Look Up To Cleveland (LookUp) connects high school students to Cleveland and the people, places, and projects moving it forward. They develop leadership skills, learn how to effectively collaborate, and discover ways in which they can contribute to their community right now.

Students develop an appreciation and greater awareness of the local community landscape through interactions with local leaders and experiential tours of significant sites and projects.

Visit Look Up To Cleveland online or contact Evie DuVernay to learn more and apply.
THE LOOKUp DIFFERENCE

The charts below indicate the percentage of participants who agreed or strongly agreed with specific statements before and after the program.

I am able to use information about the community to envision Cleveland’s future.

BEFORE

4%

AFTER

92%

I am able to think critically about how relationships between civic assets, issues, and stakeholders impact the health of the community.

BEFORE

13%

AFTER

92%

DETAILS

The LookUp school year program is offered at no charge thanks to the generous support of local corporations, family foundations, and individuals.

Students must be nominated by their school to participate. Applications are open at www.cleveleads.org/LookUp from April 15 - May 31, 2019.

2020 SCHEDULE

OVERNIGHT RETREAT
October 20-21, 2019

SESSION 1
November 13, 2019

SESSION 2
December 10, 2019

SESSION 3
January 29, 2020

SESSION 4
February 20, 2020

SESSION 5
March 31, 2020

COMMENCEMENT
April 30, 2020

The opening retreat is from 4:30 p.m. on Sunday through 4:30 p.m. on Monday. All other sessions are 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

“Prior to this experience, I never really thought about myself as a leader, but now I feel empowered. I will bring the skills I learned back to my school in order to try to make my own community a better place.”

LOOKUp 2018 PARTICIPANT

“It was great to connect with my peers about the current problems of society and injustice in different communities. Everyone doesn’t have the same problems, but we all go through something.”

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