

Success Factors that Increase Participation

Community Support

- Build extensive partnerships and networks.
- Encourage broad community support.
- Connect to local culture and values.

Volunteers

- Develop dedicated volunteers.
- Develop strong leaders.

Family Support

- Build supportive relationships with families.
- Invite families to watch or to participate with their children.
- Provide childcare.

Lifestyles

- Model and encourage healthy living.
- Model and teach social responsibility and citizenship values.
- Provide structure and clear expectations for behaviour.

Programming

- Involve youth in decision-making and leadership.
- Develop programs to meet expressed needs and interests.

Transportation

- Provide or subsidize transportation.

Cost

- Provide activities for free, or at a minimal cost.
- Provide appropriate equipment to use for little or no cost.

Facilities

- Maintain consistent access to recreation and school facilities.