



# Yukon Literacy Coalition



This summer, starting June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020, the Yukon Literacy Coalition (YLC) is supporting and offering opportunities and guidance to Yukon youth (12-18 years old) who want to work for themselves. The Yukon Literacy Coalition will help with start-up costs, marketing, budgeting and anything else we can do to make your summer project a success.

If you are a Yukon youth, or the guardian of a Yukon youth and you want to start any kind of business, we can help. You can apply as a group, individually or on behalf of a youth. Business ideas could be a baby-sitting service, lawn-care and mowing, a lemonade stand, detailing cars or painting fences and houses. Or if you're interested in doing community service work or helping people in your neighborhood by doing things like delivering groceries to people in quarantine, doing yard clean-up for elders in your community, brush clean-up, garbage pick-up or anything else that would improve your community we love to help support that as well!

To apply for the program, you will have to follow these two steps:

1. Complete the [application form](#) and submit it to us, either at our office or by completing the online form, which includes who you are and what you want to do.
2. Have a parent or guardian fill out a consent page if you're under 18 years old.

You can pick up a hard copies of all the forms at our office, Suite 207-100 Main St. Whitehorse or you can find a printable copy on our website [www.yukonliteracy.com](http://www.yukonliteracy.com). There are no set start and finish times, but resources are limited so submit your form as soon as possible.

After we have received your completed application form, had a chance to review it and the consent page (if required), a YLC staff member will contact you directly by phone or email if you have been successful in the application. We will work with you to get your project up and running as soon as possible!

Once you've started, we'll put together a plan on how we can keep in touch with you over the summer to help out where we can and track how you're doing. We have a lot of great resources that can help you succeed and also show you how to save, invest and budget any money you earn!

If you have any questions, comments or are looking for additional information on this program, contact Erin McArthur at [erin.mcarthur@yukonliteracy.com](mailto:erin.mcarthur@yukonliteracy.com) or by phone at 867-668-6535.



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Are you applying for yourself, as a group or on behalf of someone?

- Individual
- Group
- Someone Else

What is your full name (if you are a group, please pick one person to be point of contact?)

How old are you?

Under 14

14-17

Over 17

What is your project? Tell us about it! Are you going to be mowing lawns, baby-sitting, running a lemonade stand, dog-walking? There are lots of opportunities out there, be creative!



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Where do you want to work?

What do you need from us? Please be as specific as you can, do you need start-up money? Help with marketing? Figuring out your budget or pricing structure? Tell us what you need and we will help!

How can we contact you? Please give us an email or phone number that we can reach you with.

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## Liability Waiver

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that participation in this Program may expose me to risk, and to any dangers or hazards inherent in the planned activities. The Yukon Literacy Coalition (YLC) cannot guarantee my safety in respect of my participation in this Program. Nor can it control, or plan for each and every circumstance that may occur during my participation in this Program. By participating in this Program, I agree that I am doing so at my own risk. In doing so, I understand that I am voluntarily assuming any risk of harm to myself, and of any loss or damage to my property. By signing this waiver, I waive any claim that I, or anybody claiming through me, might have against YLC as a result of such participation. Should I suffer any harm to myself, or any damage to my property as a result of participating in the Program, even if such harm or damage is caused by the negligence of YLC, I release YLC from any resulting claim that I might have, and I do so on behalf of myself and anybody that might claim through me in any capacity. To the extent that, notwithstanding the above waiver and release, YLC might become liable to me, or to somebody else, on account of my participation in this Program, or on account of not being able to do so, I will fully indemnify YLC for the full amount of any such liability incurred, including its costs of defending itself. This Waiver, Release, and Indemnification Agreement is contractual in nature and does not consist merely of recitals. In this document, "YLC" includes its directors, officers, employees, agents, and assigns. This Agreement is subject to Yukon law and the jurisdiction of the Yukon courts.

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Signature of program participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

If Participant is under the age of majority (18 years old) this section must be filled out.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ as the parent/guardian of the participant named herein hereby agree for the participant, the participant's heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, and successors to the above release.

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Print name of parent/guardian

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Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date