## The Youniversity

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Demographic	Signature Program Title	Signature Program Description
PreK-2	Symphony of Liberation	Students experience community crafted acoustic & hand- held instruments such as the tambourine, shaker, and drum for children and families. The curriculum illustrates art and creativity, music, and making as communicative tools throughout the expansive African Diaspora. Students make instruments and learn the history of rebellion, art, and music.
Elementary	Make Meaning	Students gather to practice dialogue and collectively explore the meanings of: respect, diversity, equity, and justice. Utilizing the principles of making, participants create shared meaning to discuss sensitive matters. An Intergroup Dialogue facilitator will lead students through an array of activities for team and community building, communication through conflict resolution and what it means to listen to each other.
Middle	Spoken Word Spoken Destiny	Students are led through tailored meditations and mindfulness activities to gain comfort and confidence during this writing and esteem workshop series, study and create community-conversation principles, write affirmations in poetic form, and practice public speech and theater skills. This phased approach was created to mitigate social barriers, disseminate misunderstanding and practice affirmations for self-confidence and self-love. All students create a peer pact of accountability to uphold the standard that words have power and that we speak for only for our betterment.
High School	CurioCity™	Students enrolled in the CurioCity <sup>™</sup> program are students with unique perspectives on the society around them. This program is made for trailblazing students, neurodivergent students, and leaders that stand out among their peers. This curriculum, supported by years of research, community

		development experts and grassroot organizations is an opportunity for the leaders of society to learn from the children what a city could look like through a youthful yet informed lens. We discuss the principles of community alongside a curriculum influenced by The People's Institute for Survival and Beyond's Antiracism Guide. Students create policy proposals and connect with mentors to execute their proposal in real-time and gain experience with social work and community development.
Educators   Classroom Providers & Pre-Service Students	Courage in Curricula + Mindfulness Amidst Conflict	Educators are students too, dedicated to life-long learning. Together learning leaders workshop curriculum alongside classroom educators and program developers to craft Sustainable Development Goals, Principles of Anti-racism, and Transformative Culturally Responsive pedagogy into their base curriculum. We utilize Common Core State Standards during our workshop to create powerful lesson plans.
Administration   Learning Leaders	Courage in Curricula EDT. 2 +Operation: Transformation	This edition of Courage in Curricula extrapolates the mission and the embodied values of the school to recreate its tenancy and practices as a school culture. The administration and the Board or District leader participate in the development of the updated vision and mission.
Creative Entrepreneurs	The Basquiat Project: Where Have All the Wildflowers Gone?	Participants study the legend Basquait and the legacy he left for creative catalysts. Reversing the indoctrination of standardized means and measures of intelligence, we work through an exploration of self, develop shared language to discuss the creative's journey, and healing. Using unique tools based in age-old practices the fellows will be able to utilize numerology and astrology, sound therapy, mirror work, yoga & meditation, and affirmation crafting.
Wellness Scholars	Soul Flex	A cohort-style course for wellness scholars interested in yoga principles and the making of a more whole human. Using human design diagrams, Raja yoga and Soul Flex tenants residents of the Soul Flex Fellowship graduate with a 300HR yoga certification granted by The Youniversity.

organization mission enhancement or program scope. Programs can be altered for different grades and demographics through strategic conversation and consideration with partners and a Youniversity facilitator lead.

