



STK is a national grass-roots organization building a movement dedicated to alternatives to and the end of the incarceration of all youth and the school to prison pipeline.

Save the Kids Six Step Strategy



Youth Workshops in juvenile detention facilities, community centers, and schools to listen to the needs of youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system.

Public Education to society to share the needs of youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system, including the Annual Transformative Justice Conference and the Annual Hip Hop Activism Conference.

Save the Kids Six Programs Advocacy to defend the needs of youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system, by organizing demonstrations in society, including the National Week of Action Against Incarcerating Youth and the National Week of Action Against School Pushout.

Six Publications include Poetry Behind the Walls, Journal of Hip Hop Studies, and Transformative Justice Journal to promote the needs of youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system.

Transformative Justice to change policies to address the needs of youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system.

Hip Hop Activism to celebrate youth voices to end youth being caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system.

Save the Kids Overview

History

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Was founded in 2009 in New York by four Black youth in a juvenile detention facility.

Philosophy

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Rooted in hip hop activism and transformative justice.

Projects

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Two National Weeks of Action, three publications, Two Annual Conferences, and over twelve regional chapters.

Serving

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Only works with youth caught in or targets of the juvenile justice system. Most often, Save the Kids works with LGBTTQIA Youth, Youth with disabilities, Youth of Color, and Youth that are economically disadvantaged.

Chapters

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Chapters pay annual dues, host one event a month, have two coordinators, have at least four members, participate in monthly conference calls, and participate in national weeks of action and annual conferences.

Board

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A national board of directors that coordinates the programs and projects of Save the Kids.

Save the Kids Key Accomplishments

2008 - Founded the only on going poetry book, Poetry Behind the Walls, dedicated to writing and art by youth incarcerated.

2010 - 1st Hip Hop Music Studio in a juvenile detention facility in the U.S.

2011 - Closed down a juvenile detention facility in NY.

2012 - Founded the National Week of Action Against Incarcerating Youth.

2017 - Ended out of school suspension in Minneapolis.

Save the Kids Financial Support

1. Individual Donations
2. Membership
3. Events
4. Merchandise
4. Grants



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