

DISCUSSION TOPIC 1: ALL SCHOOL PROJECTS

Ideas to include these groups and students in your school activities and student council



Special Olympics Students/Athletes

Dodgeball Tournament – money to SOMO

Senior Prom

Hang up pictures of SOMO athletes – hang up their basketball pictures

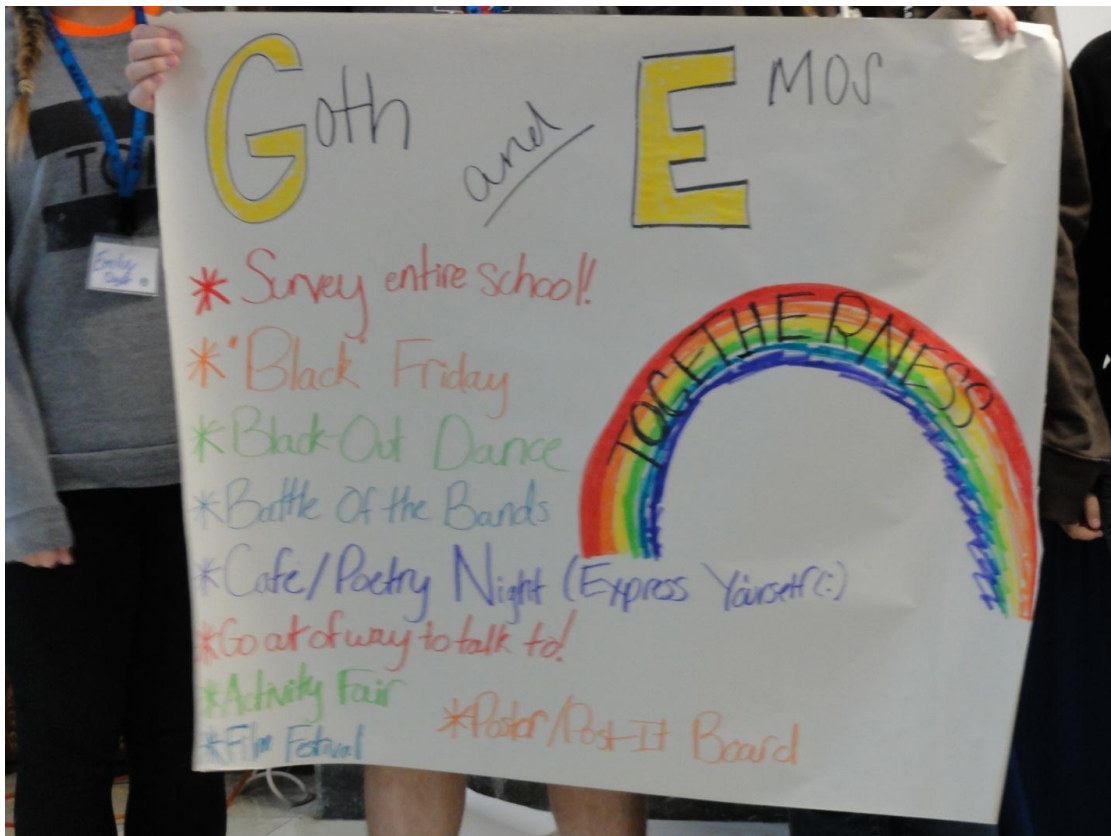
Be The Change Campaign

Stu-Co members go to SOMO basketball practices

Raffle parking spots for homecoming games

Goth and Emos Group:

- “Black Friday” – have everyone wear black to school to make these students feel included
- Wear all black to a dance
- Hold a “battle of the bands” so these students could showcase their talents
- Film Festival – allow everyone to express themselves
- Go out of your way to speak to these students, be nice, sit with them at lunch
- “Post-It Wall” where people can write and express their opinion



Nerds, Tech, Chess Club:

- Video Game character day during spirit week
- Chess tournament
- Trivia Night – incorporate different questions targeted to each group
- Have TV do segments on these groups and interests
- Student Appreciation – showcase these students and highlight their accomplishments (placing in Chess tournament, etc.)
- Have logic games during assemblies to target these students
- During games at half-time, have these students make a video that showcases what they do, their interests, and their accomplishments



