

Green Bay Young Life Start Up Menu

Phase 1: Orientation & Initiation

Initiation:

⇒ An interested adult contacts an Area or Regional Office about the possibility of Young Life's ministry to adolescents in their school or community.

Information:

⇒ Hold (3) meetings with Christian adults from different church traditions to present and discuss the ministry with 15 families.

Partner Area:

⇒ A nearby area is determined by YL to assist the development of the new ministry providing resources for training, programs (club, camp, campaigner) staff, and leadership experience.

Mission Community:

⇒ Form a cabinet of 5 or more Christian families who feel called to bring YL to their community and are committed to:

Prayer: Establish a group of people to join the YLGB Prayer Committee to pray regularly for young people and the resources necessary to carry out the ministry.

Advocacy: Speak on behalf of YL and it's ministry focus in the community.

Giving: Time, talent, and Treasure

Benchmarks:

1. Establish a point person for communicating with Young Life
2. Hold 3 informational meetings
3. Present Young Life information to 15 families
4. Form the Mission Community of 5 or more families "called" to support Young Life ministry.



Phase 2: Leadership & Contact

Recruit:

⇒ 2 volunteers from the community to do initial "contact work" with kids

Training:

- ⇒ Provided by the Partner Area
- ⇒ One veteran leader to assist and guide local leaders getting to know 100 kids
- ⇒ Leadership Training for volunteers

Program Participation:

⇒ Young people and leaders from the new area visit the existing club, camp, and events in the partnering area.

Initiation of Local Club:

⇒ Determined on momentum both with kids and support by adults in the community.

Benchmarks:

1. A volunteer leadership team of 6 people
2. Contact work results: Knowing 100 kids by name in school/community
3. 20 kids regularly participating in Young Life partner area programs

Costs:

Funding for the Start Up phases, which are provided by Area and Regional offices, are estimated below.

Training	\$3,000
Administration (local, regional, & national)	\$6,000

Leaders Cost:

Head Leader Training	\$1,000
Leadership Training Weekend (\$150 x 8)	\$1,200

Other Costs

Sound System	\$1,000
Laptop Computer	\$2,000
LCD Projector	\$1,500
Program & Office Expenses	\$3,500

Total	\$19,200
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