





As kids learn more about what their communities need,

have them use the following sample letters to share their reflections with their community, city council representative, and mayor.

Explain to your group that their ideas and innovations are important! Review the following letter templates with your group, then tell them they will share their thoughts with members of the community. When kids are ready to write their letters, have them download the Word doc templates so they can fill in the blanks with their own words. To send, research the contact information of your local newspaper/magazine editor, city council representative, and/or mayor, then mail or email the letters on their behalf. As residents of the community, your group's ideas need to be heard!

Letter to the Editor

Letters to the editor are short letters that share your opinion on a community issue. Kids can use this template to share what they learned about their community during the community survey. Download the Letter to the Editor template.

I'm years old and I live in	neighborhood. As a member of Camp Fire
, I just completed a commu	nity survey for my council's Building Blocks program, a
new STEM-focused program I am participat	ing in. Presented by Samsung and Camp Fire, the Building
Blocks program shows us how to use engir	neering to solve community issues. By doing the survey, I
learned that my community needs	·
I would like to build	in my neighborhood because I think everyone should
have	
When I grow up, I want to be a(n)	so I can I hope we get more
in my community.	
I would like to invite you to come look	at the model of my innovation at
[fill in where they can come to see the mod	lel and presentation]. Please call at
to set up a visit and see the	e great work we've done on community solutions. I also
wonder what solutions you can provide to s	olve the problem of in my community.





OUTREACH LETTER TEMPLATES (continued)



Letter to City/Town Council

Letters to the city/town council make specific requests for community improvements. Kids can use this template to share their visions for improvements to their community and to explain what type of neighborhood support they would like from their city council representative. Download the Letter to City/Town Council template.

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