

YES Video Resource Guide

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How to use this guide:

The following document serves as a guide to many of the videos available on the YES YouTube channel. Several categories have been identified and videos that fit within that category are listed. A video may be listed in multiple categories; an easy way to find out more about a video is to search the document for its title and discover its other categories. For example, by searching for the video, *Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan*, you will find that it fits in all of the following categories: Hosting Promotion, Host School Stories, Montana, Pakistan, Religion, etc. We suggest that you explore videos within the category that most fits your needs, and pay specific attention to the recommended titles in bold. This guide only lists a selection of videos and many more can be found on the [YES YouTube Channel](#). If you have any difficulty finding a video or need suggestions for a particular topic, please don't hesitate to contact iEARN-USA at yes@us.iearn.org.

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General YES Program Videos

YES Program Promotion

Any video that shares the missions and values of YES and what it is like to be a YES student

- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment](#)
- [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Hiba: What a School Can Learn from An Exchange Student](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Hiba: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Rassi: Lifelong Impact through YES](#)
- [Lincoln: The Lasting Impact of YES](#)
- [Mohab: Lifelong Impact and Personal Growth Through YES](#)
- [Dear Future Student Video by Shadi Madieh](#)
- [Nurin: Mutual Understanding through YES](#)
- [Deaf Students Experience #KLYES](#)
- [A Chance to Know Yourself- Waad Aljaradt](#)
- [Going Home: We're Not Going to Stop!](#)
- [Celebrating ECA Sponsored Programs in Washington DC](#)
- [Youth Exchange and Study Ambassadors](#)
- [YES at 10: A Global Celebration](#)
- [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)

Illustrates Program Goals & Impact

Discusses the influence of YES on students such as an increase in community service, people to people connection, etc.

- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment](#)
- [Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Hiba: What a School Can Learn from An Exchange Student](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Hiba: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Rassi: Lifelong Impact through YES](#)
- [Divan: YES Alumni Engagement and Civic Society](#)
- [Mohab: Lifelong Impact and Personal Growth Through YES](#)
- [Lincoln: The Lasting Impact of YES](#)
- [Everytown, USA: Home Away from Home](#)
- [Going Home: We're Not Going to Stop!](#)
- [Just Do It!](#)
- [Nancy: Enduring Ties with YES Host Families](#)
- [Together: Virtual Exchange by Rada Lazarova](#)

- [80 Million Smiles](#)
- [Game Changer](#)
- [Go Forth and Do Well](#)
- [Power of Silence](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- [Nada Bouker](#)
- [Syed Asad Ali](#)

Host Families

Host Family Promotion

Videos highlighting the importance and benefits to hosting a student

- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Generations of YES](#)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)
- [Just Do It!](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Host a YES Student](#)
- [Become a YES Host Family](#)

Stories about Host Families

Videos that predominantly discuss living with a host family

- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)
- [Just Do It!](#)
- [Nancy: Enduring Ties with YES Host Families](#)
- [Two Brothers](#)
- [Hisham's YES Year](#)
- [#YESAlumni Celebrate Host Moms!](#)
- [YES Digital Storytelling Workshop: ShineON 2017](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Cultural Exposure- Aadil Fahim](#)
- [Your Health First](#)
- [Become a YES Host Family](#)

Non Traditional Placement

Videos discussing living with a non-traditional host family such as single parent or same sex couple

- [Crossing the Bridge](#)
- [Family is Family](#)

- [Merryn](#)

On Program Experiences

Host School Stories

Videos about going to school in the U.S. and the activities students partake in

- [Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment](#)
- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Hiba: What a School Can Learn from An Exchange Student](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Hiba: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Dear Future Student Video by Shadi Madieh](#)
- [This is My America](#)

Holidays & Cultural Events

Video that discuss celebrations of major holidays or cultural events

- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Share Your Life with a YES Exchange Student!](#)

Religion

Videos that discuss religion such as the student's own religion or adapting to living in a host family with a different religion

- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Interfaith Harmony Workshop Video Montage](#)
- [Interfaith Reachout 2017](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)

Pets

Videos about living with and/or adjusting to pets

- [Share Your Life with a YES Exchange Student!](#)
- [This is My America](#)

