

Girl Up is a campaign of the United Nations Foundation. It was launched in 2010 and it supports projects that aim to give teenage girls an equal chance in life. Every year they hold a summit where girls meet up to take part in leadership training, do workshops and learn from some amazing women.

Do the preparation task first. Then watch the video and do the exercise. Remember you can read the transcript at any time.

Preparation

Match the vocabulary with the correct definition and write a–h next to the numbers 1–8.

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| 1..... to encourage | a. an important meeting |
| 2..... to judge | b. the characteristics that make a good leader or the position of a leader |
| 3..... a generation | c. meetings where people do practical work and activities |
| 4..... a goal | d. to make someone more likely to do something |
| 5..... a summit | e. to form or have an opinion |
| 6..... leadership | f. able to continue over a long period of time |
| 7..... workshops | g. an aim or a clear purpose |
| 8..... sustainable | h. all the people of about the same age |

1. Check your understanding: reordering

Write the words in the correct order to make sentences from the video.

- want. | anything | can | You | be | you
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- how | can | she | the | her | world. | Tell | change
.....
- have to | I just | be the best, | I don't | have to | try my best.
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- that is | the behaviour | the planet. | It is | threatening | of people
.....
- have no limits | and | don't either. | your voices | dreams | Your
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6. to do it | to change | We're going | through girls. | and we're going | the world

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7. guys | sustainable development | the | You | generation. | are

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8. you | the hero | they told you | that | Remind yourself | to wait for. | are

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Discussion

Would you like to attend a summit like this? Why or why not?