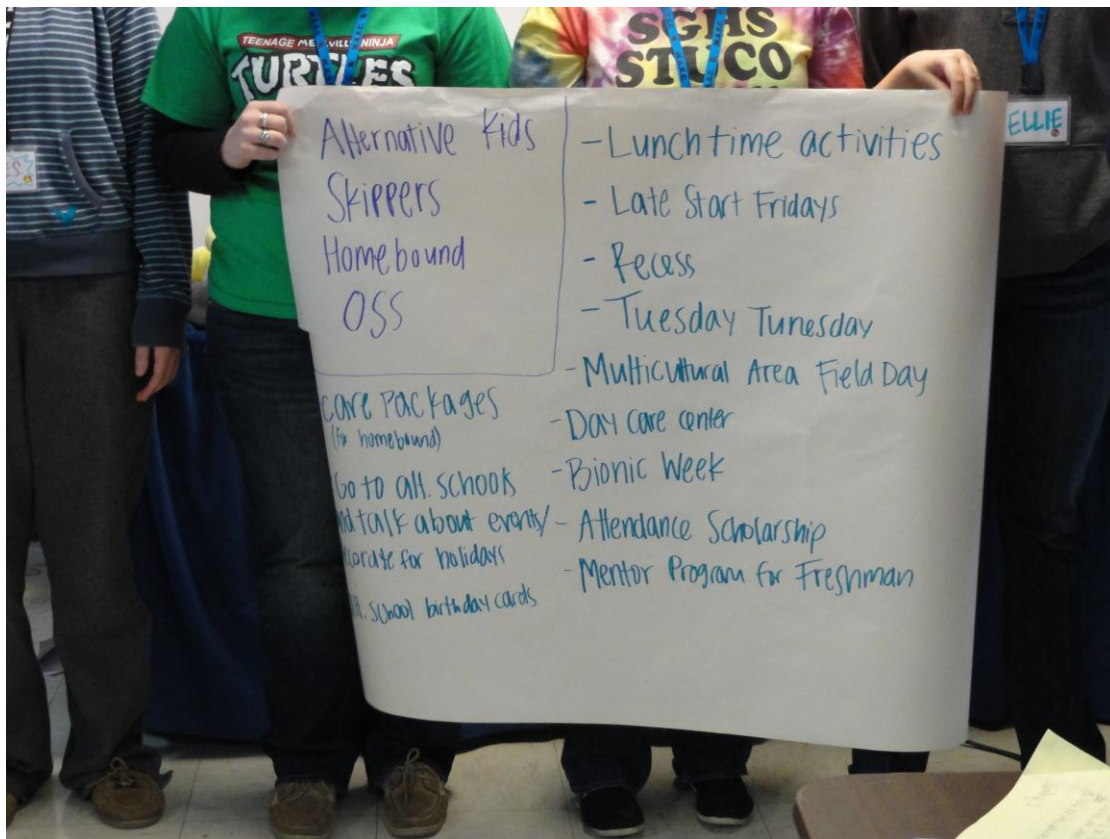
Cheerleaders, Pom-Poms, Spirit groups/students

- Male pageants – including guys from each club
- Have dancers choreograph dance
- Powder Buff Volleyball for the guys
- Have flash-mod during assembly choreographed by dance team
- For fashion show, have companies such as Buckle sponsor the show
- Have Poms group do a dance with/during football players
- Play minute-to-win-it games



Alternative, Skippers, Homebound, OSS

- Multi-culture field day – hold various events targeted to these students (spray paint wall)
- Tuesday Tunes-day – take requests and play song during breaks, etc.
- Have a daycare for students with children
- Send homebound students a birthday card
- Late Start Fridays
- Have a “recess” for students who are not failing classes, behind in class, etc.
- Sent care packages to students (to those who had a baby, broke a leg and can’t come to school, etc.)
- Bionic week – give out a friendship bracelet or candy each morning
- Go to alternative schools and decorate for the holidays
- Lunch-time activities – Just Dance on Wii, play music, sing karaoke



