



YFC reaches young people everywhere, working together with the local church and other like-minded partners to raise up lifelong followers of Jesus who lead by their godliness in lifestyle, devotion to the Word of God and prayer, passion for sharing the love of Christ and commitment to social involvement.

WHAT IS YFC CORE?

YFC Core is teams of Christian teenagers with coaches who together, follow Jesus in a way that naturally invites friends to discover Jesus with them.

3Story®: YFC Core is about relational evangelism. 3Story is a way of life that guides followers of Christ to be good news while telling stories of the good news. YFC Core is committed to living and coaching 3Story.

WHY IS YFC CORE IMPORTANT

Teenagers need to meet Jesus. YFC Core is an effective way to mobilize Christian teenagers and adults to reach lost teenagers at a high school, middle school, skate park or other everyday community of teenagers. Students have existing relationships with lost peers and YFC Core equips them to make the most of what God is already doing in those relationships. YFC Core provides an ideal platform for adults with the heart, skills and gifts of mobilizing and discipling others into fruitful ministry.

HOW DOES YFC CORE WORK?

STRUCTURE

YFC Core teams are comprised of teenagers (2 - 12) with a coach who meet weekly. There are three elements that are always included in a team gathering time: Share, Pray, and Discover. These are deliberate disciplines that develop and engage YFC Core teams in their abiding relationships with Jesus and influence of lost friends. These elements are the backbone of how a YFC Core team interacts:

SHARE: teams share with each other what God is teaching them from Scripture, how He is challenging them in their relationship with Himself and in their relationships with their lost friends.

PRAY: teams learn how to talk to God about life and friends, growing in their devotion to a lifestyle of prayer.

DISCOVER: teams discover how God is asking them to influence their lost friends and how that impacts their personal journey of becoming lifelong followers of Jesus. Faith and action are highly valued during this section.

Share, Pray, Discover are deliberate disciplines that develop and engage YFC Core teams in 3Story® living.

THE 5 ESSENTIALS

All YFC ministry sites, including YFC Core sites, are judged by the vitality of the 5 Essentials needed to bring about real change in a young person's life. They include:

WIDESPREAD PRAYER

We deliberately engage lots of Christians to intercede on behalf of the ministry site.

LOVING RELATIONSHIPS

We consistently pursue lost kids & engage them in life-long relationships with Jesus.

FAITHFUL BIBLE TEACHING

We accurately handle Biblical truth, regularly coaching kids to apply it in their lives.

COLLABORATIVE COMMUNITY STRATEGY

We intentionally work together with local churches, agencies and other partners to provide sustainable youth and family ministry.

ADULTS WHO EMPOWER

We strategically develop leaders to reach young people from every people group.