



REACHING YOUNG PEOPLE EVERYWHERE.

2025
**Ministry
Impact
Report**



Camps/Trips

From last fiscal year there was a 23% increase in Camp/Trips attendance and 38% increase in kids who came to Christ from the following year! We are so blessed to be a part of changed lives and reaching young people!

5,374 YOUNG PEOPLE
ATTENDED A
CAMP/TRIP

782 FIRST TIME
DECISIONS
FOR CHRIST

Camps and trip experiences always give students a fresh perspective on what they desire in life. It takes courage to step away from phones and every day struggles back home and step into a space where their ideas are challenged, their worldview is shaped, and a hope about Jesus is given. Students can take simple but big truths from our camp experiences:

"I never realized the enemy is trying to mess our lives up; I used to think God made any bad thing happen in my life."

- ALLAN

"Winter Camp helped me realize that God isn't scared of my mess or my past; I can come to him when I am hurting or in trouble."

- XIMENA

Reaching Young People Everywhere

Youth For Christ National Service Center

The YFC National Service Center is dedicated to providing the training, capacity building and resources to strengthen and support YFC Chapters across the nation. YFC Chapters continue to be at the forefront of youth ministry, establishing themselves as community leaders who reach youth in innovative and non-traditional settings.

93 NEW
MINISTRY
SITES ADDED

1,283 TOTAL
MINISTRY
SITES

7% INCREASE

CAMPUS LIFE | CAMPUS LIFE MILITARY | CITY LIFE | DEAF TEEN QUEST | JUVENILE JUSTICE MINISTRY | PARENT LIFE



Celebrating God's Faithfulness

Ministry sites have been added, first-time decisions for Christ have increased, and kids sharing their faith has jumped. God is doing something amazing in and through this generation. Young people are more open than ever to exploring their beliefs. They are inclined to the things of faith and we are humbled to be able to introduce them to Jesus and be a part of their faith journey.

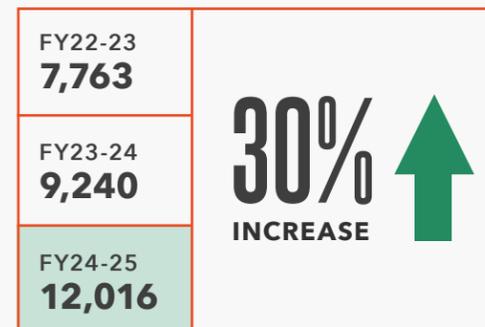
To God alone goes the glory. Together with you, we can't wait to see what the future brings.

MINISTRY OUTCOMES

New believing kids who began 3Story® relationships with peers:



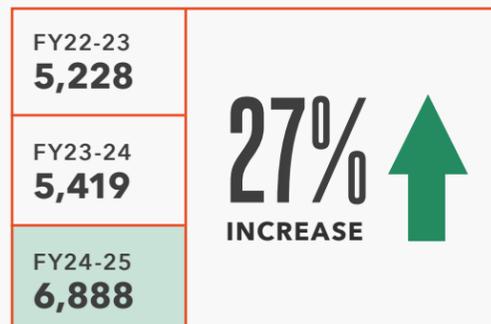
Kids who came to Christ:



Lost kids in authentic Christ-sharing relationships:



Kids who were plugged into a fellowship:



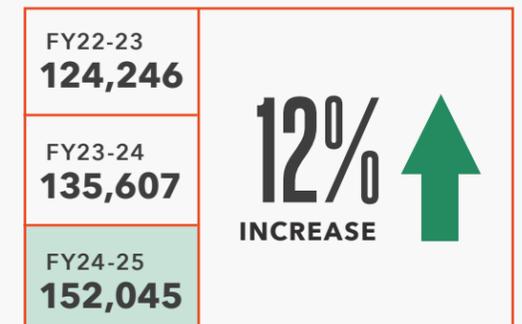
Kids engaged in discipleship:



Kids in conversation with a leader:



Kids who shared their name with a YFC leader:



Kids who were plugged into a fellowship:

Fellowship most often means a local church. Because the body of Christ spans multiple generations, a fellowship will sustain them through life -- in a special way beyond YFC.

New believing kids who began 3Story® relationships with peers:

We love when kids who come to Christ ultimately begin to catch a vision for their lost friends. These Young Leaders are the future and a proven part of our growth strategy!

Kids engaged in discipleship:

When kids come to Christ, we engage them in an ongoing discipleship relationship to help them learn how to follow Jesus faithfully.

Kids who came to Christ:

We believe that if we're faithful to put leaders in authentic, Christ-sharing relationships with lost kids, the Holy Spirit will do what only He can do.

Kids in conversations with a leader:

Leaders and kids initiate conversations with each other throughout the year. Conversations help leaders identify lost kids and create opportunities to share Christ.

Lost kids in authentic Christ-sharing relationships:

Our leaders initiate and sustain new 3Story® relationships through the year. Our most important measurement: leaders with lost kids.

Kids who shared their name with a YFC leader:

A concrete measure of the total number of kids connected to YFC ministry.

Rebalance Mental Health Program

Mental health remains one of the most pressing challenges facing today's youth. Rebalance creates space for young people to "Heal and Belong so they can Hear and Believe." The program prioritizes mental, emotional, and spiritual wellbeing, especially for those navigating trauma or adversity. This intentional progression— from healing and belonging to hearing and believing— is foundational to our YFC mission of sharing the Good News of Jesus in a holistic and transformative way.

