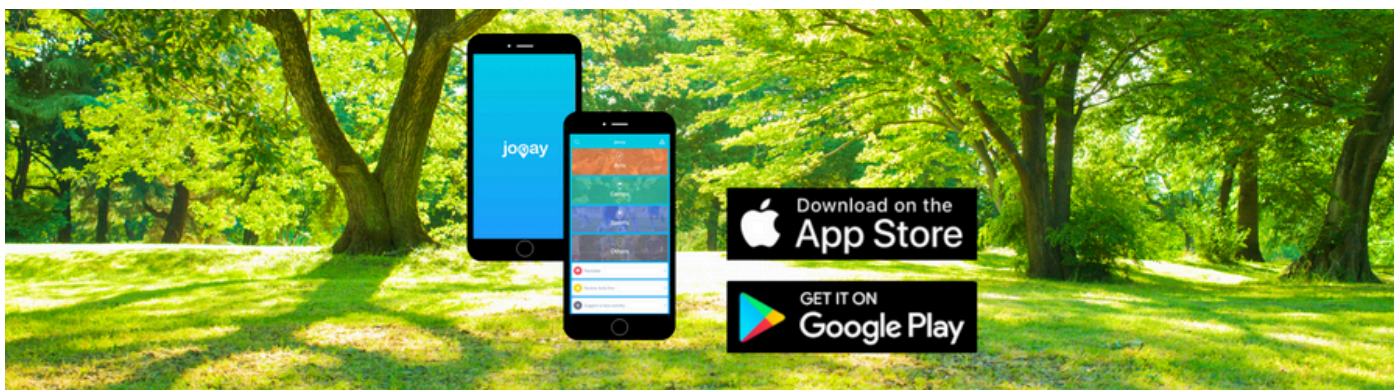
Stay tuned for monthly updates on adapted leisure events and opportunities, as well as updates related to the Jooay App and our community. Let's help children get more involved in leisure together!

ACTIVITIES

1. Summer Camps for Ages 2-18 in Victoria, BC

Pacific Institute for Sport Education is pleased to offer a wide variety of summer camps tailored for ages 2 to 18! They provide many options for participations who require inclusion support. Their camps aim to foster a love of movement and above all, provide a safe and fun week for all!

[Click here to learn more!](#)



2. Days of Camp Bumbleberry in St. John's, NL

Register today to join Easter Seals NL for a fantastic Day of Camp this summer! Experience all the fun of our summer camp activities in just one day.

Get ready for a jam-packed schedule of gym games, crafts, sports, and outdoor activities similar to those at our overnight Camp Bumbleberry. To top it off, we'll end the day with a delightful campfire. Don't miss out on this amazing opportunity!



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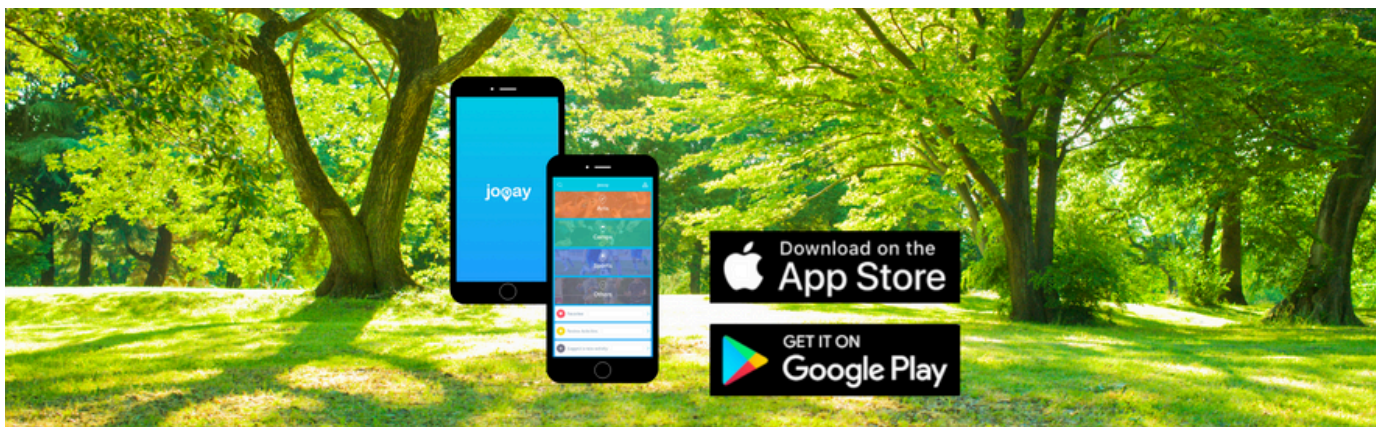
3. New Activities to Check-Out for MAIH/AMDI, Montreal

Come check out Montreal Association for Intellectually Handicapped (MAIH)/ Association de Montréal pour la Déficience Intellectuelle (AMDI)'s New Program!

