



YES!

YOUTH ENERGY SUMMIT

What is YES?

Bring a student team to the Youth Energy Summit (YES) and take part in the Co-opetition challenge to implement energy efficiency and renewable energy projects in your community. These events are brought to you by Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Center, the Southwest Initiative Foundation, and other supporting organizations.

A two-day Summit at Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Center in Spicer, Minn., will educate students about the issues and opportunities of renewable energy, energy conservation, and the environment. Teams begin to shape ideas for an energy action project. Through Summit activities, teams find resources and energy allies, and benefit from team-building opportunities.

The public has the opportunity to get involved by attending the opening and closing events.



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The Summit and Co-opetition are part of SWIF's Renewable Energy Awareness Program (REAP), which helps southwest Minnesota communities and citizens reap the benefits of renewable energy through awareness and education. The Summit and Co-opetition help students develop their science, math and critical-thinking skills, while benefiting and educating their community and schools through the implementation of the energy projects.