Students with Disabilities

Videos about the experience of students with disabilities on YES

- [Justin: Inclusivity of YES](#)
- [Edwin's Exchange](#)
- [Deaf Students Experience #KLYES](#)
- [Power of Silence-Digital Storytelling Workshop 2018](#)
- [Game Changer- Digital Storytelling Workshop 2018](#)
- [From Burden to Beauty- Patricia Meche Tamgno](#)
- [YES at 10: A Global Celebration](#)
- [Heartbeat](#)

On Program Stories

Videos about on-program YES stories

- [Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment](#)
- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Mohab: Lifelong Impact and Personal Growth Through YES](#)
- [Dear Future Student Video by Shadi Madieh](#)
- [Share Your Life with a YES Exchange Student!](#)
- [My Exchange Story by Yousaf Qureshi \(YES '17\)](#)
- [The Year Through My Eyes](#)
- [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)

Alumni

Student Reflection & Exchange Experience

Videos with students reflecting on their YES program experience

- [Rassi: Lifelong Impact through YES](#)
- [Mohab: Lifelong Impact and Personal Growth Through YES](#)
- [Nurin: Mutual Understanding through YES](#)
- [Nancy: Enduring Ties with YES Host Families](#)
- [Hisham's YES Year](#)
- [Justin: Inclusivity of YES](#)
- [The YES Man](#)
- [The Year Through My Eyes](#)
- [Don't Fear the Question- Mahmood Mahfoodh](#)
- [Your Health First](#)
- [Heartbeat](#)

- [My Exchange Story by Yousaf Qureshi \(YES '17\)](#)
- [Merryn](#)
- [Together: Virtual Exchange by Rada Lazarova](#)
- [YES Alumni Advice to Students](#)
- [Host a YES Student](#)
- [Youth Exchange and Study Ambassadors](#)
- [Going Home: We're Not Going to Stop!](#)
- [Nada Bouker](#)
- [Syed Asad Ali](#)
- [Family is Family](#)
- [My \[Ex\]Change](#)

YES Talks

Videos featured on YES Talks, where alumni talk about their YES experience.

- [The Ibn Battuta in Me- Mohammed Abu Zaanona](#)
- [Emotional Cartography- Baya Inggas](#)
- [From Burden to Beauty- Patricia Meche Tamgno](#)
- [A Chance to Know Yourself- Waad Aljaradt](#)
- [The Importance of an Opportunity- Umme Kulsoom](#)
- [Beyond Gender - Nesrine Mbarek](#)
- [The Love Awakening- Lili Valtcheva](#)
- [The YES Man- Rubaiyat Rayan Kamal](#)
- [Don't Fear the Question- Mahmood Mahfoodh](#)
- [Cultural Exposure- Aadil Fahim](#)
- [Emotional Cartography- Baya Inggas](#)
- [YOLO \(You Only Live Once\)- Mohana Ramanee Thamilarasu](#)

Alumni Projects

Videos discussing YES alumni activities

Multiple

- Countries
- [YES Gender Parity Specialists Workshop](#)
 - [YES Training of Trainers Workshop 2013 in Bali](#)
 - [YES Training of Trainers](#)
 - [Africa Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
 - [Going Home: We're Not Going to Stop!](#)
 - [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
 - [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)
 - [YES Alumni Association Leader Training](#)
 - [Interfaith Harmony Workshop Video Montage](#)

Bangladesh

- [The YES Man](#)
- [80 Million Smiles](#)

Bulgaria

- [The Love Awakening- Lili Valtcheva](#)
- [Together: Virtual Exchange by Rada Lazarova](#)
- [An Active Change](#)

