

WINOOSKI YOUTH - ADULT RESTORATIVE JUSTICE TEAM

The heart of youth-adult partnership is tied to mutual respect, equity in an ongoing exchange of ideas and input, and shared responsibility

Youth - Adult Partnership

Youth-Adult Partnership Takeaways

- Not everyone has the same experiences or opinions.
- Adults have more experience, they can teach youth.
- Youth are more creative, fast-paced, they have new ideas. They have the experience of being a student.

"WE CAN ALL BE TEACHERS AND WE CAN ALL BE STUDENTS"

Restorative Justice

Restorative justice helps develop a culture where everyone's voice is heard and valued and relationships become the cornerstone of the community.

Restorative Justice Takeaway

- If you have hope and love in a community, you can overcome anything. If you have love, you work together. If you have hope, you won't give up easily.

"EVERY NAME AND THE STORY BEHIND IT HAVE A MEANING WHICH MEANS ALL PEOPLE HAVE MEANING AND ALL PEOPLE MATTER."

Youth participatory action research explores issues that affect students and learning. It involves gathering and analyzing data to identify priorities and engaging the community in dialogue to build shared understanding and ownership for the path forward.

Youth Participatory Action Research Takeaways

- Most students feel safe at school.
- Most people feel safe in Winooski.
- The power of listening shows you care.

Youth Participatory Action Research

"IT'S GOOD TO HEAR OTHER PEOPLE'S STORIES BECAUSE YOU NEVER KNOW WHERE THEY'VE BEEN."