

Youth-Friendly North Shore Youth Action Grants Evaluation Criteria

To ensure your application is successful, make sure it includes the following:

MANDATORY CRITERIA

- Your project should aim to improve safety, accessibility, belonging, or community connectedness for different groups of young people.
- Address at least one of the key suggestions from the WelcoME report.
- Take place within the geographic boundaries of North or West Vancouver.
- Finish before March 31, 2026.
- Have the support of a responsible adult or organization.
- If changing physical or digital spaces, get written support from the hosting organization.

Once your project meets all these criteria, it will be evaluated based on its impact and benefits. Here's what reviewers will consider:

SCORING CRITERIA

- Does it enhance a sense of belonging and inclusion for young people?
- Does it involve youth from diverse backgrounds?
- Does it respect youth's autonomy, decision-making, and civic engagement?
- Does it include dialogue or advocacy with local government leaders or stakeholders?
- Does it strengthen relationships among youth or between youth and caring adults?
- Are the project's outcomes outlined and impactful for both youth and the community?
- Does it leave a lasting legacy?