Open Door Challenge A Weeklong Sample Symposium for Youth (Aged 11 – 26)				
Sunday				
Day	**Time**	**Who**	**Suggested Activities**	**Materials Needed**
Sun.	Half day or more	8 – 16 Adult or College-Age Co-Facilitators for at least 4 age groups or "delegations"	Planning Session for Facilitators	Computer access to printed and online materials; notebooks for planning adaptations
Monday				
Mon.	8:00	All	Breakfast/Registration	Name tags, Sign-in, parent info about pick-up, waivers, emergency forms, etc.
Mon.	9:00	All	Morning Devotional	
	9:30	All	**Open Door Challenge Symposium** **Portal to a Life** Assign Groups	Power point or laptops to access photos and web links for music; appendices with lyrics and vocab lists

Mon.	10:00	Four Groups of Delegates based on Age Levels	**A Portal to the Past and Future**	Servings of milk with nut alternatives
	10:20	In groups	**Open the Door of a Life**	Personal journals. Pens, conflict resolution tool
		All	**Lunch**	
	1:00	All	Caucus (Convey impressions)	
	2:00	Groups	**Open the Door to New Lights** (Researching Living History choices)	Journals, poster board, wifi, reference materials, props
	2:45	Groups	Singing	
	3:30		Art project: Frame a “door” display	Using recycled materials, carboard, paint on butcher paper, or actual lumber, students create a set for their living museum
	5:00	All	Free time; Recreation	
	6:00	All	Dinner and cleanup	
	7:00	Introduction, then move to small groups for storytelling	**Open the Doors of Our Hearts**	Video and music, journals

	8:00	All	Space for quiet games, visiting, wind down time	Facilitators pre-plan opportunities but allow spaces for visiting and resting
Tuesday				
Tues.	8:00	All	Breakfast	
Tues.	9:00	All	Morning Devotional	
Tues.	9:30 - noon	Four Groups of Delegates	**Open the Doors of History** (Health break between decades)	Laptops or Power Point Posterboard, Markers, other items may appear in text
Tues.	" "	Group 1	Decades 1850-1869	
Tues.	" "	Group 2	Decades 1870-1899	
Tues.	" "	Group 3	Decades 1900 - 1919	
Tues.	" "	Group 4	Decades 1920-1939	
	Noon		Lunch	
Tues.	1:00	All	Caucus (Report/Display Findings)	
Tues.	2:00	In Groups	**New Lights** (continuing research and preparation)	
Tues.	2:45	In Groups	Singing	

Tues.	3:30	All	Historical Walk to highlights in Neighborhood	
Tues.	5:00	All	Free Time	
Tues.	6:00	All	Dinner and announce evening games, open spaces & activities; open mic night	
Wednesday				
Wed.	8:00	All	Breakfast	
Wed.	9:00	All	Morning Devotional	
Wed.	9:30 - noon	Group 1	Decades 1940-1959	
Wed.	" "	Group 2	Decades 1960-1979	
Wed.	" "	Group 3	Decades 1980-1999	
Wed.	" "	Group 4	Decades 2000 - 2019	
Wed.	" "	All	Current Decade – 2000-2021	
	Noon		Lunch	
Wed.	1:00	All	Caucus (Report/ Display Findings/ Consult)	

Wed.	2:00	Groups	**New Lights** (finalize preparations)	
Wed.	2:45	All	Singing	
Wed.	3:30	All	**Open the Stage Door** Rehearse Performances for Living History Museum & Program	
Wed.	5:00	All	Free Time; Recreation	
Wed.	6:00	All	Dinner and announce evening games, open spaces & activities (open mic night?)	
Thursday				
Thurs.	8:00	All	Breakfast	
Thurs.	9:00	All	Morning Devotional	
Thurs.	9:30	Delegations based on Location of Origin	**Open the Doors of our Legacies**	
Thurs.	12:00		Lunch	
Thurs.	1:00		Caucus (Present concepts, resource lists, calendars; exchange contact info)	

Thurs.	2:00	All	**Field Trip** Suggested group visit to pray at the gravesite of Robert Turner and to view the new monument	
Thurs.	4:30	All	Rehearse songs, as time permits	
Thurs.	6:00	All	Dinner and Group Journal-Writing "Belonging" Exchange and Bonding Exercises	
Thurs.	7:00	All	Juneteenth Party with each group participating in planning	
			Friday	
	8:00		Breakfast/Pack Bags	
	9:00		Morning Devotional	
	9:30	Four Groups of Delegates based on Age Levels	Preparation: Complete all posters, artwork, spoken or sung parts for history museum, etc.	Posters, Table Easels, Art, Printed or Posted Program

	12:00	All	Lunch	
	1:00	Groups of Delegates based on Locale	Mini-Service Projects for the Campus or Neighborhood	Materials are project-dependent
	3:30	All Together	Dress Rehearsal	Notes, props, chair set-up, etc.
	5:00	All	Dinner	
	6:00	Delegates in Age Groups	Prepare for Program; Greet guests in Living History Museum	Distribute program if available
	7:00	All	Program: Present Symposium Findings to the Public	
	8:30	All	Adjourn with Families	
			Follow-up and zoom monthly to share progress on 3-month project goals	