

Outer West Community Committee - Youth Activities Fund

Project Summary

Project Name	Pudsey Global Gang
Amount applied for	£1,560
Lead Organisation	Leeds DEC
Ward	Pudsey

Pitch to young people

Do you know you have rights? Do you know what they are? Does every child have rights? Pudsey Global Gang provides a fun and safe space for you to get creative and explore children's rights locally and around the world.

Activities include

- baking with Fairtrade ingredients
- creating and 'selling' footballs as part of a role play game
- creating superhero puppets and dramas about children's rights and responsibilities in Leeds and around the world
- playing games such as pass the parcel about 'Agents of Change' such as Nelson Mandela and Malala Yousafzai who have changed the world for the better
- upcycling items that would normally be thrown away to create something beautiful and useful (make a really funky wallet out of a juice carton to wow your friends!)

Look forward to welcoming you there! Places are limited so book early.

Full details of the project

'Pudsey Global Gang' has been designed especially for the children of Pudsey, with people who understand the needs and experiences of the children. It brings creativity and innovation to local children to help them make local and global connections to their own lives. It is unique in that it will not only provide stimulating and fun activities, but also uses the United Nations Convention of the Rights of the Child to strengthen Leeds as a Child Friendly city and help the children understand every child's right to be treated fairly.

Leeds Development Education Centre is a charity that works with young people in Leeds, raising awareness of a range of issues including inter-cultural understanding, children's rights, sustainable development, and anti-racism using inter-active youth-centred activities. We aim to provide fun and stimulating ways for young people to explore issues that are important for them and make sense of growing up, and living happy lives, in our complex, and sometimes contradictory, world.

Leeds DEC have over 30 years' worth of experience in enabling children to learn about children's rights and global themes in fun, engaging and thought provoking ways. Children attending 'Pudsey Global Gang' will have expert input from Leeds DEC's staff and artist in residence and Southroyd Primary staff to explore issues such as Children's Rights, equality, diversity and fairness using games, crafts, puppetry, photography, drama and cooking.

Children will make posters to promote Pudsey Global Gang around the school and community. We will also send letters home to parents, upload details onto the school website and on the Breeze site.

When will the project run?

Programme 1 from May 2015 - June 2015

Programme 2 from February 2016 – March 2016.

How many young people can attend?

60 children will have the opportunity to meet every week after school hours at Southroyd Primary School (as part of 1 programme delivered in 2015 and another in 2016) to help them make sense of their place in the world and to build a better and fairer world for everyone. 'Pudsey Global Gang' will run for two half term slots for a total of 10 sessions.

Other organisations involved**Financial Information**

How much funding is required?	£1560
Do the group have any funding from somewhere else?	£888.55

Full Breakdown of Costs		
Item	Youth Activities Fund	Other
Co-ordinator time to prepare, set up, deliver and clear up (2.5 hours @ £20 per hour) x 10 sessions	£500.00	
Juice and snack (Fairtrade where possible) £10 per session x 10 sessions Example: See attached Sainsburys quote for £10.80 for fruit and juice for x30 children	£100.00	
Materials £2 per child x 60 children per session x8 sessions. Please note some weeks will cost more than £2 per child and some will be less. £2 is an average. Example: See attached quote for Superhero puppets Total £28.00	£960.00	
Staff time x1 to support sessions 47.5 hours in total		£525.35
Room hire valued at £30 per session x10 sessions		£300 funded by school
Travel to and from Pudsey from Leeds DEC office (15.8 miles x 0.40p/mile x10)		£63.20 funded by Leeds DEC
Total	£1,560.00	

Details of volunteers	The teacher will volunteer for 1hr 30 mins (4.5 hours) x10 sessions = 45 hours (plus 2.5 hours 'set up time'.) Total=47.5 hours x £11.06 = £ 525.35
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Area Support Team Comments