

YMCA of SWO Project North Questionnaire

This questionnaire is to be filled out by the youth registering for the Project North program. This is the first step of the application process, followed by an interview to be booked between June 29th and July 3rd, 2026. These questions will help us build rapport with our participants and give the Project North leadership team direction to shape the program with the voice of the participants. There are no minimum word counts or limits to this questionnaire; we only ask that you answer all the questions and give as much insight as you are comfortable with sharing. After completion, please send this to Maggie Calderone @ maggie.calderone@ymcaswo.ca . If you have any questions about the program, contact Maggie Calderone by email or phone – 226 919 7844

Name:		Age and grade:	
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1. What interests you about joining the Project North Program?



2. Out of our 7 program components; Philanthropy, Community Service, Fitness, Leadership, Conflict Resolution, Cultural Awareness, Healthy and Physical Activity Promotion

- a) Which component would you say you are skilled in or knowledgeable of? Why?
- b) Which component would you be most interested in focusing on during the program? Why?

3. Though we are not guaranteed to travel in 2026, Project North has been involved with trips across Canada and within Ontario in previous years.

- a) Are you interested in traveling with the program? Yes No
- b) If so, what about travelling would you be most excited about?
- c) Have you traveled out of the province before? Yes No
- d) Would there be limitations for you to travel on an overnight trip (4-7 days)?



4. There will be many opportunities to volunteer in the community. Do you have any experience with volunteering? Please explain;

- a) Where have you volunteered?
- b) What type of volunteering have you completed?

5. What would you say you are passionate about (this could be anything). Areas of examples: hobbies, school, volunteerism, learning, etc. And why?



6. Do you foresee any conflicts to attend program during the week for regular program (Mon and Tues 4-6pm) or the occasional weekend during community events (once monthly)? If so, what other commitments do you have? (examples: school clubs, jobs, home responsibilities such as babysitting siblings/family)

7. Project North runs through the summer and into the Fall of 2026, and we know plans may change due to school, work, and next chapters.

- a) Are you in grade 12 or 12x? Yes No (If no, you can skip this question)
- b) What are your plans in the Fall? If there are new commitments, will this effect your participation during the Project North program?



8. Is there anything else you would like us to know about yourself?

All questionnaires will be reviewed prior to the interview process

