

TEACHERS' & YOUTH LEADERS' SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDE

This guide provides ideas for how to use and share SYF Funding Opportunities with educators and youth organizations.

As you plan your next trip, keep this guide close. It's a helpful way to explore funding options and start conversations with students and families early on. Please share this information with the student or their parent if cost might be a concern. It's important to provide this information as early as possible during the planning process.

Find sample email templates and scripts on **Page 2**.

BEST PRACTICES FOR DISTRIBUTION



Email the SYF **Programs & Scholarships** PDF to educators and families.



Post in staff break rooms or teacher lounges.



Link on your website or on your social media.



Share when Road Scholarship applications open.



Print for school or group presentations.

SYF KEY MESSAGES

Travel changes young lives for good!

SYTA's research shows that experiential travel – whether local, domestic, or international– can produce impactful results to help young people increase self-confidence, independence, and education about new and different cultures.

SAMPLE EMAIL TEMPLATES**FROM:** Teachers/Youth Leaders**TO:** Other Teachers**SUBJECT:** Sharing a Great Student Travel Scholarship Resource

Hi [Colleague's Name],

Sharing this great resource I came across — a document from the [SYTA Youth Foundation](#) that lists programs and scholarships for student travel. It includes awards for individual students and group trips, plus sponsored programs like DC trips and Broadway experience! You can find all the details and application periods in their [Scholarships and Funding flyer](#).

If you know of students who would benefit from financial support, or are planning travel with your classes, this could be really useful.

All the best,

[Your Name]

FROM: Teachers/Youth Leaders**TO:** Friends, Family, or Network**SUBJECT:** Know a Student Who Wants to Travel?

Hi all,

If you know a student, teacher, or youth group leader planning an educational trip, the SYTA Youth Foundation offers travel programs and scholarships to help make it happen.

Attached is a quick overview. Feel free to forward it to anyone who may benefit.

Let's help more students experience the power of travel!

Best,

[Your Name]

SAMPLE SCRIPTS

"Know someone passionate about student travel? These programs and scholarships make a huge difference."