AMDI offers weekly activities, weekend getaways, events, and conferences tailored for adults with intellectual disabilities and their families. Full-day registration is available for those interested.



[Click here to learn more!](#)



4. Music Education Classes, Montreal

Discover the joy of music with your family with Music Together® classes for ages 0-5. Designed to nurture developmental milestones, this program uses songs, chants, rhythm, and movement to support your child's growth. Parents and children learn together in a fun, engaging environment, fostering leadership in older kids and learning in younger ones.



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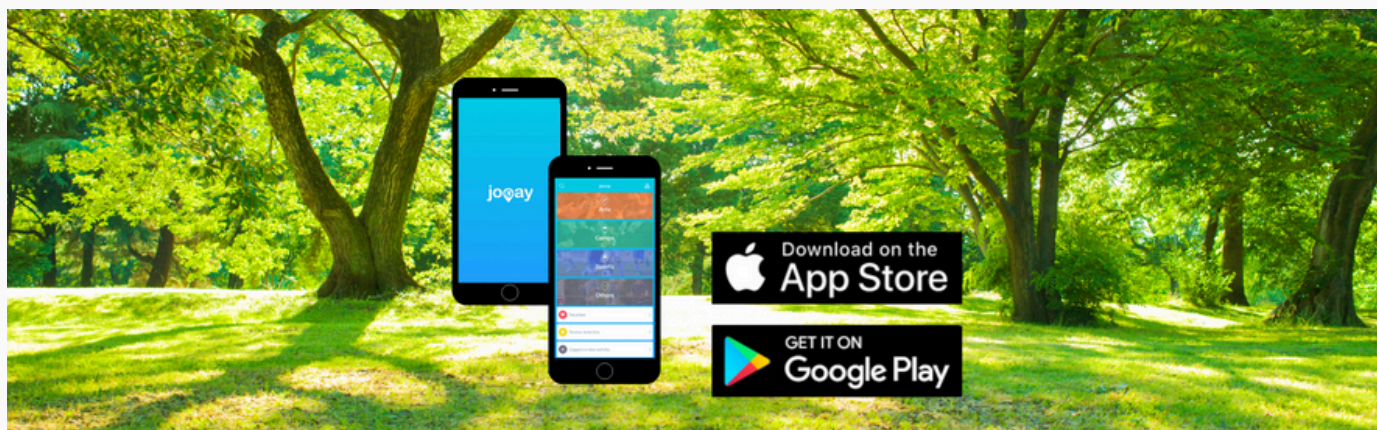
5. Recreational Respite Online Group Programs across Canada

Come hang out with friends at Recreational Respite this summer!

Recreational Respite is proud to present online programs that foster lifelong learning, from art lessons to wilderness skills. These programs are designed for children and teens who wish to learn new skills, providing inclusive and accessible opportunities while encouraging healthy living for all Canadians.



[Click here to find out more!](#)



6. Teen Pool Party and Movie Matinee in London, Ontario

Looking for an activity to cool you off for the summer? Join TVCC for their Teen Pool Party and Movie Matinee for a day filled with friendships and fun!

TVCC's therapy pool allows everyone to enjoy the refreshing plunge at their own pace, whether you love to swim or just want to float and unwind. This will be followed by a movie matinee with popcorn, the perfect way to enjoy the summer and meet new people.



