

YPIJC

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Youth Philanthropy Initiative, of Johnson County (YPIJC) is the first countywide youth leadership program focused on inspiring excellence in young people. The program equips young people with opportunities, resources, mentors, and tools to solve serious community issues while developing a lifelong commitment to philanthropy.

FOUR PILLARS

- 1 SERVICE
- 2 LEADERSHIP
- 3 CITIZENSHIP
- 4 GRANT MAKING



YPIJC IS A
PROGRAM
OF ...

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CONNECTING PEOPLE WHO CARE
WITH CAUSES THAT MATTER

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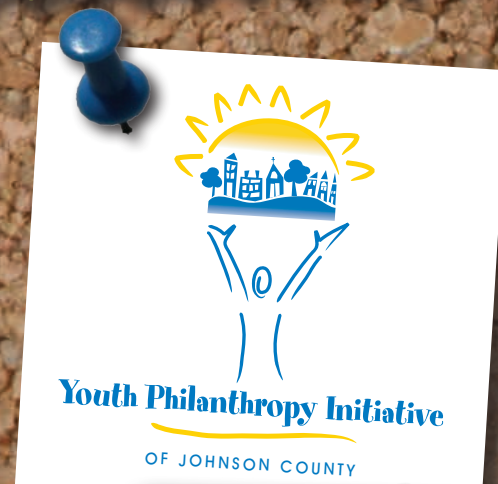
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YPIJC Mission --
Empower young
people as community
leaders who give
their time, talent
and treasure for the
common good.

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YOUTH PHILANTHROPY INITIATIVE OF JOHNSON COUNTY

GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

The Youth Philanthropy Initiative of Johnson County provides grant money for youth-led service projects. YPIJC grants range between \$50 and \$500.

Grants are awarded to 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations and other groups including community organizations, schools, classrooms, religious organizations and youth groups for projects that:

- ➔ Are youth-led from writing the proposal to implementation of the project (Required)
- ➔ Address a serious community need in Johnson County (Required)
- ➔ Bring together diverse people and organizations
- ➔ Have a learning component on philanthropy
- ➔ Increase the development assets of young people



*YPIJC Vision --
That young people
from all walks of life
in Johnson County
will develop leadership
skills and become
aware, educated and
actively involved in
philanthropy.*

The YPIJC Action Board serves as the grant review panel as well as the YPIJC program board of directors. The YPIJC Action Board is comprised of youth and adult members who work together to promote and execute the YPIJC program.

Grant Applications are available on the Johnson County Community Foundation's website at www.jccf.org.



YOUTH PHILANTHROPY

Students from all over Johnson County are getting involved in philanthropy, leadership, citizenship, grant making and community service. Students are taking action through:

- ➔ **Leadership** — Youth across the county serve on a countywide Action Board that makes critical decisions about funding youth-led service projects
- ➔ **Grants** — The YPIJC provides grants to youth led service projects in the fall and spring each year. Visit www.jccf.org for an application.
- ➔ **Fund Development** — The YPIJC Action Board leads the charge to ensure that YPIJC has funding for clubs and grant pools by launching innovative campaigns.
- ➔ **Citizenship** — Youth leaders in the community work to connect elected officials and youth on addressing serious issues in our community.
- ➔ **Service** — Walking the talk, Johnson County youth are involved in developing and implementing a service project to address a serious community need.