



AUCKLAND PRIMARY SCHOOLS

DREAM AND LEAD CONFERENCE

30TH JULY 2021



Join us and hundreds of other schools in supporting your students to become resilient leaders at the Auckland Dream and Lead Conference 2021.

CEO STATEMENT

Here at YLAA, we believe wholeheartedly in taking care of the youngest members of our community. We love our primary school programs! These passion projects were born from the knowledge that the youngest members of our society have a powerful, important message to share. We are constantly inspired by the local and global voices of youth who consistently demonstrate the power of youth in leading social and environmental change.

Our primary school programs have been designed to nurture young minds, helping them become powerful leaders in their own communities through experiential education. Our programs have been mindfully designed to focus on:

- Confidence
- Creativity
- Resilience
- Communication
- Self-trust

We find that our youngest students are an ever-inspiring cohort who bring a sense of energy and inspiration that can easily dissolve over time as young people encounter the stress of adulthood. We aim to nurture the inner child within every student and help them to understand that their voice matters, and that the impact which they can make on the world by being exactly who they are is profound.

Sincerely,

Wil Massara

Chief Executive Officer & Founder



ABOUT US.

Youth Leadership Academy Australia is a for-youth, by-youth organisation, created with the aim of building a positively sustainable future by equipping the youth of today with the skills to be leaders tomorrow. We empower students to become engaged with their school and community, and to use their voice to create positive change.

85% of students leave school feeling unprepared for the future. Through our events and programs, we are determined to build a platform of incredible youth who have the energy to inspire others. Together as a team, we want to make an impact not only on tomorrow, but for decades to come.

THE EVENT.

Dream and Lead is a one-day, highly engaging event designed to support primary school students in discovering their leadership potential, whilst providing them with strong foundations for success.

Throughout the event, students will participate in purposeful activities developing their problem-solving skills, and increasing confidence and independence. Facilitated by internationally-trained young leaders, students will recognise the impact they can create as a young person.



AGENDA.

9:00AM	Doors Open
9:30AM	Opening of Event Introductions Acknowledgement of Country Defining Leadership
10:00AM	Cultivating Self Confidence as a Young Leader Exploring our leadership style and how to utilise our individual strengths to lead our team and community.
10:30AM	Tap into your Creativity Learning how to use our creativity to solve problems, overcome challenges and stand out as leaders.
11:00AM	Break 1
11:45AM	Nurturing resilience Understanding how to persevere in the face of obstacles and be diligent in leading teams to a common goal.
12:30PM	Communication Fundamentals and Leadership Investigating the different types of communication between leaders and their teams, and how the importance of open and honest interaction.
1:00PM	Break 2
1:45PM	Developing Self Trust Understanding our strengths and weaknesses as leaders and how we can build on those to succeed in leadership and life.
2:30PM	End of Event

TEAM

Our 'For Youth, by Youth' Approach.

Wil Massara founded Youth Leadership Academy Australia at just 15 years old, understanding the problems, struggles and adversities which young people face first-hand. Our 100% for-youth, by-youth leadership team and approach to operations has allowed Youth Leadership Academy Australia to easily build trust and rapport with other young people, ultimately ensuring stronger outcomes for students.

We are committed to ensuring that all youth are equipped with relevant leadership skills and knowledge to build a positively sustainable future. Furthermore, we recognise how the ripple effect of youth teaching youth can achieve this, throughout communities all across Australia and beyond.

FACILITATORS.



Wil Massara

Wil founded his first business at 11, while still in primary school. Now, at 18, he is studying his Masters in Business Administration. Wil is a sought-after speaker, facilitator and consultant for youth program providers Australia-wide.

[Read Wil's full biography.](#)



Heather Miller

Heather is a young visionary leader who has spent the last ten years facilitating youth leadership programs across the globe. Heather is the founder of The Kindness Hub which led her to become an academic at the University of Technology in Sydney Business School.

[Read Heather's full biography.](#)

Register Now.

Nourishing young minds to discover their leadership potential and become engaged students, equipped with the confidence and skills to lead your school community.

\$39 per student

Includes general admission, all course materials, 3-month post event program, access to online leadership platform.

\$10 per teacher

Includes general admission, post-event resources, and post-event report.

\$399 per school group

Includes 11 student tickets and 1 teacher ticket.

There are limited tickets available for this event - so we encourage prompt registration to avoid missing out.

[Learn more & register here](#)



Our Vision: To ensure all young people have access to skills that empower them, regardless of their financial situation.

Our Mission: To build a positively sustainable future through youth leadership and empowerment.

Talk to our team today!

Contact our School Relationships Officer, Laura Leeson, at schools@ylaaus.com or on 0477 327 996 with any enquiries.

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