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What is the Youth Voice Creative?

The Youth Voice Creative is a program that brings together young Victorians aged 18 - 25 to build their skill in using creative mediums such as photography, film, sound and writing to elevate their voice and raise awareness on the issues that are important to them.

We want to build a diverse community of young people ready to share their stories, connect with a community of like minded individuals and learn from some amazing industry professionals along the way.

The program involves both in-person and online workshops kicking off with an all inclusive weekend retreat down on the Mornington Peninsula in late March.

Who are we looking for?

We are on the look out for young people who have started on their creative journey, you do not have to have a fully formed talent, just passion and be willing to commit to all of the requirements of the program.

Key Commitments

The key commitments for the program which will run from February - June include:

- **Information Evening:** Online meeting in early March to kick off the program and meet your fellow creatives - **7th March**.
- **Weekend Retreat:** A retreat with your fellow creative members down on the Mornington Peninsula with all transport, food and accommodation provided - **Friday 24th -Sunday 26th March**.
- **Professional Workshops:** 2 online/in-person workshops which will involve professional development in the advocacy and creative spaces dates **TBC**.
- **Creative Piece:** The development of a creative piece to advocate for a topic or theme of your choice.

Will I get paid for my time?

We value the time and talent that young people bring to the program and believe it is important that each creator is compensated accordingly. Each creator will receive a \$500 voucher at the conclusion of the program on a pro-rata basis, based on the active participation in each of the commitments.

Questions?

If you have any further questions about the program please email us at youthvoice@ymca.org.au

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