

Project Timeline & Pacing

The length of Y-PLAN projects vary significantly, ranging from just one week to several months. In most cases, however, they occur over four to eight weeks (shown below) so that students have time to develop a deeper understanding of background information, conduct high-quality research, and refine their policy proposals. The pacing of your project does not need to perfectly match the tables below; this tool is simply meant to provide guidance as you plan ahead. If you are working for less than four weeks - or want to first test out the methodology - consider using the [Y-PLAN Mini](#). This shortened version of the process can be completed in as little as several hours!

Project Phase	Pre-Project	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
8-Week Project									
Project Planning									
Module 1									
Module 2									
Module 3									
Module 4									
Module 5									
4-Week Project									
Project Planning									
Module 1									
Module 2									
Module 3									
Module 4									
Module 5									

