

# Social Innovation Fund

## Pitch Competition

# January 27th, 2022

### What is Generation IMPACT?

Generation IMPACT is a group of young professionals with a common goal of Innovating Modern Philanthropy and Community Transformation in Volusia and Flagler Counties.

### What is the Social Innovation Fund (SIF)?

It provides local high school, college, or vocational school students with mini grants in order to implement innovative projects that address critical challenges in Flagler & Volusia counties.

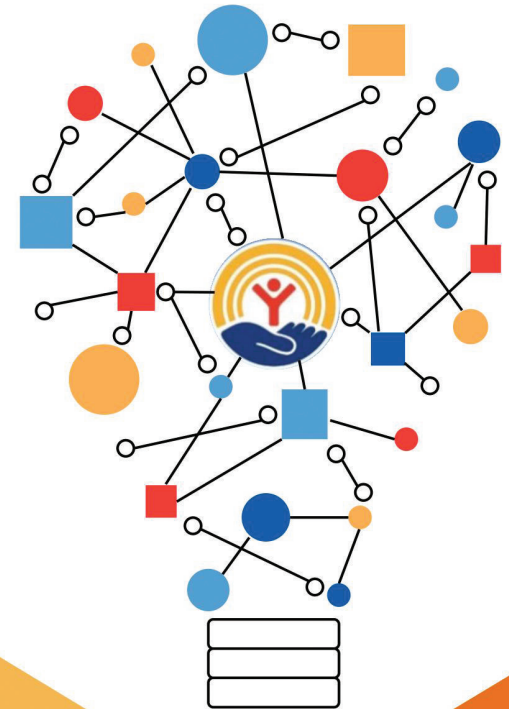
### Who Can Apply?

Individual or groups of High School and College students in Volusia or Flagler County.

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## SIF Proposal Requirements

1. Projects must address issues in one of the following areas:

- a) **Education:** Absenteeism, graduation rates, discipline, etc.
- b) **Financial Stability:** Housing, income, access to good jobs, financial literacy - understanding credit, budgets, taxes, etc.
- c) **Health:** Diabetes, injury prevention, opioid crisis, food insecurity, healthy living, exercise, community safety, etc.
- d) **EDI:** Equity, Diversity and Inclusion.

2. Projects must work to improve the lives of **ALICE** families in Flagler and/or Volusia Counties. ALICE represents those who work hard and are above the poverty line, but due to high costs of living and factors often beyond their control, must live paycheck to paycheck.

To learn more about ALICE or to try the simulation visit:

<https://www.unitedwayvfc.org/walkinmyshoes/>

## How to Apply

Applications for the Social Innovation Fund Mini Grant can be found at:  
[bit.ly/SIFapplication](https://bit.ly/SIFapplication).

Applications open starting **Tuesday, August 10th** and are due **Friday, September 24th**.

Select applicants will be invited to work with a mentor to create a full project proposal due in the Fall. The Pitch Competition will be on **January 27th, 2022**.