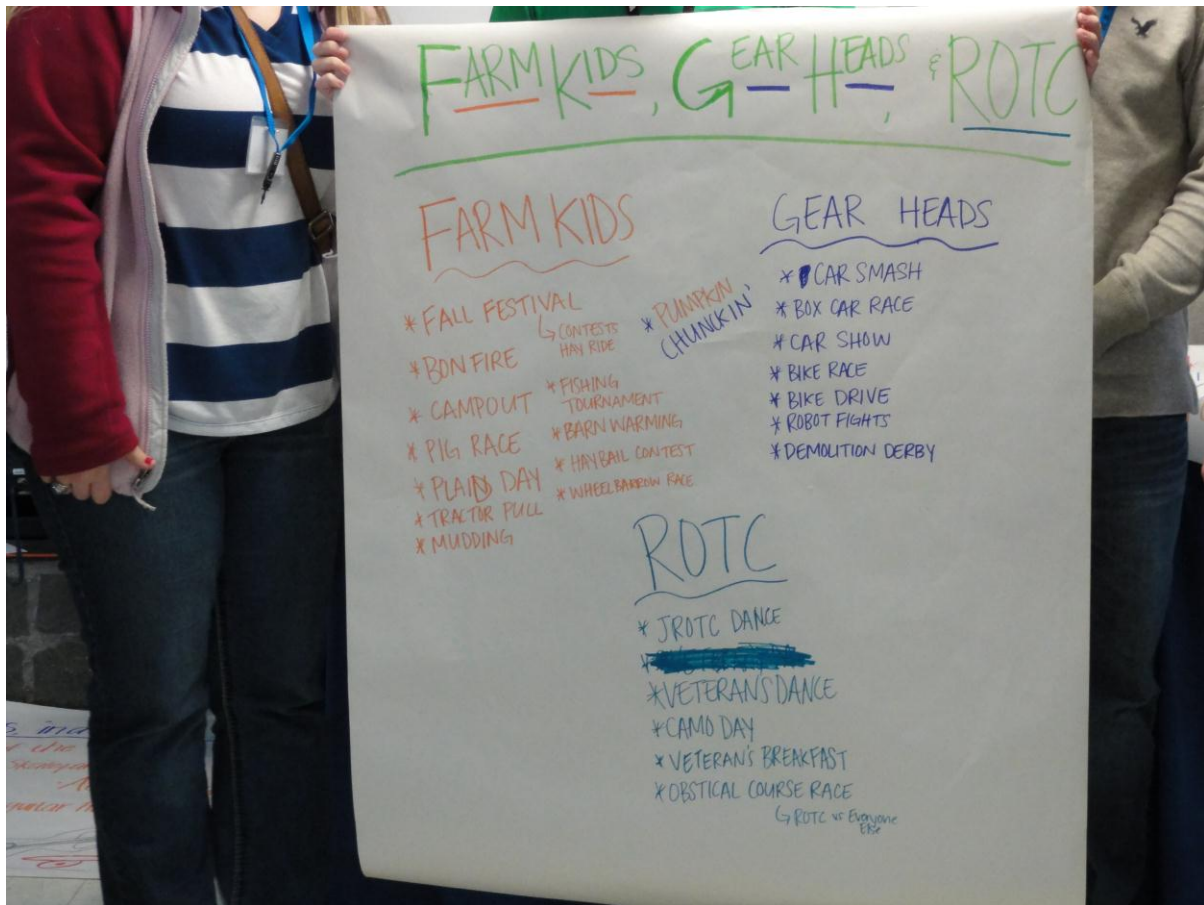
Rockers, In a band, Skaters

- Battle Of The Bands
- Adopt a skate park
- Hold a variety show
- Have a Dance, have bands play
- During lunch, have bands play
- Have band play music during breaks. Pay money to allow them to keep playing
- Have a Gitar Hero competition
- Have the TV/Radio production class do a PAS on a band, highlight a band



