

YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Concept Overview

Presentation to The Board of Directors

December 12, 2023



Problem Statement

Vision Together 2025 seeks to create a program to build character, citizenship, critical thinking, and ethical leadership in our young adults while instilling a sense of belonging and commitment to our city and region.

Today many of the building blocks of strong character and positive leadership are hard to find in our society.

Individual experiences of hard work, social responsibility, creating productive change are lost in today's youth. This is true even in Johnstown where common beliefs of self-reliance, initiative, and sense of community are still found. It is a great place to live and bring-up families, yet our youth are choosing to leave to seek opportunities elsewhere.

The consequence of no action is the continued exodus of our next generation of leaders.

Vision

In 2030 Johnstown will be nationally recognized for *Building Leaders* just as Johnstown was nationally known for *making steel* in 1930.

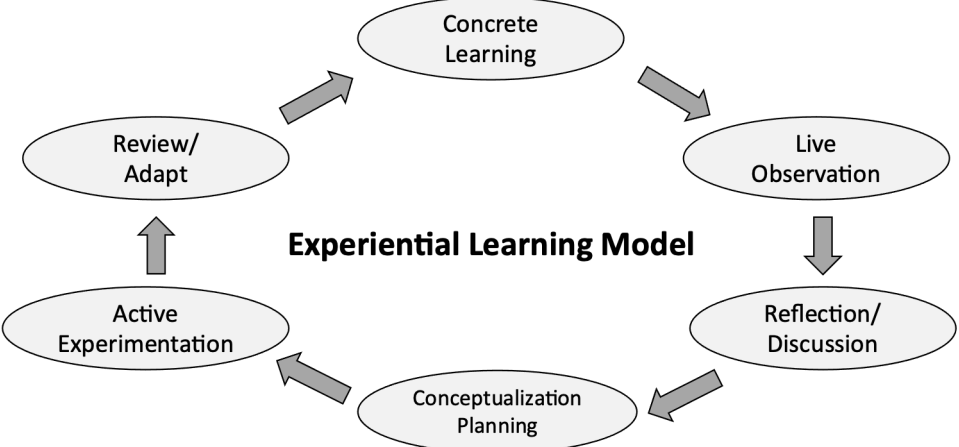
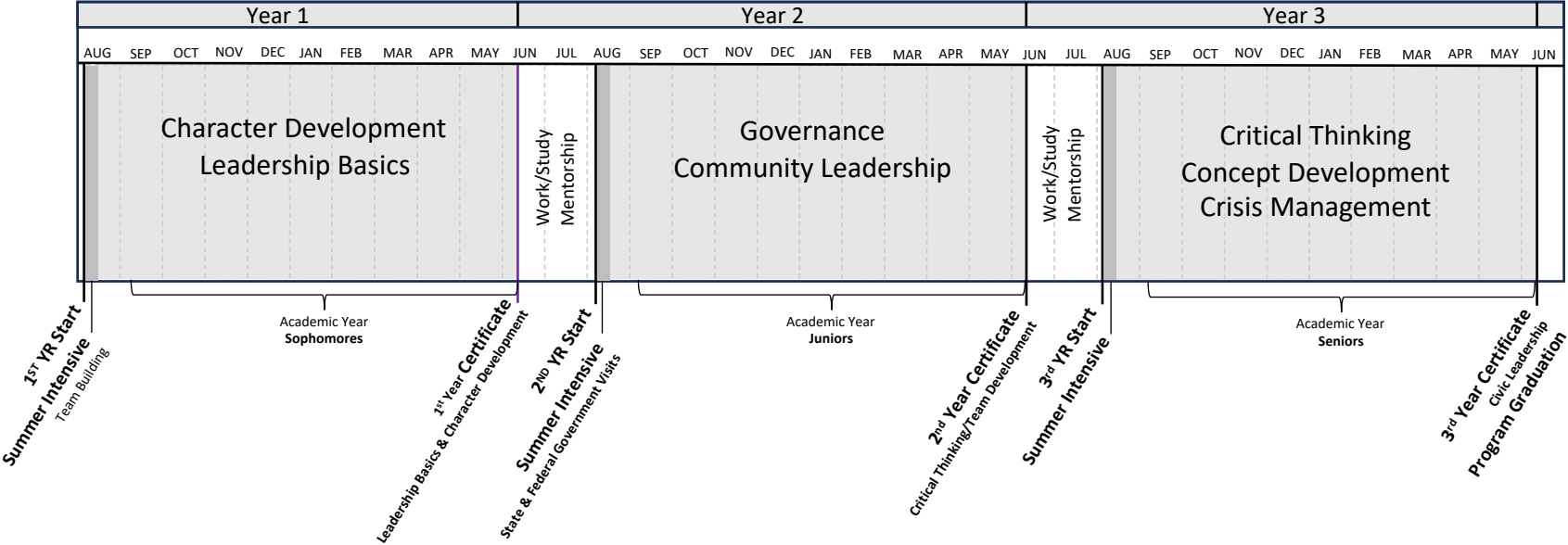
Intent

Establish a service-centered adolescent leadership program
to become better ethically driven leaders
who spearhead positive change and prosperity.

Mission Statement

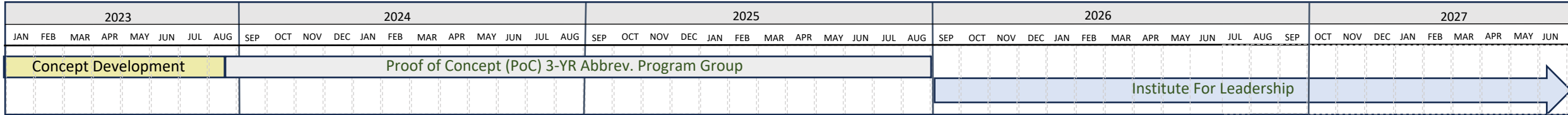
To be determined from feedback from Executive Board and
the Board of Directors

Three-Year Curriculum



“Way Forward” POAM

(Plan of Action with Milestones)



Decision to Est. Institute

Institute for Leadership start