- Cameroon - [From Burden to Beauty- Patricia Meche Tamgno](#)
- [Ride of Life: Motorcycle Safety in Africa](#)
- Gaza - [The Ability in DisAbility: A 2015 YES Alumni Grant-Funded Project](#)
- Ghana - [ICT Literacy Program](#)
- India - [Pooja](#)
- Indonesia - [Voice the Tsunami Away](#)
- [Rassi: Lifelong Impact through YES](#)
- Jordan - [Connecting Generations](#)
- [Haretna Project by Sarah Varouqa](#)
- Kenya - [Mombasa YES Alumni Project!!!](#)
- [Muoroto Children Support Program by Nzao Franklin](#)
- [Game Changer \(DSW 2018\)](#)
- Kuwait - [Get Up & Do Something by Majd Shiban](#)
- Liberia - [Paving the Way](#)
- [Lincoln: The Lasting Impact of YES](#)
- Macedonia - [Change Reaction](#)
- Mali - [I Can Be the Change, Rural Women in Mali by Kadidia](#)
- Malaysia - [Merryn](#)
- [Divan: YES Alumni Engagement and Civic Society](#)
- Morocco - [Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- Mozambique - [Techlearnogy by Yuran Pereira](#)
- Nigeria - [Power of Silence \(DSW 2018\)](#)
- Pakistan - [The Importance of an Opportunity- Umme Kulsoom](#)
- [YES Alumni Tech Innovation Camp](#)
- Senegal - [Green Spirit](#)
- Sierra Leone - [Sierra Leone YES Alumni Association Tree Planting Dam Project](#)
- Suriname - [Suyan](#)
- Thailand - [Ruslee](#)
- Tunisia - [Go Forth and Do Well \(DSW 2018\)](#)
- Turkey - [Smile: No Child is Left Behind](#)
- Qatar - [Your Health First](#)

Alumni Produced at YES Alumni Workshop

Videos produced by alumni during YES alumni workshops

- Bahrain - [Don't Fear the Question- Mahmood Mahfoodh \(YESTalks\)](#)
- Bangladesh - [Prapti](#)
- [Prince](#)
- [A Childhood Too Short \(DSW 2015\)](#)
- [80 Million Smiles \(DSW 2018\)](#)
- [The YES Man \(YESTalks\)](#)
- Bosnia and Herzegovina - [Family is Family](#)
- Bulgaria - [An Active Change](#)
- [The Love Awakening- Lili Valtcheva \(YESTalks\)](#)
- Cameroon - [Ride of Life: Motorcycle Safety in Africa](#)

- Gaza - [From Burden to Beauty- Patricia Meche Tamgno](#) (YESTalks)
- Gaza - [Escaping Home](#)
- Gaza - [The Ibn Battuta in Me- Mohammed Abu Zaanona](#) (YESTalks)
- Gaza - [Life in Minutes](#)
- Ghana - [Babies or Books](#) (DSW 2013)
- Ghana - [ICT Literacy Program](#) (DSW 2013)
- India - [Cultural Exposure- Aadil Fahim](#) (YESTalks)
- Indonesia - [Emotional Cartography- Baya Inggas](#) (YESTalks)
- Israel (Arab Communities) - [What's Missing from Class?](#)
- Jordan - [Connecting Generations](#)
- Kenya - [Game Changer](#) (DSW 2018)
- Kenya - [The Poor Flowers of Kilifi County](#)
- Kosovo- [Crossing the Bridge](#)
- Lebanon - [YES Gender Parity Specialists Workshop](#)
- Liberia - [Paving the Way](#)
- Macedonia - [Change Reaction](#)
- Macedonia - [My \[Ex\]Change](#)
- Malaysia - [Merryn](#)
- Malaysia - [DARE: Dating Across RacEs](#)
- Malaysia - [YOLO \(You Only Live Once\)- Mohana Ramanee Thamilarasu](#) (YESTalks)
- Mali - [Homeless Champions](#) (DSW 2013)
- Nigeria - [Power of Silence](#) (DSW 2018)
- Nigeria - [From Zeroes to Heroes: Improving Public Education in Nigeria](#)
- Pakistan - [#SaveFloodVictims](#)
- Pakistan - [YES Alumni Tech Innovation Camp](#)
- Pakistan - [The Importance of an Opportunity- Umme Kulsoom](#) (YESTalks)
- Sierra Leone - [Educating Girl Child: Scholarships for Girls in Sierra Leone](#)
- Sierra Leone - [Sierra Leone YES Alumni Association Tree Planting Dam Project](#)
- Suriname - [Just Volunteer!](#)
- Tanzania - [No Mama, No Papa, No School](#)
- Turkey - [Smile: No Child is Left Behind](#)
- Tunisia - [Stay or Go](#)
- Tunisia - [Go Forth and Do Well](#) (DSW 2018)
- Tunisia - [Beyond Gender - Nesrine Mbarek](#) (YESTalks)
- West Bank - [A Chance to Know Yourself- Waad Aljaradt](#) (YESTalks)

