



WHAT IS RBC FUTURE LEADERS?

RBC Future Leaders is a high school enrichment, leadership + mentorship program for Indigenous Youth in Grade 10, 11, and 12 who want to develop personal growth, essential leadership, and communication skills through dance.

Participants expand self-knowledge, explore creativity, build confidence, learn healthy personal management tools + techniques, and create connections with a community of Indigenous leaders.

We match youth with a mentor to help them prepare for life after graduation.

Youth learn about their options after high school graduation, explore new opportunities and career paths, both at home and beyond. They travel to Toronto to meet other Future Leaders in person and perform on stage.

A unique approach to career education, leadership development and mentorship.

1 Mentorship + Career Exploration

- Develop a supportive + motivational relationship with a mentor for personal development.
- Receive guidance to encourage youth to see beyond their borders and explore possible opportunities, career paths, goals and dreams.

2 Leadership + Connections

- Youth get to know the leader in them by developing essential leadership skills that increase employability.
- They create connections with a larger community and gain access to a network of Indigenous leaders from across Canada.

3 Extra Trips + Dance

- Work collaboratively towards a final dance performance to be showcased at OLI's Annual Show in May 2023 in Toronto (at Meridian Hall).
- Travel to Toronto, Winnipeg, and OLI Camp to meet other Future Leaders, visit colleges and universities, meet their mentor in person and enjoy a group trip to Wonderland!

4 Additional High School Credit

- Participation in RBC Future Leaders means that youth receive an additional high school credit (over and above the additional credit for OLI Dance).
- Get one step closer to graduating high school.

For more info, head to our website or contact our Senior Program Manager, Queenie!