

PASSION TO PURPOSE GRANT PROJECT EXAMPLES

TIER 1 (UP TO \$500)

THIS TIER IS FOR SIMPLE COMMUNITY SERVICE IDEAS THAT YOU CAN EXECUTE WITH A FRIEND OR SMALL GROUP OF YOUTH. THESE CAN INCLUDE CREATING A COMMUNITY GARDEN, CARE PACKAGES FOR MARGINALIZED COMMUNITY MEMBERS OR A SCHOOL SPIRIT EVENT TO HELP PROMOTE AWARENESS OF AN ISSUE OR CAUSE.

PROJECT A

We would like to build a community garden at our local YMCA. We noticed that a lot of youth in our neighbourhood do not have many things to do after-school or on the weekends. The garden will be a great way for the youth to get together, learn about food security, gardening, and a way to relax. It could also help keep youth working on something positive. We would plant and harvest the garden and donate what is grown to the local shelter

BUDGET

- Seeds - \$100
- Gardening Tools (*rakes, shovels, watering cans, wheelbarrows*) - \$150
- Wood for fencing - \$150
- Snacks and water for youth working on the garden - \$100

TEAM SIZE

Myself and 3 other youth

PROJECT DATES

April to September

PROJECT B

I want to run a green event at my community centre with the help of my school's green team. We want to teach our locals how to make the change the more ecofriendly products and how to be better at recycling and reusing. Our goal is to have anyone who attends the event learn about where they can find green products and things they can do to reduce their carbon footprint. We hope to have about 80 people attend the workshop.

BUDGET

- Booking a room - \$75
- Food for the workshop participants (*including sandwiches, water, crackers, fruit platters and cookies for about 80 people*) - \$200
- Printing 80 booklets about being more green - \$120
- Decorations for the room - \$50

TEAM SIZE

Our green team has 8 students in it

PROJECT DATES

October 25th

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TIER 2 (UP TO \$1,000)

THIS TIER FOR LARGER COMMUNITY SERVICE IDEAS THAT YOU CAN EXECUTE WITH GROUP OF 5 OR MORE YOUTH. THIS CAN INCLUDE HOSTING ON THE LAND EVENTS, FESTIVALS AND AWARENESS INITIATIVES.

PROJECT A

My brother and I would like to take a few of the youth in our community out on to the land to teach them basic hunting and trapping skills and basic survival skills. We would teach them traditional hunting and trapping that was passed down to us from our grandfather. We also want to show them how to skin the animals and cook the meat. We will be sharing what we hunted with our community and gifting it to our Elders.

BUDGET

- Food and water - \$300
- Snares and traps - \$300
- Oil lamps and oil - \$100
- Tents and first aid kits - \$300

TEAM SIZE

About 8 to 9 of us can go

PROJECT DATES

November to December

PROJECT B

There is a lack of awareness about youth mental health support services. We would like to develop a website that can direct youth to resources and program as well as a portal to connect with other youth who are sharing similar experiences. The site will have links to existing programs and organizations that offer support to youth experiencing mental health concerns. There will also be a chat board and conferencing days for youth to get together and talk to each other about their own lived experiences. We will also be sharing content and videos from youth who would like to share their stories on our website for other youth to help their own self healing journeys.

BUDGET

- Fees for web developer - \$450
- ZOOM conferencing for online get togethers - \$100
- Camera for filming youth stories - \$100
- Editing software for films and content creation - \$150

TEAM SIZE

I will be working with 6 other students from my class

PROJECT DATES

We will be working on the website from January and launching it for February 15th

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TIER 3 (UP TO \$2,000)

THIS TIER FOR HIGH IMPACT COMMUNITY SERVICE IDEAS THAT YOU CAN EXECUTE WITH GROUP OF 7 OR MORE YOUTH. THIS CAN INCLUDE A COMMUNITY INCLUSION FAIR, PREPARING AND PROVIDING MEALS FOR VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY OR LARGE EVENTS.

PROJECT A

My team and I would like to run a music camp for youth with disabilities. There are not many opportunities like this in our community but there is great interest for it. We would invite local musicians and music teachers to host a different instrument a day and talk about their passion for music. We're planning to have about 100 youth participate in the camp.

BUDGET

- Venue - \$300
- Instrument rentals - \$500
- Food & drink - \$200
- Creative materials for activities - \$300
- Honorariums for the workshop leaders (8) - \$800

TEAM SIZE

We will be working in a team of 10 people putting this camp together

PROJECT DATES

September 15th - 20th

PROJECT B

A STEM workshop series for youth in my community. We have a high population of minority and low income households, with many of the youth being between the ages of 10 and 15. Our series will be targeted at this age group, with a science fair and robotics competition at the end of the workshop series. All the workshops and competitions will be free and open to anyone who is interested in participating. My team and I will be working with science and tech teachers to help build the workshop content and judge the competitions.

BUDGET

- Workshop materials (notebooks, pencils, geometry sets, pens) - \$350
- Snacks for workshops (granola bars, water bottles, crackers etc.) - \$150
- Community centre room booking for workshops and competitions - 8 events x \$60 per booking - \$480
- Honorariums for judges and workshop leaders - \$650 (about \$100 each)
- Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners - \$150

TEAM SIZE

12 university students from STEM programs

PROJECT DATES

June to August