

Top Tips

- Involve Section leaders with YL training
- Make sure YLs are used appropriately and listened to
- Liaise with schools/Guides/D of E
- Keep in touch with YLs, maintain communication
- Reward YLs
- ESL on District Exec
- External trainers
- Get sponsoring Section Leaders and GSL involved
- Separate training for YL from other Explorer work
- Weekend away
- Invite YLs to District meetings (with bribery if necessary)
- Use change to your advantage
- Talk to others (not only local)
- Try to visit YLs at 'work'
- Present awards in front of section members
- Develop a good YL support team
- Produce a YL manual
- Communicate
- Recognition of achievements in scheme
- Social network not email
- Posted letters (wow I've got post!)
- Regular meetings (drop in)
- Practical skills (learning)
- Treat young people as individual (own needs)
- Run a module alongside an event
- Be flexible
- Deliver modules enthusiastically (fun)
- Getting the right ESL (YL)