



Student Voices Leadership Training Seminars

Need & Overview:

Identified and potential student leaders have more impact when they are trained in the skills of leadership, teambuilding and project execution. **Student Voices** delivers a youth-leadership training model, certified by New York State Education Department as a "**exemplary, research-based, promising practice.**" Student Voices Leadership Training Seminars distill the essential elements of that six-month program into 2 full days that engage elected and potential student leaders in interactive, skill building experiences.

Youth-friendly outcomes include:

- **Basic knowledge of leadership development steps.**
- **Hands-on practice in team building activities.**
- **Facilitation skills for running meetings & break-out groups.**
- **Working framework for "Action Project Design & Delivery."**

Timeline:

Step 1: Selection of site, students & staff liasions

Step 2: Preview session for staff (afternoon before first full day)

Step 3: Full day session #1 (8:30-2:30 or 11:30-5:30)

Step 4: Full day session #2, then wrap with staff participation.

Step 5: Follow-up support for staff & students.

Evaluation:

Ciurczak & Co., Inc. is our contracted evaluator for the project and would assist us in clarifying objectives & performance measurements. <http://www.eval-services.com>

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