



Hi-County 4-H Camp



Senecas  
  
Mingos



Cherokees  
  
Delawares



Understanding Youth Needs:  
Ages & Stages  
2007

### Tri County Younger 4-H Camp

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# Preview

- Basic Needs of Youth
- Ages and Stages of Youth Development





# Basic Needs of Youth

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- Recognition
- Affection
- Accomplish
- New Experience
- Security





# Basic Needs of Youth

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- Recognition
  - Seeks Status and Recognition
  - Essential for our self-respect & feeling of worth

*Praise*

*Encouragement*





# Basic Needs of Youth

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- Recognition
- Affection
  - Understanding
  - Supportive
  - Caring Adults
  - Family & Friends



Communicate

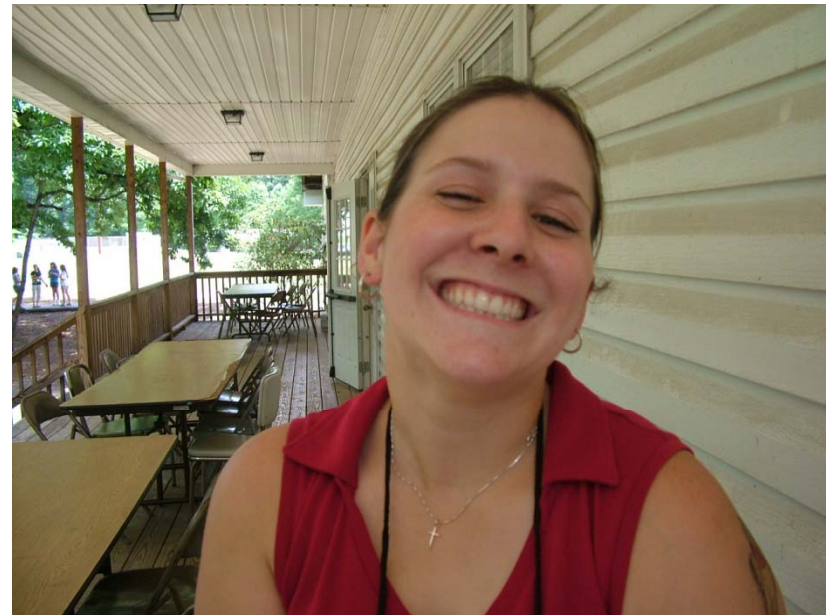
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# Basic Needs of Youth

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- Recognition
- Affection
- **Accomplish**
  - **Tasks & Goals**
  - **Youth Involvement**
    - **Planning, Leading & Evaluating**





# Basic Needs of Youth

- Recognition
- Affection
- Accomplish
- **New Experience**
  - **Adventure**
  - **Excitement**
  - **Challenges**
  - **Educate**





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**Belonging**

**+ Loved**

**+ Accepted**

**= Sense of Protection**





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# Ages & Stages of Youth

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- **Divide** into four groups
- **Assign** each group an *Age Group*

6-8 year olds	9-13 year olds
14-17 year olds	18-21 year olds
- **Brainstorm**

How they grow?	How they learn?
How they interact?	How they react?

AND THE LIST GOES ON...



# Ages & Stages of Youth

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- **Summarize**
- **Distribute** *Ages and Stages* Handout
- **Activity**
  - Develop a craft activity for the assigned age group
- **Group Reports**
  - Age Appropriate
  - Similar
  - Differences



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