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7. Kids Day Sailing and Hiking, BC

Interested in a day of adventure? 🌲

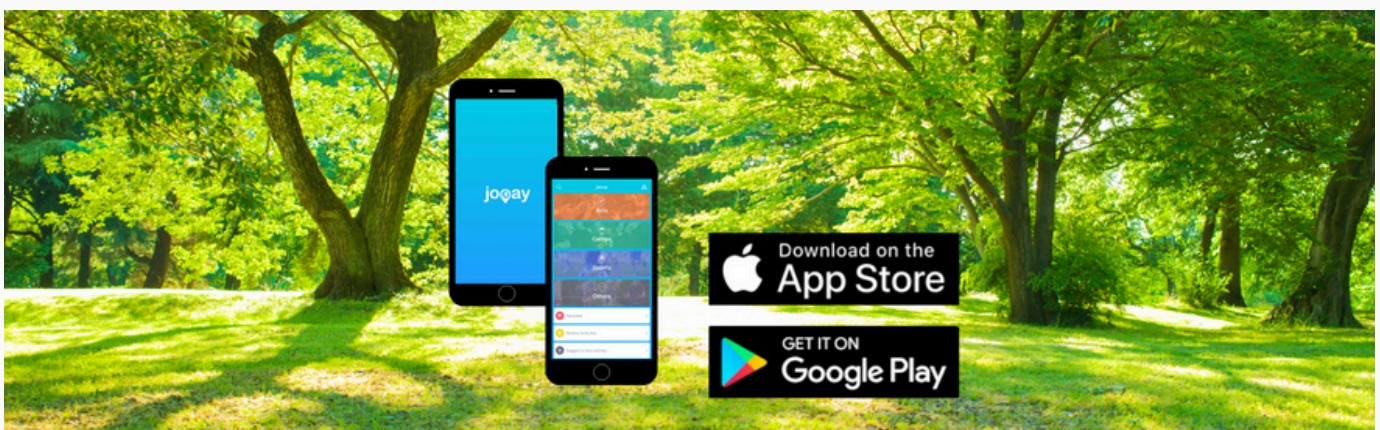
Join ASABC and BCMOS for a fun filled day of sailing and hiking on Saturday, July 27th. 🚣

Kids will have a blast sailing and exploring the beautiful Jericho Sailing Centre! 🚤

For more information:

📞 **236-513-4453**

✉️ **hiking@bcmos.org**



JOOAY APP UPDATES

BE SURE TO DOWNLOAD OUR UPGRADED ANDROID
VERSION OF THE JOOAY APP!

FIND IT TODAY ON THE PLAY STORE & DISCOVER OUR
NEW FEATURES.

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT THE 'ONLINE' ACTIVITIES TAB!

The advertisement features three smartphones against a green and blue bokeh background. The leftmost phone shows the JOOAY logo on a blue background. The middle phone displays the app's main menu with categories: Arts, Camps, Sports, and Others, along with a bottom navigation bar containing Favorites, Review Activities, and Suggest a new activity. The rightmost phone shows the 'Art Activities' screen with a list of online programs, including 'Online DA@Home - Dance Adventure', 'Online Easter Art Packs - Rebekah Jane Art', 'Online Multi Arts Programs - MultiArtWorks', 'Online Colouring Sheets - BC Disability', 'Online Multi Arts Day Program - Dramaway Theatre', 'Online Virtual Summer Camp Program - Dreams C...', 'Online Para Dance Classes - Ballroom Fit', and 'Online Ability Dance Classes - Ballroom Fit'. Each activity listing includes a title, a brief description, a star rating, and a 'Best Reviews' icon. In the top right corner, there is a 'GET IT ON Google Play' button with the Google Play logo. In the bottom center, there is a 'Download on the App Store' button with the Apple logo.

