

The role of Sharek Youth Forum in enhancing the life skills of Palestinian youth in the West Bank

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Abstract

The study aimed to find out the role of Sharek Youth Forum in enhancing the life skills of Palestinian youth in the West Bank. The study population contain youth from the West Bank. The researcher used the simple random sample to choose the study sample, so the sample will represent the community. The members of sample were 100 youth (male and female). The researchers built a form to study the role of Sharek Youth Forum in enhancing the life skills of Palestinian youth in the West Bank. The form has been shown to group of experts (10 judges), and they count the stability by using the internal consistency which reach 0.092. The study concludes that the role of the Sharek Youth Forum in enhancing life skills for Palestinian youth in the West Bank was high. Statistically, there is no significant differences appear due to the variable place of residence, sex, educational level, or age, also there is a significant differences between the role of sharek youth forum & enhancing the life skills(Communication skills , decision making skills ,problem solving skills ,cooperation skills) in the average role of Sharek Youth Forum in enhancing the life skills of Palestinian youth in the West Bank. According to the previous result, the researchers encourage the government to make studies about youth's problems and to make seminars to train youth how to solve their problems. Also the role of NGO's to concern about the youth through using their ability in the community development and institution building, each according to his ability. The role of youth is development and advancement of the society through using their productive energy and participating in volunteer's workshop. Finally, youth have to benefit from international and Arab experiences in life-skills education through an independent approach or through applications and other programs & activities.