

Sharing the Stories

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The Students
Commission
Centre of Excellence for
Youth Engagement

Snapshot Survey

This survey will take you about 30 minutes to fill out. It has 38 questions.

The Engagement Portrait

This survey is about youth engagement. Here is what we think "youth engagement" means:

Youth engagement is the meaningful participation and continuing involvement of a young person in an activity, which has a focus outside of him or herself.

We think youth engagement has four parts:

1. HEAD - thinking, such as learning about the activity, and
2. HEART - feelings, for example, having fun doing the activity, and
3. FEET - spending time doing the activity, and
4. SPIRIT - meaningfulness and connection to other people or a higher power when you are doing the activity.

We believe that there are lots of ways youth can be engaged. Engagement could come from spending time with friends and family, playing music in a band, being on a sports team, volunteering in the community, and lots of other ways.

Since you are doing this survey for an organization or group, please answer the questions based on what you do in the organization or group. This activity could be an event or an ongoing program. Please think about this event/activity when you answer the questions below. There are no right and wrong answers!

SNAP1 Feet

1. Please tell us a little about what YOU do in this event/activity/program:

SNAP1 Feet

For the next two statements, please check ALL of the answers that fit your activity.

2. Where do you usually do this activity?

- At my home
- At my school
- Other (where?)

3. Whom do you usually do it with?

- By myself
- Other youth
- Adults

SNAP1 Feet

The next three questions are more about the **Feet** part of your engagement. Please choose **ONE** answer for each question.

4. How often do you do this activity?

<input type="radio"/> Done it just once	<input type="radio"/> Few times a year	<input type="radio"/> Every month	<input type="radio"/> Few times a month	<input type="radio"/> Once a week	<input type="radio"/> Several days a week
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Confidentiality: Your answers are confidential; only your organization, program and activity will be entered with your answers, not your name.

Consent:

- Your participation in this survey is voluntary. Not participating in the survey won't affect your participation in the program.
- You can choose not to participate at any time until you hand in your survey.
- You can choose not to answer any questions if you do not want to. Leave them blank

5. How long have you been doing it?

<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Just started doing it	1 to 5 months	6 months to 1 year	between 1 and 2 years	2 to 3 years	between 3 and 4 years	4 to 5 years	More than 5 years

6. How much longer do you think you will stay involved?

<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Less than 1 more month	1 to 5 more months	6 months to 1 year	between 1 and 2 more years	2 to 3 more years	between 3 and 4 more years	4 to 5 more years	More than 5 more years

Now we would like to learn about the **Head, Heart, and Spirit** parts of your engagement. Please choose **one** answer that best matches your opinion for each statement below.

SNAP3 Head

<i>About the Head part of your engagement:</i>	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
1. I really focus on this activity when I'm doing it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. I learn new things when I am doing this activity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. I lose track of time when I'm doing this activity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

SNAP4 Heart

<i>About the Heart part of your engagement:</i>	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
1. I enjoy doing this activity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. This activity is an important part of who I am.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. It would be very hard for me to give up this activity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

SNAP5 Spirit

<i>About the Spirit part of your engagement:</i>	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
1. This activity helps give my life meaning.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. This activity connects me to other people.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. This activity helps me connect to something greater than myself.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. I help other people when I do this activity.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

SNAP6 Engaging

1. Overall, I think this activity is very engaging.

<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree

SNAP7 Engagement landscape typology

The Engagement Landscape:

Now we would like to learn about the activity itself. Please choose **one** answer for each question.

1. Does this activity meet at a regular time?

Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
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2. Who leads this activity?

<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Youth by themselves	Mostly Youth	Youth & Adults Equally	Mostly Adults	Adults by themselves

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3. Do youth have to show they are good at this activity before they can join? (e.g., pass an audition or be at a certain skill level)

Yes No

4. In this activity, how many different kinds of things do you do?

One thing A few different things Many different things

5. In general, how many other young people do this activity with you?

I do it by myself With 1-5 other young people With 6-10 other young people With 10-15 other young people With more than 15 other young people

Please choose **one** answer that best matches your opinion for each question below. There are no right or wrong answers!

SNAP8 Qualities

Qualities	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
1. How competitive is this activity (for e.g., is winning an important part of this activity)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. Do youth tend to stay in this activity for a long time?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. Do youth have a chance to learn how to make decisions in this activity?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. Does this activity include youth who are from different groups (for e.g., come from different countries or have different ways of doing things)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. Do other youth look up to people who do this activity?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

6. Do people in this activity cooperate with each other?

Not at all A little Somewhat Quite a bit A lot Does not apply (I do this activity by myself)

SNAP8 Qualities

Qualities	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
7. How much free time do you have in this activity, when you can choose what to do?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8. Do you feel safe when you do this activity?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

9. How much structure and guidance is there in this activity?

Way too little Not enough Just the right amount Too much Way too much

SNAP8 Qualities

Qualities	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot	Does not apply (I do this activity by myself)
10. If you do this activity with other people, how supportive and caring are these people?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
11. Do you feel included by other people in this activity?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
12. If you do this activity with other people, do these people show positive values?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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SNAP8 Qualities

Qualities	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot
13. Do you think you can get things done in this activity and make positive things happen?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
14. Are there opportunities for you to learn new things in this activity?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
15. Is involvement in this activity connected to your family, school, or community?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

16. If there is anything else you'd like to tell us about this activity, please write it in this box.

Your Feedback

If you would like to, please give us your feedback, suggestions, comments on this survey/tool.

Organization:

Program:

Activity: