



# **Youth Leadership Engagement Project for Minnesota and Ukraine youth**

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1. Bringing international students to local students
2. Bringing local students together
3. Bringing students to the local communities

# **Youth Leadership Engagement**

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**17 students  
ages 13-17**

- Proficient in English



**About Boryspil Youth**

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Eager to learn  
about the Hopkins  
Sister City and  
proud to represent  
Boryspil



# About Boryspil Youth

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Ready to share  
their talents



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## Discovering Leadership



# About Boryspil Youth

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- GOVERNMENT
- COMMUNITY
- EDUCATION
- FAMILY



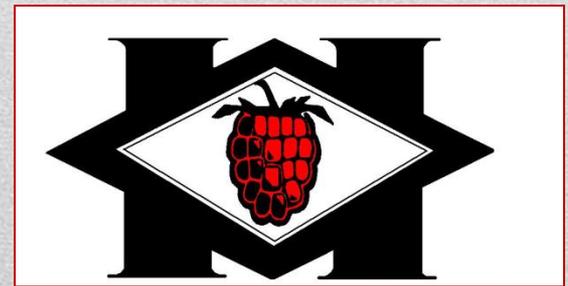
**HOPKINS**

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- Visit City Council Meeting (present at the meeting)
- Visit State Capitol
- Learn about youth council (school and other)
- Youth Forum



# Learn about government and democratic principles



- Participate in the Community Event(s)
- Learn about Depot
- Visit Civic Groups and Service Organizations
- Fundraising Activity (send English books to Ukraine)
- Ukrainian Community Event
- Renaissance Festival ?



# Experience

# the Power of the Community

- Attend Hopkins School(s):
  - Hopkins Senior High
  - North Junior High
- Participate in the afterschool activities (sports, music, drama)
- Visit other educational institutions (UofM, BuzTown, other schools)
- Video Conference with Boryspil five schools



**New impetus for learning**

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- Host Families
  - In or close to Hopkins School District
  - Have children similar age
  - Leaders in the community (Hopkins or other)
- Mentors
  - Civic Leaders, participants of Civic Leadership Exchange Program



# Strong Family Connection

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# SEPTEMBER 15 – OCTOBER 13

- September 18<sup>th</sup> – Hopkins Council Meeting
- SEPTEMBER 26<sup>th</sup> – Boryspil Day
- Week of October 1<sup>st</sup> – Youth Forum
- Week of October 8<sup>th</sup> – Fundraising Event

