

**Commission on Children and Families
Youth Commission
WORKPLAN 2008-2009**

GOALS	ACTIVITIES	TARGET POPULATION	TIMELINE	OUTCOME/MEASUREMENT
Develop alternative activities that positively impact youth	Family Day Red Ribbon Teen Summit Teen Idol Project	Students ages 11-18 Universal population	September 2008 October 2008 February 2009 April – May 2009	Amount of information distributed, & amount of tickets returned. Amount of information distributed Number of participants, pre-post surveys Number of participants, information distributed, # of ATOD free youth during event
Provide youth input into decisions made by policy makers	Meet with Full CCF quarterly Present YC information at conferences Partner with community coalitions to design projects that have a youth driven influence	Youth Commission members ages 13-18	On-going	CCF's adoption of YC ideas, recommendations and YC members are part of the decision making process. Conference participants take information back to local communities and design local Youth Commissions Implement Youth Commission Adult/Youth projects i.e.: Minor Compliance Check Window Cling Project.
Support Positive Youth Development for Benton County youth.	Implementation of Teen Outreach Program (TOP) to the Youth Commission Allocate funding to youth-led projects and activities that promote positive youth development.	Youth Commission members ages 13-18 Youth ages 14-18	September 2008-2009 January 2008 – June 2009	YC members will exhibit an increase in school attendance. YC members will show a decrease in anti social behaviors YC members will complete TOP program requirements
Create opportunities to develop and utilize leadership skills	Teen Summit Media Campaign School based projects - Team Building - Workshops	Youth Commission members ages 13-18	Annual	Number of student attending youth summit Number of commercials aired Number of participants, pre-post surveys