As of April 2025, 12 YFC chapters are actively participating in the Rebalance pilot program. Program data from these chapters was collected and reviewed in May 2025. In the recent report prepared by the Social Research Lab (SRL) of the University of Northern Colorado, the following findings were noted among others:

PARTICIPANTS AGREED THAT THE REBALANCE PROGRAM HAS

91%

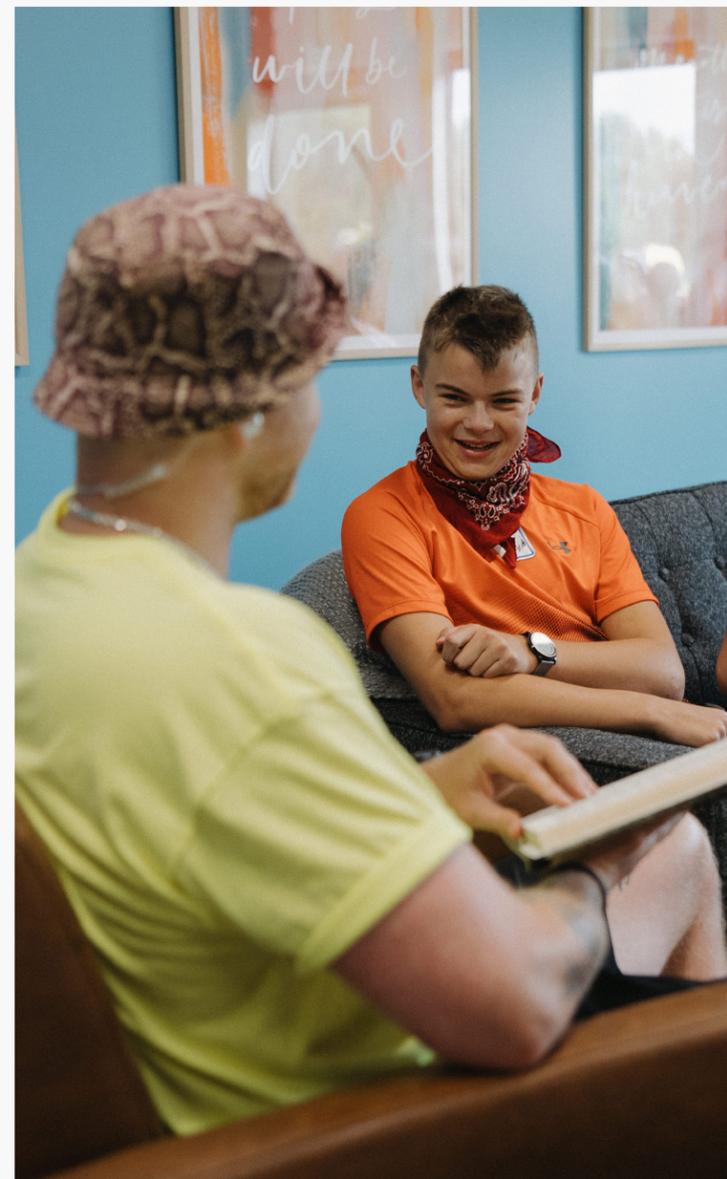
taught them that they are in control of their own thoughts and actions

89%

provided them a trusted adult in their life, that they previously did not have

91%

taught them how their actions may affect others, and how to think through their actions



"We realized that trying to control behavior wasn't working and honestly, it was exhausting. What kids needed wasn't more rules or consequences; they needed tools. Tools for calming their bodies, managing stress, and feeling safe enough to open up. That's where Rebalance became so transformative. Instead of us reacting to behavior, we started teaching kids how to regulate emotions through breathing, and finding calm. When kids learned these practices, it not only reduced conflict, but it opened their hearts. Because when they feel safe, they can finally hear us and more importantly, they can hear about Jesus. These calming practices may look simple, but they're powerful. Breathing and pausing creates space for kids to feel safe. And when we use them in front of kids, they learn without us even saying a word. Children mirror what we model. When mentors, grandparents, parents, or leaders self-regulate, kids learn how to self-regulate. This is discipleship. We show them Jesus' peace through our examples not our words."

Calm adults open the door to calm kids, and calm kids can hear God's voice.



What's Next?

Following data analysis, we anticipate one or more of the following strategic steps:

- **Expanded Piloting:** Additional chapters may be invited to join the pilot in order to validate initial findings and broaden the data set.
- **Scaling the Program:** Early results are promising, and our goal is to continue scaling Rebalance across the broader YFC movement. This includes building infrastructure to support both existing pilot chapters and the onboarding of new ones, along with increased staffing and program resources.
- **Executive Director Training & Support:** We've identified the overall health of chapter leadership as a key factor in program success. In response, we will introduce focused training for Executive Directors, emphasizing entrepreneurial leadership, strategic resourcing, and grant acquisition. This initiative will empower leaders to secure sustainable funding beyond traditional donations.



TOGETHER WE CAN REACH ONE MORE!

- Pray
- Volunteer
- Be an Ambassador
- Give



SCAN FOR VIDEO

The Power of One

Following the example of his YFC mentor and coach, one humble, courageous young leader gives back by mentoring younger guys from his neighborhood. This is the ripple of God's love—one life transformed, countless more impacted.

Watch this 3-minute video to hear Milly's story and see the power of one mentor standing in the gap for young men.



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