

SG YOUTH PLAN



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



Singapore's youths are curious, capable, and committed to make a difference, but they are growing up amid rapid technological change, economic uncertainty, social fragmentation, and online stresses.

WE ENGAGED MORE THAN 60,000 YOUTHS, WHO TOLD US THAT:

Our youths are proud of Singapore and confident in our future, but want that same confidence for their own future.

They are driven and purposeful, with big dreams for meaningful careers and lives, but they feel pressured in navigating an uncertain and fast-evolving job landscape.

They want deeper, more genuine friendships, stronger family ties, and better mental health and well-being.

They have ideas, energy, and a strong desire to contribute their views and to help shape Singapore.

The **SG Youth Plan** is a whole-of-society roadmap to help young Singaporeans become **Confident**, **Connected**, and **Contributing** citizens. Shaped by youths, for youths, it reflects our collective commitment to **empower youths to become the best versions of themselves**.

The SG Youth Plan outlines more than 20 moves under three pillars of **Confident**, **Connected**, and **Contribute**.

CONFIDENT

Empower youths to navigate uncertainty, build future-ready skills, and strengthen their mental and physical well-being

CAREERS & ASPIRATIONS

NEW

01

Build AI Bilingualism, including a new Vibe Coding festival for youths

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Expand overseas exposure: 17,000 short-term overseas exposure opportunities and 3,000 overseas internships in ASEAN, China, and India annually by 2030

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Create 30,000 Job Taster opportunities annually by 2030, with 10,000 in 2026

05

Expand Mentoring SG to provide 20,000 mentoring opportunities annually by 2030

NEW

02

Adulting 101 programme to empower IHL students to transit to adulthood with confidence



HEALTH & WELL-BEING

NEW

06

New mental well-being and resilience programmes to support youths through key life transitions

NEW

07

Co-create the next bound of sport participation through a youth panel

08

Tackle the mental health impact of social media use

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100% Secondary 3 cohort to be trained in mental resilience and well-being under MOE-OBS Challenge programme by 2030

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Expand youth-centric opportunities for sports and physical well-being in schools and the community



CONNECTED

Empower youths to form meaningful friendships, build stronger family relationships, and find places where they belong

FRIENDS

NEW

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Develop 12 third spaces across Singapore where youths can hang out, pursue interests, make friends, and build community

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Private co-living operators to offer affordable co-living units for youths to experience living independently

NEW

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Provide 20,000 social, hobby, and interest-based opportunities for youths annually by 2030

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Introduce Curiosity Credits with the Self-Help Groups to support youths to discover their passion and interests

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Develop Somerset Belt as a youth precinct by 2028

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Expand the MOE-OBS Challenge Programme to 100% of Secondary 3 cohort by 2030



FAMILY

NEW

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Develop youth-centric family relationship programmes and opportunities for up to 50,000 youths annually by 2030



CONTRIBUTE

Empower youths to make a difference through action, leadership, and voice in national decision-making

ACTION

NEW

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Commit \$20 million to support up to 3,000 youth-led projects over the next 5 years through a new Microgrant and Youth Action Marketplace

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Create 16,000 volunteering opportunities and 2,000 youth leadership development opportunities annually by 2030 through Youth Corps

VOICE

NEW

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Convene a new SG Youth Policy Network to bring together youth civic groups

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Convene the next run of Youth Panels in 2026 on building a youth-friendly city



ENABLERS

Platform, people, and partnerships to support SG Youth Plan implementation

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Launch Discover, a trusted digital compass for every youth in Singapore

NEW

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Launch a new SUSS programme for youth community builders

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Partner corporates, youth and social sector organisations to implement and expand the SG Youth Plan

