

Facilitators Guide

As you know, these are difficult times for young people everywhere:

[International Labour Office Report 2020](#)

"Even before the onset of the pandemic crisis, the social and economic integration of young people was an ongoing challenge. Now, unless urgent action is taken, young people are likely to suffer severe and long-lasting impacts from the pandemic"

[U.N. Youth Envoy](#)

"The major challenges facing youth apart from high unemployment, include inequality, corruption, poverty, cultism, human trafficking, emigration, drug addiction as well as (HIV/AIDS)"

We hope you will be interested to use or commend this new digital Youth Empowerment Resource which has been specially designed for use by individuals, groups or classes of disadvantaged young people, 16-25yrs

The resource has been researched by a multinational team of young people to find some of the most most helpful short video talks songs and inspiring stories linked to the topic

The 20 initial topics have been formatted as Youtube 'playlists' which you can see and try below - we have added our own short introduction and closure videos.

Each topic will take about 50 minutes, so groups or classes need to allow 60-90 minutes for discussion, possibly longer if 'ice breakers*' are to be included.



**WHEN WE TREAT PEOPLE
MERELY AS THEY ARE,
THEY WILL REMAIN AS
THEY ARE.
WHEN WE TREAT PEOPLE
AS IF THEY WERE WHAT
THEY SHOULD BE, THEY
WILL BECOME WHAT
THEY SHOULD BE.**
- THOMAS S. MONSON
www.FamilyStudyJournal.com

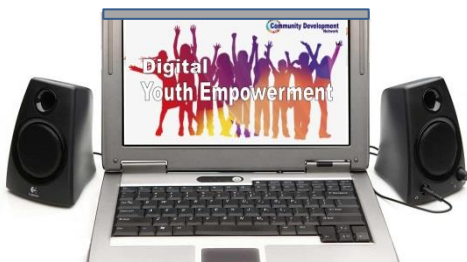
This Resource and Topics can be viewed and used from the Network website
www.communitydevelopment.net

* This website: <https://bridge.edu/tefl/blog/esl-icebreakers/> has a range of suitable icebreaker games and discussions which may be helpful at the start of the first or possibly each session:



It will be helpful to invite discussion or comment at the end or after key items have been shown in each topic

Projection



It is important to be able to show video with sound - ideally using a projector, but a laptop computer, with an amplifier (speakers) may be adequate for a small group

If a projector is available that's great but if not, you could link a smart phone or laptop computer to a Television in several ways: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b04158515vQ&app=desktop> and https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HLE_Qcy3z50





If no projector or TV you can amplify a smart phone screen and sound



Smartphone screen magnifiers

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vDN4a215U9Q>

DIY Screen magnifiers:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Tx4vPeL9y2gY>



This youtube video shows to amplify smartphone sound for small group in different ways - even just with a glass or paper cup! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5RM_rdw9X0A

(Let us know if you use any of these options and they work well!)

Resource Use Feedback

This is a new resource so we would greatly appreciate your feedback on how and where it was used and how helpful the content is.

Please invite participants to rate each topic from

0 = not at all helpful, to 10 = extremely helpful

Feedback and suggestions to improve content also very welcome:

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Members Digital Youth Empowerment

Topics comprises 15-20 short videos 40-50 mins max each

(Mouse over picture and click to access)

 THE BIG PICTURE (THE SDGs)	 YOUTH EMPOWERMENT	 BEING YOUR BEST	 RELATIONSHIPS
 HEALTHCARE	 INTEGRITY	 SOCIAL INCLUSION	 HELPING OTHERS
 SOCIAL SKILLS	 GETTING HEARD	 GENDER EQUALITY	 FOOD and DRINK
 COMPUTERS & INTERNET	 ADDICTIONS	 INTERNET FRIENDS	 SCAMS & FAKE NEWS
 SPORTS TEAMS	 FINDING WORK	 TRADE TRAINING	 START TRADING