

The Awakening Project

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Zoom Calls Facilitator – Description (Year-Round – Secondary School students)

The *Awakening Project* is an interfaith project examining social justice topics and prophetic voices.

This project will be of interest to students who have a passion for social justice and interfaith topics and concerns.

The work involves finding a few friends, or others, who might be interested in the vision of this project and facilitating Zoom discussions with them.

Plan: Building on the experience of our summer student-led project, we are offering the following opportunity to secondary school students.

The host student will have two options of remuneration:

Option 1: The Honorarium basis – a secondary school student may choose to organize and facilitate / host Zoom calls for \$50.00 per Zoom call. A student can host multiple Zoom conversations.

Option 2: The Volunteer Hours basis – a secondary school student may choose to facilitate / host Zoom calls for 3-4 Community Service Hours and not receive the honorarium.

- The host student will select a podcast or article from those available on The Awakening Project website at www.awakeningproject.ca. (On our website's menu, hover your cursor on "Resources", then click on "[Meetings](#)" for an archive of past meetings.)
- The student will then prepare a summary of these podcasts or articles and a list of questions for discussion, and create a PowerPoint presentation, or Word Document containing the summary and questions. See an example here: <https://awakeningproject.ca/2020/08/26/meeting-no-4/>.
- The student will find 3 or more friends who are prepared to listen to the podcasts selected, and to review the questions - prior to meeting on-line or in person.
- The student will organize a 45–60-minute Zoom meeting to discuss the selected podcast or article.
- Upon completion of the Zoom call, the host-student will gather the responses throughout the discussion and insert them into the PowerPoint/Word Document. Along with that, the host student will also write a reflection, recounting what happened at the discussion as well as some of their thoughts about the session. These two components will be sent to one of the Project Coordinators of The Awakening Project.