

2014 Keep The Promise National Student Summit Evaluation – 20 Teachers

Your honest feedback and suggestions are most valuable. Please complete the following evaluation and share your ideas or suggestions.

	Agree	Neutral	Disagree
I have found this summit to be a positive learning experience.	17		
The goals of the summit were clear.	16	2	
My “voice” was heard throughout the summit.	14	3	
This summit made me feel like I could make a difference.	16		

Overall, what part of the summit had the greatest impact on you, why?

- Speaking with different students (7 mentions)
 - Student empowerment/voices (7)
 - Town Hall (4)
 - Danny (3)
 - Café- information (3)
 - Parliament (2)
 - Quality of Summit leadership (1)
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If you could suggest one improvement, what would it be?

- Shorter days – longer Summit (4 mentions)
 - Down-time for kids to think, to process, to visit (4)
 - Opportunity for teachers to meet amongst themselves (3)
 - More time for students to learn about each other (2)
 - More physical activity (2)
 - \$ for costs incurred before arrival (1)
 - More child-friendly speakers
 - More attention to food allergies
 - Age differences – either closer ages or more facilitation to allow better participation
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When you go home what will be the first thing you talk about?

- Sharing info with our school (six mentions)
 - The need to end child poverty and for awareness (2)
 - The experience of being with children from across the country (2)
 - More focus in my courses to research and local conditions (1)
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Food security/breakfast programs
Politicization of students
Danny, king of the Basement
The opportunity for our students
Importance of children's voices
Empty MPs chair
What others are doing
June's quote and picture up in my classroom
The importance of standing up to injustice

What do you plan on doing as a result of this summit?

Follow through with our action plan (8 mentions)
Involve more teachers/principal (5)
Spend more time and resources on local initiatives (4)
Share our learnings with other students, the community, my council, the school admin (3)
Bring the play "Danny" to our school (2)
Newspaper, radio (2)
School display (1)
Provide to our "students in need" so they develop a sense of belonging
Create related lesson plans to share with other teachers
Share through art, poetry, letters, film
Keep in touch with our new friends
Contact our MP to remind him of "the Promise"
Create a "Poverty Awareness Wall" of services in our community
Reaching out to NGOs for grants
Becoming an agent of change

The Canadian Keep The Promise National Summit took place in Ottawa November 17-19, 2014

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