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LEADERSHIP COLLECTIVE

Youth Leadership Calendar

Term 4, 2025

Keen to develop your leadership skills?

Scan the QR code to visit the Youth and Family Services website to check out upcoming opportunities.

2026 National Youth Parliament YMCA

150 motivated young Australians - one from every federal electorate - will be selected for a five-day Youth Parliament in Canberra in August 2026. You don't need to have any experience - just a desire to represent your community.

Cost: Free - all travel expenses to Canberra paid

Eligibility: Young people who will be aged 16 or 17 in August 2026

Applications close: 21 November 2025



Public Speaking Level 2 Greater Dandenong Youth Services

Want to upgrade your public speaking skills? Come along to this workshop to learn how to influence an audience and receive feedback in real time. Delivered by Kizzy Okoukoni.

Date: Tuesday 20 January 2026

Time: 5.30pm-7.30pm

Location: Dandenong Civic Centre

Cost: \$5

Young Leaders Program 2026 Greater Dandenong Youth Services

This program provides a unique opportunity for participants to develop leadership skills, and plan and deliver community projects.

Eligibility: People aged 16 - 25 with a connection to the City of Greater Dandenong

Applications open: November 2025

Cost: Free

Youth Brains Trust Australian Youth Affairs Coalition

Sign up to be member of the Youth Brains Trust to take part in training, consultations, surveys, research projects and leadership opportunities. Through monthly alerts you'll be updated on opportunities to develop your confidence, skills and advocacy.

Location: Online, anytime

Cost: Free

Volunteer Facilitator Training United Nations Youth Australia

Volunteer facilitators engage high-school students through peer-to-peer education, exploring global issues.

Eligibility: Young people 16 - 25 who have finished high school

Location: Sign up online

2026 Australian Government Youth Advisory Groups Office for Youth

This is an opportunity for you to work with Commonwealth departments to provide advice on the issues that matter to you.

Eligibility: Young people 12 - 25

Applications close: 26 October 2025

Free Youth Leadership Courses Legacy Youth Leadership

Access four free leadership programs: Time, Money, Voice and Vote. Programs include videos, virtual activities, and mentorship opportunities.

Location: Online, anytime

Cost: Free



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