



Youth Transition Programming

Youth who have (or are about to) leave the child welfare system are enabled with life-skills training, supports, resources, and the community connections required to successfully transition to independence.

229 youth helped to transition to independent living



Ted & Loretta Rogers Foster Care Transition Program

As children go into foster care for the first time, they are given 'comfort' backpacks filled with toys, games, books, and other items.

108 kids received comfort kits



Camp for Kids

March Break and Summer camp experiences help children develop leadership and social skills, build confidence levels, and enjoy the outdoors while being physically active.

284 kids experienced camp



Holiday Gift Program

Community donors give gifts, clothing, food, gift cards, and monetary donations to help share the cultural holidays with families in Ottawa throughout the year.

1,591 children, youth & families supported



Navigating to High School Graduation

This incredibly effective "Pod Model" learning program introduced during the pandemic continues to provide 'wrap-around' support for youth-in-care and now serves as a learning model for all youth-at-risk across Canada.

301 youth engaged with educators



Dare to Dream Bursaries & Education Funding

Bursaries help remove financial barriers for current and former youth in care so they can pursue their dream of going to college, university, or vocational training programs.

80 students received a bursary or other educational support



Cookie Jar

For those who need immediate financial assistance for essentials, sporting activities and enrichment opportunities.

231 children, youth & families supported



Gender-Based Violence Support

This critical funding ensures children and families affected by or fleeing violence can access urgent safety measures, secure housing, and essentials when they need it most.

4,357 children, youth & families supported