Student or Alumni Produced

Videos made by students on program or YES alumni

- Multiple Countries - [YES 15th Anniversary Mashup](#)
- Multiple Countries - [15th Anniversary Around the World](#)
- Bangladesh - [Jarín Tasnim Raisa](#)
- Bosnia and

- Herzegovina - [Fair elections?](#)
- Ghana - [Ruth Acolatse](#)
- India - [Shifa Naaz](#)
- [Shreya Soni](#)
- Indonesia - [Ni Luh Putu Elsy Savitri Dhamayanti](#)
- Jordan - [Haretna Project by Sarah Varouqa](#)
- Kenya - [Mombasa YES Alumni Project!!!](#)
- [Muoroto Children Support Program by Nzao Franklin](#)
- Kuwait - [Get Up & Do Something by Majd Shiban](#)
- Lebanon - [ADA Alumni Testimonial: Nehemiah & Sarah](#)
- Mali - [I Can Be the Change, Rural Women in Mali by Kadidia](#)
- [Mamadou Doucoure](#)
- Mozambique - [Techlearnogy by Yuran Pereira](#)
- Nigeria - [Garba Munkaila](#)
- [ADA Alumni Testimonial: Nehemiah & Sarah](#)
- Pakistan - [The Year Through My Eyes](#)
- [Dance Performance by Americans](#)
- [Summary of IEW 2014](#)
- [My Civic Education Week Story!](#)
- [International Education Week 2016 by Aban M.](#)
- [International Education Week '15 by Nayab Ali](#)
- Qatar - [Your Health First](#)
- Senegal - [Green Spirit](#)
- West Bank - [Education Under Occupation](#)
- [Hisham's YES Year](#)

YES Abroad

Videos about YES Abroad or YES Abroad students

- [Thinking about Applying to NSLI-Y, FLEX Abroad, or YES Abroad?](#)
- [Tips for Applying to YES Abroad and FLEX Abroad](#)
- [Opportunities for Black Youth Abroad: FLEX Abroad and YES Abroad](#)
- [YES Abroad - BEST OF 15 Questions for 15 Years](#)
- [YES Abroad Application Process](#)
- [Your questions about YES Abroad answered](#)
- [YES Abroad India - Dane Liebermann American Abroad of the Month Nomination](#)
- [YES Abroad 15th Anniversary Playlist](#)
- [Youth Exchange and Study Ambassadors](#)
- [YES at 10: A Global Celebration](#)
- [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)

Embassy or ECA Presence

Videos mentioning or featuring ECA, U.S. Embassies, or other forms of U.S. government

- [Senator Lugar on the YES Program's 15th Anniversary](#)

- [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)
- [Youth Exchange and Study Ambassadors](#)
- [Going Home: We're Not Going to Stop!](#)
- [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- [Nada Bouker](#)
- [Syed Asad Ali](#)

Mentions Host State

Videos that discuss what it is like to live in a certain state

- AK - [Share Your Life with a YES Exchange Student!](#)
- AR - [Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#)
- [Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment](#)
- [Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#)
- [Ranya's Exchange Experience](#)
- AZ - [The YES Man- Rubaiyat Rayan Kamal](#)
- [I Perform They Smile by Maysa Tannous](#)
- CA - [Syed Asad Ali](#)
- [Mohab: Lifelong Impact and Personal Growth Through YES](#)
- CO - [I Can Be the Change Rural Women in Mali by Kadidia Samassekou](#)
- IA - [Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange](#) (newest video)
- [Hiba: What a School Can Learn from An Exchange Student](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [Hiba: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange](#) (short 30 second clip)
- [YES Training of Trainers](#)
- [Africa Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- [Home Away from Home](#)
- [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)
- IL - [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- IN - [YES Training of Trainers](#)
- [Heartbeat](#)
- HI - [The Right to Play](#)
- ME - [Let's Talk About Exchange](#)
- MI - [Connecting Generations](#)
- [Let's Do It Together](#)
- MD - [YES Training of Trainers](#)
- [YES at 10: an International Celebration!](#)
- MN - [Life in Minutes](#)
- [YES at 10: an International Celebration!](#)
- [Crossing the Bridge](#)
- MT - [Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan](#)
- NC - [Think of Others by Ahmad Touqan](#)
- NH - [What's Missing from Class?](#)
- [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- NV - [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)
- NY - [Africa Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)

