



Mindtrust Leadership

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YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The Mindtrust Youth Leadership Program (YLP) builds on the 20-year history of the very successful Mindtrust leadership programs for youth, with more than 1,200 total graduates. YLP responds to the need to develop **next generation leaders** and is intended for **young, impact-driven**, and **demonstrated** leaders with an interest in the **future of leadership**. YLP has been delivered fourteen times since early 2020 in collaboration with local community organizations.

FALL 2024 PROGRAMS

YLP-17 (Intensive Format)

Date	Time	Title & Topics	Location
Launch Session			
Tuesday, October 22 nd	12:30pm – 4:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leadership from Within• Personal Core Values• Leadership & Personal Style• Social Style Assessment• Working & Communicating with Others	In Person (TBA)
Part 1: Decision-Making Frameworks			
Wednesday, October 23 rd	12:30pm – 4:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Effective Decision-Making Skills Part 2: Measuring Outcomes & Impact <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identifying the Problem & Context• Evaluating Performance	In Person (TBA)
Graduation Session			
Thursday, October 24 th	12:30pm – 4:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation of Personal Leadership Statements• Small Group & Individual Discussions with Community Leaders	In Person (TBA)

YLP-18 (Monday Evenings)

Date	Time	Title & Topics	Location
Monday, October 21 st	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Launch Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership from Within 	In Person (Bayview Yards)
Monday, October 28 th	5:30pm – 7:30pm	The Leader in You <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Core Values 	Online (Zoom)
Monday, November 4 th	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Leadership & Personal Style <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Style Assessment • Working & Communicating with Others 	Online (Zoom)
Monday, November 11 th	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Decision Making Frameworks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Decision-Making Skills 	Online (Zoom)
Monday, November 18 th	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Measuring Outcomes & Impact <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying the Problem & Context • Evaluating Performance 	Online (Zoom)
Monday, November 25 th	5:30pm – 7:30pm	Graduation Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of Personal Leadership Statements • Small Group & Individual Discussions with Community Leaders 	In Person (TBA)

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ):

1. Why should you consider the Mindtrust Youth Leadership Program?

Throughout the program, you will expand your leadership skills and be encouraged to consider the impact that you can have as a leader throughout your own leadership journey. The program will allow you to engage directly with other youth, from a variety of backgrounds, that have an interest in developing their leadership skills, and to extend your network through discussions with community leaders acting as mentors for the program (Mindtrust Leaders).

2. Where will the Youth Leadership Program be held?

The YLP-17 cohort of the program will be held fully in-person (Location TBA). The YLP-18 cohort will be held in a mixed format, with the Launch Session at Bayview Yards, followed by 4 online sessions (Zoom), with the Graduation Session also held in person (Location TBA).

3. How much does it cost?

The normal fee to attend is \$375 per person. **However, the fee will be waived** for residents of Ottawa due to the generous support of our community partners.

**Transportation to in-person sessions will not be covered.*

4. How many people will be admitted to the Program? Who is eligible?

There are 15 spots available to young leaders between 16 and 29 years of age. Preference will be given to those who are from disadvantaged/racialized communities.

5. What is Mindtrust?

Mindtrust is a not-for-profit corporation (charity) based in Ottawa, with the following mission:

Mindtrust brings together youth leaders in the local community to learn, share experiences and support one another in the pursuit of leadership excellence.

Note: The program is currently offered in English exclusively.