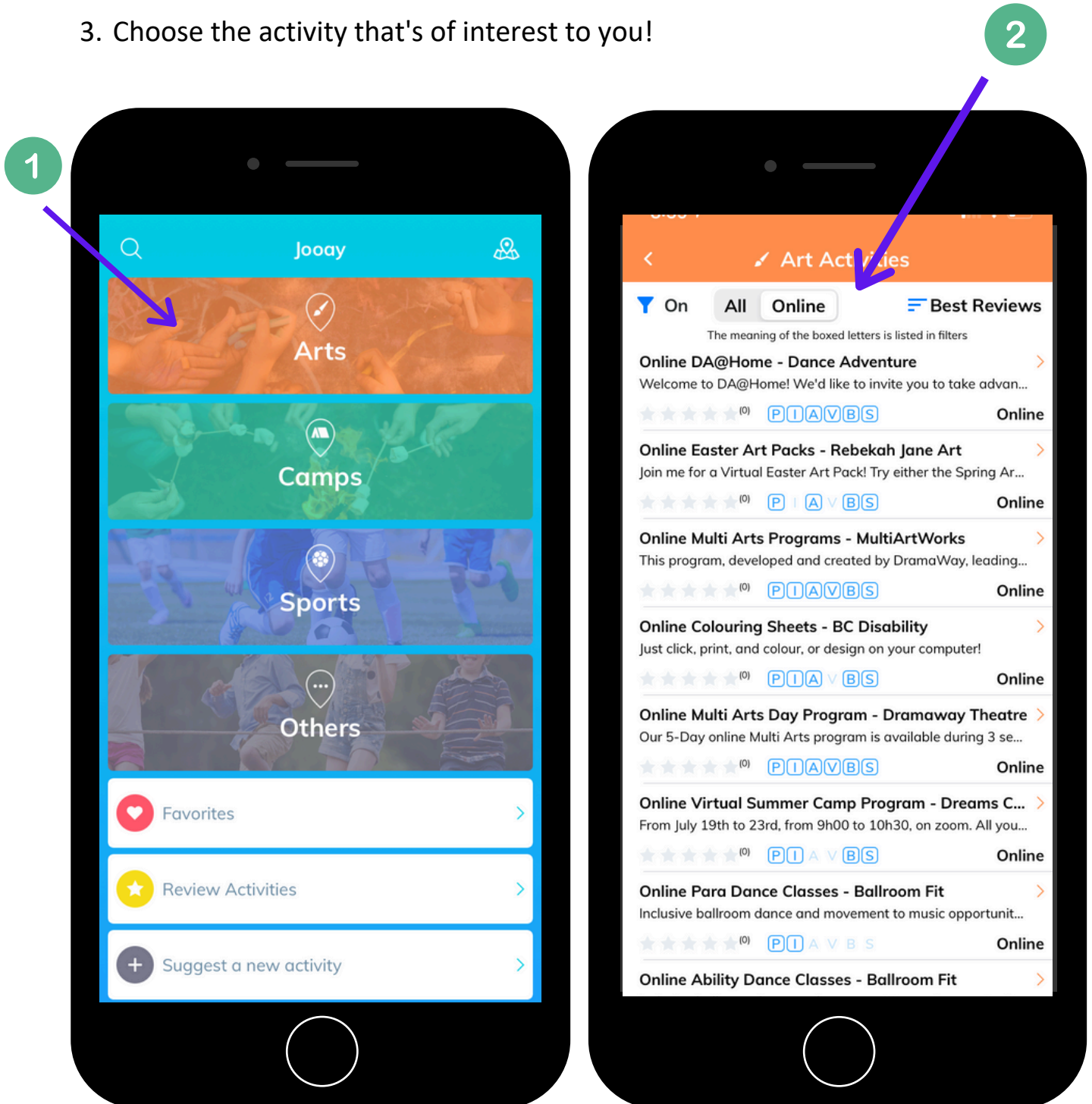
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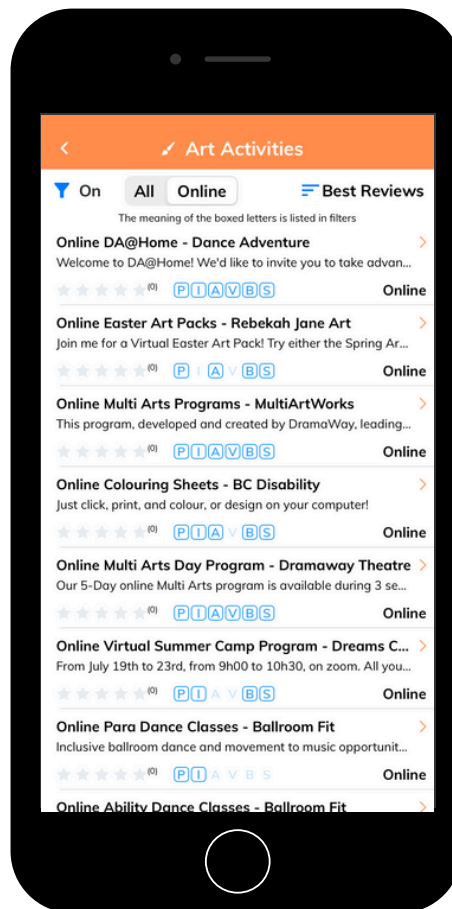
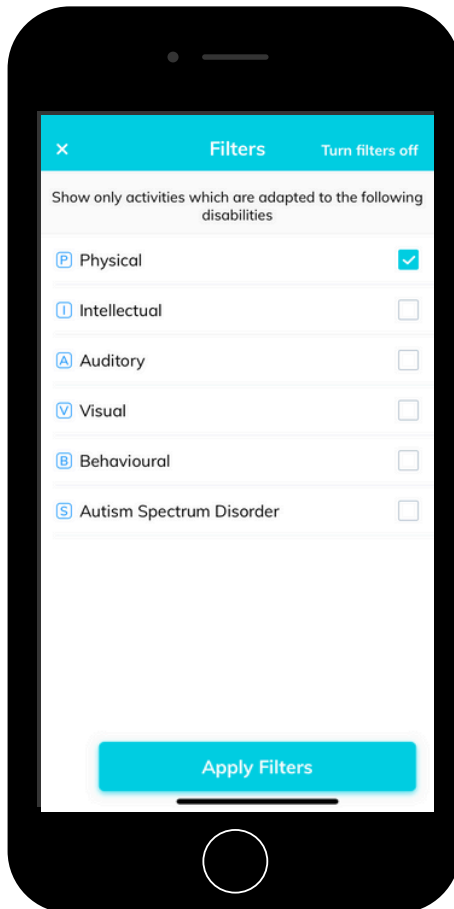
