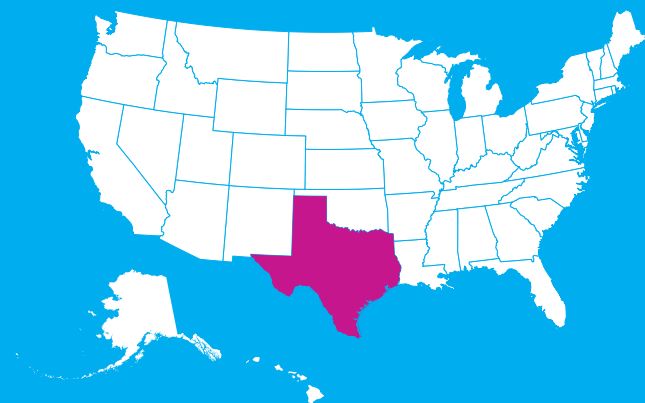




WHY WE NEED TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT



IN THE U.S. TEXAS RANKS:

- 39th** for volunteering
- 44th** for voter registration
- 47th** for overall voter turnout
- 50th** for discussing politics regularly

Texas has one of the **LOWEST** youth (age 18-29) voter turnout rates in the country.

Youth in Texas



32% Texas Youth (age 18-24)
who voted in 2016



23% Overall volunteerism rate
among Texans



35% Overall group participation rate
among Texans



Texas YG Students



82.2% YG students who report that
they will vote regularly



54.2% YG students who are highly
likely to volunteer



74.6% YG students who strongly agree that it is
important to participate in their communities

Our Impact



82.2% vs. 32%

YG students who report they will vote regularly vs. voter turnout among Texans ages 18-24 in 2016



74.6% vs. 35%

YG students who strongly agree that it is important to participate in their communities vs. overall group participation rates among Texans



54.2% vs. 23%

YG students who are highly likely to volunteer vs. overall volunteerism rate among Texans

Data from the Texas YG 2017-2018 Program Impact Survey and the University of Texas at Austin Annette Strauss Institute for Civic Life