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Young Entrepreneur Success

FREE ONLINE EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Learn how to refine a business idea and create a business plan in 6 weeks

BUSINESS MENTORSHIP

Receive mentorship from proven business leaders.

LIVE WORKSHOPS

Participate in hands-on workshops to gain in-depth knowledge on specific business topics.

START-UP FUNDING

Compete to earn up to $30,000 in start-up funding.

INCUBATION

The winner will receive 1-year support to launch their business.

What is the YES! Program?

BizWorld's YES! Program empowers the next generation of aspiring teen entrepreneurs as they explore, test, and launch their businesses. Through our 3-step program, students will create a business plan, participate in our accelerator program, and compete for $30,000 startup funding.

The YES! Program Journey:

PHASE 1 FREE 6 week online program. Registration begins on May 20th.

PHASE 2 Accelerator participants ages 17-19 will be selected on the basis of viability of their business idea, passion, creativity, and desire to change the world. Deadline to submit applications is June 28th.

PHASE 3 Top 5 businesses will present to a panel of VC's for the chance to win $30,000 in startup funding. Event Date is September 12th.

LEARN FROM THE TOP LEADERS IN THE SILICON VALLEY

Our Accelerator program will provide you with the opportunity to engage in one-on-one "virtual mentorship" sessions with top SIlicon Valley Business Leaders and participate in live workshops hosted by the most innovative companies in the Bay Area.

COMPETE FOR SILICON VALLEY VC FUNDING

The top 5 finalist of the YES! Program will compete on stage for the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to pitch their business plans to a panel of investors. The winner of the YES! Competition will receive $30,000 of startup funding and access to our elite entrepreneurial incubator for a year to catapult their success.

KEY DATES

MAY 20TH
Online program registration opens

Young Entrepreneurs from across the country have access to a 6 week online educational experience to help them create a business plan.

JUNE 28TH
Accelerator application deadline

Young Entrepreneurs age 17-19 submit applications to be considered for the YES! Accelerator program.

JULY 10TH
Semi-finalist are selected

Committee selects top 20 Semi-finalist for YES! Accelerator program.

JULY 15TH – AUG 15TH
Hands-on workshops and mentorship begins

Semi-finalists work one on one with mentors to refine their business plan and pitches.

SEPTEMBER 12TH
YES! Funding Competition

Top 5 Finalist compete for up to $30,000 in start-up funding.