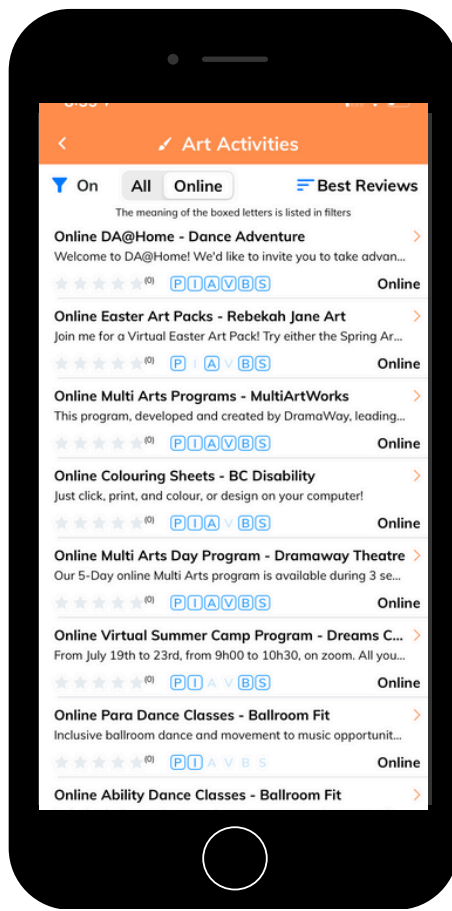
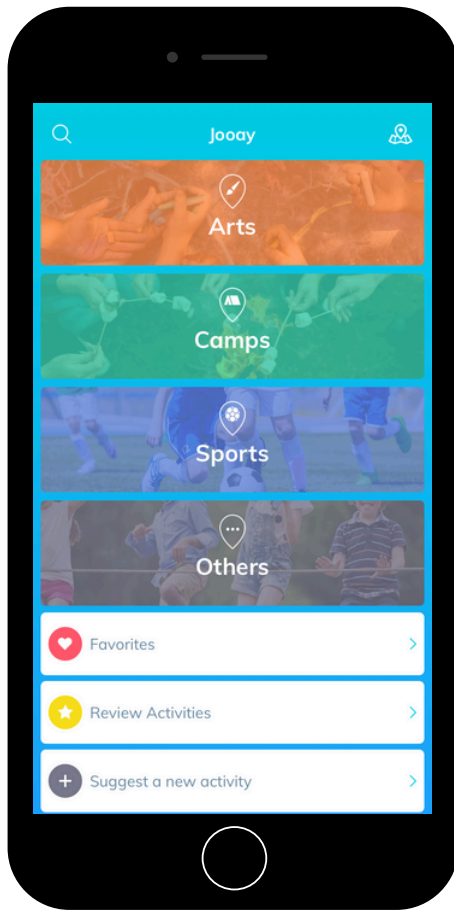
HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF THE JOOAY APP?

