

## **YIP Wellesley Spring 2023 • Class Calendar & Curriculum Overview**

**Thursdays, 7:00-8:30 pm  
Foundation for MetroWest, 3 Eliot Street, Natick, MA 01760**

<b>Session</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>
1	February 2	Introductions, Defining Philanthropy
2	February 9	Learning About the Foundation for MetroWest, Defining Community, Community Needs Assessment Quiz
3	February 16	Nonprofit Structure, First Time Philanthropists, Fundraising Planning
4	March 2	Grants: Application Criteria, What is an RFP?, Budgets
5	March 9	Consensus Building, Sample Decision Making, Introduce YIP Board
6	March 16	Activism, Board Speeches and Voting, Grant Proposals Distributed
7	March 23	Grant Decision Making, Fundraising
8	March 30	Grant Review and Discussion, Fundraising Check-in, Mid-program Check-in
9	April 6	Site Visit Preparation
10	April 13*	Site Visits
11	April 27*	Site Visits
12	May 4	Site Visit Reflection, Final Decision Making
13	May 11	Final Decisions, Preparation for Grant Defense Presentation
14	May 18	Preparation for Grant Defense Presentation
15	Week of May 22*	Grant Defense Presentation
16	Week of May 29*	Graduation Ceremony – In Person Location TBD

**\*Time and location may change**

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