

The Young Decision Makers Project Model

Young Decision Makers (YDM)

Project: _____

LEGEND

- Completed
- Underway
- Not started

Discussing Issues

- Materials for young people to inform and explore with others.
- Space for exploring and communicating ideas.

Decision Making

- Deciding how we decide.
- YDM positions on topics.
- Defining our voice to others.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH CONSTITUENCY BUILDING

- Choosing how youth participate and/or are chosen as Reps.
- Ensuring Reps consult and represent diverse youth.
- Creating action opportunities to involve other youth.

Inform Policy Makers

- Recommendations to governments, businesses and youth organizations.
- Reporting responses back to members.

Studying Issues

- Identifying the issues related to the topic.
- Gathering research: our own experience, others' experience and science.

WIDESPREAD PARTICIPATION

Action : Child and Youth Programs

- INITIATOR:** Action or idea identified by a young person or organization to explore.
- SUSTAINER:** Acting upon some of the recommendations and evaluating.

SUPPORTS



Sustainers: new action steps

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