Hear from the Students: Youth and Adult Collaboration for Strong Environmental Leadership

Peel Environmental Youth Alliance
Workshop Outline

- Introduction to PEYA
- Youth-Adult Partnership Definition
- Audience Go-Around
- Environmental Education Policy
- Environment in the Curriculum
- Modeling responsible environmental practices
- Communication Solutions
- Stereotypes Activity
- Closing and Questions
Peel Environmental Youth Alliance

Who We Are

The Peel Environmental Youth Alliance (PEYA) is a network of action-oriented students in Peel Region concerned about environmental issues and determined to make positive change!

PEYA:
• Unites students across Peel working to improve the environment in their schools and neighbourhoods
• Provides support to other students and teachers looking to create environmental projects or clubs in their schools
• Organizes fun and effective educational events

PEYA is supported by the environmental education charity, EcoSource, and funded by the Ontario Trillium Foundation
Youth-Adult Partnerships

• Our Definition:
Youth and adults teach one another, learn from one another and act together. Decision making is shared.
Environmental Education Policy

- Our Experience
- The challenges
- What we want for the future
Environment in the Curriculum

• Our Experience
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Modeling responsible environmental practices

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Communication Solutions

- Face to face communication between school administrators, boards and the Ministry of Education
- Environmental education website
Thank you for your participation!
We are pleased to answer questions