



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT[®]
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Youth and Government Official Program Application

Please Complete this form and turn in to the front office or local YMCA.
No incomplete applications will be accepted.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____

Cell: _____ Gender: _____

Birth Date: _____ School: _____

Student's Email
(9th - 12th grade only): _____

PARENTS INFORMATION

Parent #1: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Cell #: _____ Alt. Phone #: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

Parent #2: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Cell #: _____ Alt. Phone #: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

DEMOGRAPHICS (Optional – used for funding)

Race (Check one)

- African-American Asian Caucasian Hispanic/Latino Multiracial Other

Household Income (Check one)

- \$0-30k \$30k-\$50k \$50k-\$75k \$75-\$100k \$100k-\$125k \$125k+

Would you be a First Generation college graduate? (Check yes if your parents did not graduate college)

- Yes No

PROGRAM LEVEL YOU ARE APPLYING FOR:

- Junior Youth and Government (6th-8th Grades) Youth and Government (9th Grade)
 Youth and Government (10th-12th Grades)

Check the program sections that most interest you.

- Legislature State Affairs Forum Governor's Cabinet
- Judicial (9th – 12th grades only) Media (9th – 12th grades only)

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT & EMERGENCY CONTACT FORM

We will make effort to contact the parent/guardians listed above in the event of an emergency involving your child. The person listed below will be contacted if we cannot successfully reach you.

Emergency Contact #1 _____ Phone #: _____

Emergency Contact #2: _____ Phone #: _____

My signatures below indicate that I give permission for the YMCA to obtain emergency medical care, administer minor first aid procedures, take my child on walks and trips associated with the YMCA Youth & Government activities, hold harmless agreement and photo and video/audio recording release. use the YMCA facilities, including swimming pool, fitness center, weight room, etc., and for the YMCA to transport my child.

Hold Harmless Agreement: I agree, in consideration of my child's use of the YMCA programs and facilities, to indemnify and hold harmless the YMCA of Southeast Texas, its branches, agents, employees (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "YMCA") from and against all claims, losses and expenses including but not limited to death, bodily injury, emotional harm or property damage (including total loss thereof) arising out of or connected with my child's use of the YMCA premises, provided that I shall not be obligated to indemnify the YMCA hereunder for any claim resulting from the deliberate acts or due to the sole negligence of the YMCA or its employees. I also grant permission for my child to be included in evaluations, photographs and referral services connected with YMCA programs, including all those that require that sharing of general information with non-profit third-party agencies outside of the YMCA. Intending to be legally bound, the undersigned have placed their signatures.

Photo and video/Audio Recording Release: For my participation in activities conducted by the YMCA of Southeast Texas, I hereby give permission and consent, now and for all time, to the YMCA of Southeast Texas and third parties collaborating the YMCA to make, reproduce, edit, broadcast or rebroadcast and video film, footage, sound track recordings and photo reproductions of me and/or my dependent. My narrative account of my experience at the YMCA of SETX may be used for publication, display, sale or compensation to, and/or claim. I may, or may not be, identified in such reproductions; however, I shall not be stated by name to have endorsed a particular commercial product or commercial service.

CODE OF CONDUCT:

1. I will not use tobacco products, alcohol or illegal narcotics, contraband or weapons while participating in YMCA Teen Programs activities.
2. I will not borrow anyone's property without asking.
3. I will fully cooperate with staff and volunteers in YMCA Teen Programs activities.
4. I will not engage in any inappropriate displays of affection. (Friendly hugs are acceptable.)
5. I will participate in and attend all schedule activities. I will arrive on time.
6. I will not involve myself in the playing or pranks. I understand that pranks can be harmful in many ways and I will report to an adult any knowledge of playing pranks.
7. I will respect all people and property, as well as any places we visit.
8. I will respect others' opinions and I will live by the "House Rules" established by YMCA Teen Programs

YMCA TEEN PROGRAMS GUIDELINE

1. All participants of the YMCA Teen Programs must be registered and approved by YMCA staff. If you wish to have a visitor, please speak to your Coordinator.
2. YMCA staff must administer all medications, prescription and/or non-prescription, if during YMCA Teen Program activities. All medications must be in their original containers with written guidelines for administration. Medication must be submitted with a separate consent form.
3. Please report all injuries and incidents to YMCA staff immediately.
4. Any electronic equipment, valuables, jewelry, etc. are the sole responsibility of the YMCA Teen Programs participant. The YMCA of Southeast Texas, its branches, YMCA of the USA or any other site will not be held responsible for lost or stolen items. Please use good judgement when deciding what to bring during YMCA Teen Programs activities.

I have read and understand the above Code of Conduct and YMCA Teen Programs Guidelines and I accept full responsibility for my behavior while participating in YMCA Teen Programs. **By printing/typing my name below, I have agreed for this to serve as my official signature.**

Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____