Tip #1: SEARCHING FOR ONLINE ACTIVITIES

When viewing an activity in the Jooy app ...

1. Select an option among the activity' categories
2. Select the 'Online' Tab to have access to virtual activities
3. Choose the activity that's of interest to you!





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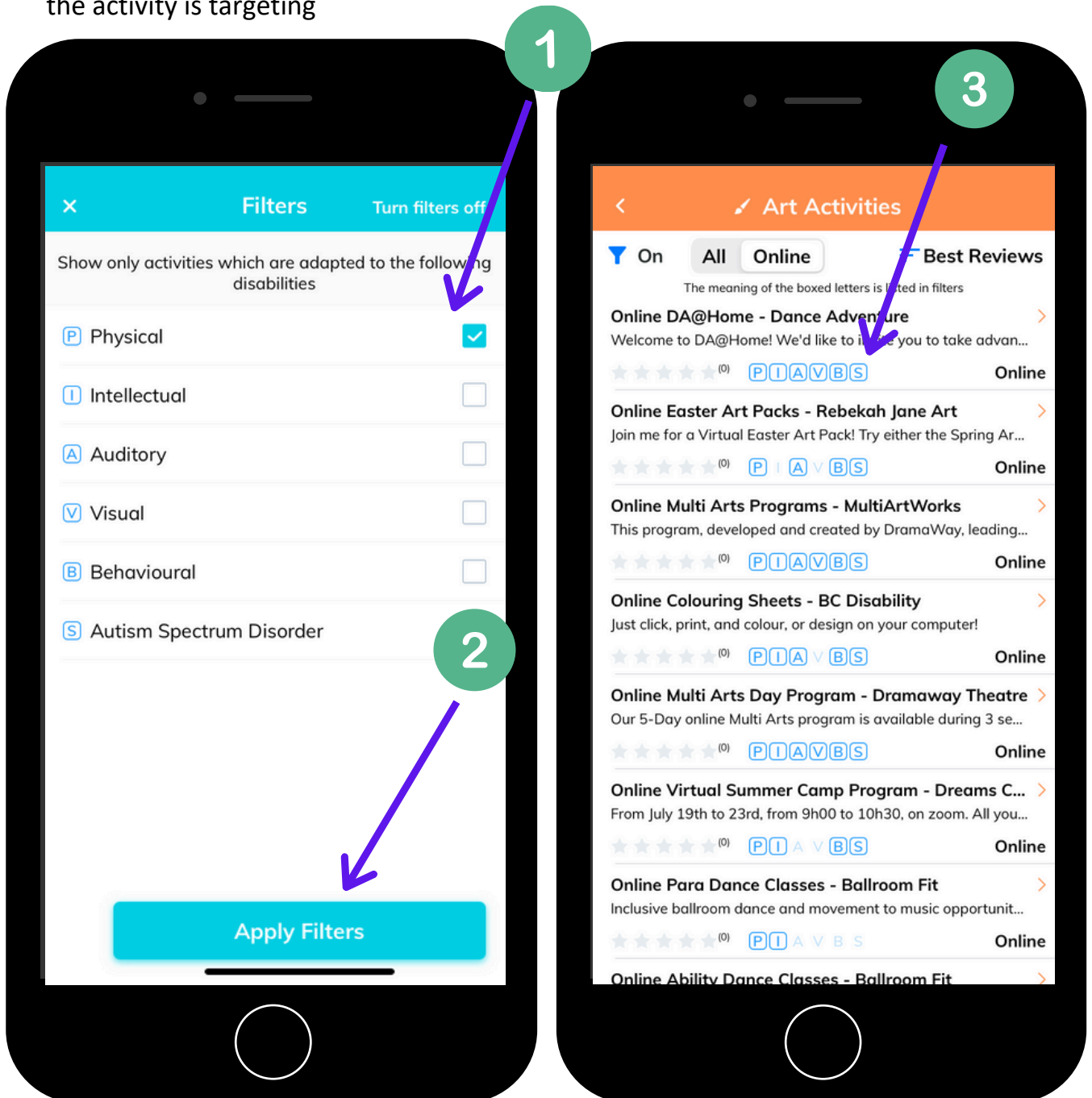
Tip #2: SEARCHING FOR THE TYPE OF SPECIAL NEED

When viewing an activity in the Jooay app ...

1. Select the filter of your choice
2. Click on "Apply Filters"

OR

3. When viewing activities, see the Letters which indicate the type of disability the activity is targeting



July is Disability Pride Month!

July is Disability Pride month and Jooay is here to celebrate all bodies and abilities by connecting you to play and leisure! Celebrate your body by having fun today!



If you have any suggestions for our newsletter please let us know!

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