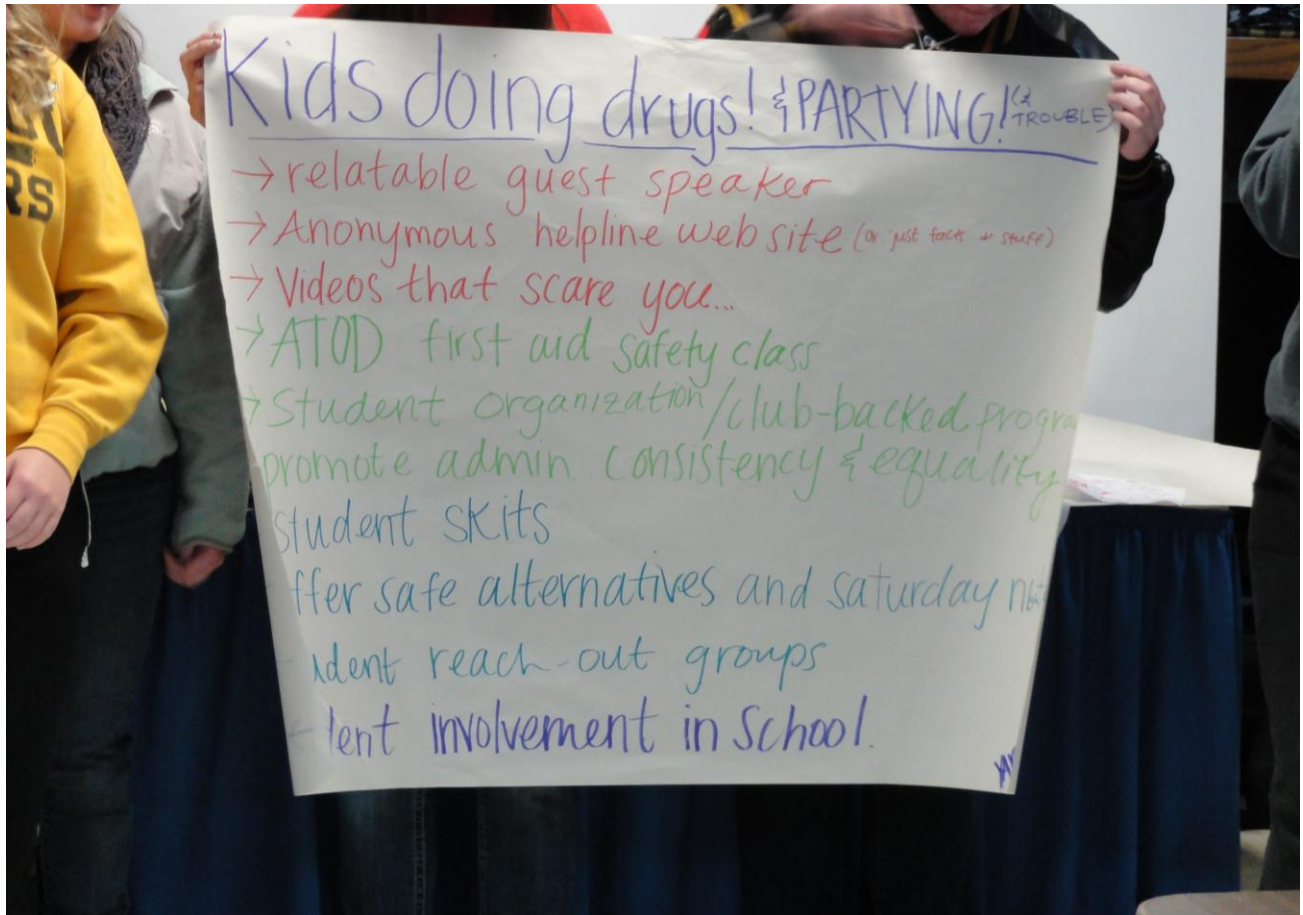
Farm Kids, Gear Heads, ROTC

- Get the FFA (Future of America) involved in your school
- Hold a fall festival where fruits and vegetables are judged. Hay rides.
- Pig Races
- Camp Out
- Have a car smash
- Box Car Race
- Have a camo day
- Hold a veterans day



Kids doing drugs, partying

- Bring in a speaker that will relate to these students
- Have an anonymous website for people to seek help in challenging situations
- Have a alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs safety class. Provide info to seek help
- Have a group reenact a skit that relates to students to help keep people safe
- Reach out to the silent majority and promote stu-co activities to them



Theater Kids, Bible Thumpers

- Go and support these students at their plays, musicals, etc.
- Don't be fake – just going to these events can mean a lot
- Just saying “do a great job”, “break a leg” the night of a show, can mean a lot to these students and show your support and recognition
- Candy Gram: send a singing gram where musically talented students will go sing to a student. Pair together stu-co with those who can sing and raise money
- Go help the theater students to decorate and work on their set – help with their setup
- Include highlights of a play in news to advertise for an upcoming show
- Have stu-co go to a church picnic to support students
- Hold a candle-lighting ceremony – could incorporate many different religions with brief talks, dress up for this day.
- During an advisory or seminary period, set up booth where various religions are represented and students and go to learn about the various religions
- “mission trip” – Stu-Co advertise that a group is taking a mission trip and advertise they are seeking people going on this trip.