- [YES at 10: an International Celebration!](#)
- [Nada Bouker](#)
- OH - [Nurin: Mutual Understanding through YES](#)
- PA - [Become a YES Host Family](#)
- [Family is Family](#)
- [Green Spirit](#)
- OR - [Field Trip USA! Episode 3 2008](#)
- [A Chance to Know Yourself- Waad Aljaradt](#)
- TN - [YES 10th Anniversary Opening Remarks by Evan Ryan](#)
- [Lincoln: The Lasting Impact of YES](#)
- TX - [Field Trip USA! Episode 3 2008](#)
- [YES at 10: an International Celebration!](#)
- VA - [Get Up & Do Something by Majd Shiban](#)
- WA - [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- WI - [Smile: No Child is Left Behind](#)
- [Just Do It!](#)
- [Middle East Regional Digital Storytelling Workshop](#)
- [My Civic Education Week Story!](#)
- [This is My America](#)

Home Country

Videos that discuss YES program countries

Multiple

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|-----------|--|
| Countries | - YES 15th Anniversary Mashup
- 15th Anniversary Around the World |
| Bulgaria | - This is My America
- Together: Virtual Exchange by Rada Lazarova |
| Egypt | - YES End of Stay 2010 Egypt YouTube HD |
| Gaza | - The Ability in DisAbility: A 2015 YES Alumni Grant-Funded Project |
| Ghana | - Ghanaian students at YES End of Stay
- YES Program Student from Ghana Sings National Anthem |
| India | - India YES Program Students
- Cultural Exposure- Aadil Fahim |
| Indonesia | - YES End of Stay 2010-Indonesia-YouTube-HD |
| Kenya | - YES End of Stay 2010-Kenya-YouTube
- Meet YES Kenya! |
| Kosovo | - Crossing the Bridge |
| Liberia | - Let's Talk About Exchange |
| Malaysia | - YES End-of-Stay 2010 Cultural Evening: Malaysia |
| Mali | - Oumou: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange
- Oumou: What Exchange Students Contribute to a School Environment |

Morocco	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Oumou: The Impact of Foreign Exchange - 2015 GEC Opening Keynote: Cross Cultural Perspectives on Education - Hiba: The Impact of Foreign Exchange (newest video) - Hiba: What a School Can Learn from An Exchange Student (short 30 second clip) - Hiba: The Personal Impact of Student Exchange (short 30 second clip)
Mozambique	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - YES Program 2010-Mozambique-YouTube
Pakistan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Nadeem's Story: YES Exchange Student from Pakistan - The Year Through My Eyes - The Importance of an Opportunity- Umme Kulsoom - Hiba's Interview on That's Gross - Interfaith Dialogue - Dance Performance by Americans - Summary of IEW 2014 - Syed Asad Ali
Philippines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - YES Program 2010-Philippines-YouTube-HD
Saudi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - YES Program 2010-SaudiArabia-YouTube-HD
Senegal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Green Spirit
Thailand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - YES Program End of Stay 2010-Thailand-YouTube
Tunisia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stay or Go - Ranya's Exchange Experience
Turkey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - YES End of Stay 2010-Turkey-YouTube - Home Away from Home
West Bank	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Education Under Occupation - A Chance to Know Yourself- Waad Aljaradt - The Ibn Battuta in Me- Mohammed Abu Zaanona

15th Anniversary

Videos that were made for the YES 15th Anniversary

- [15th Anniversary Around the World](#) - Created in celebration of YES' 15th anniversary, this playlist has short alumni-produced videos capturing each YES country's culture, alumni life, and alumni impact.
- [15th Anniversary Mashup](#) - A 4 minute mashup of all YES 15th Anniversary Around the World videos
- [YES Abroad 15th Anniversary Playlist](#) - YES Abroad alumni from all YES Abroad countries answer 15 questions about their experience.