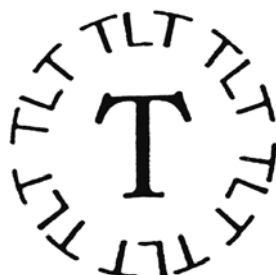


Application



**TEEN
LEADERSHIP
TROY**

*“Tomorrow’s Leaders - Our Youth”
A program designed to expand teen leadership.*

Sponsored by
The Troy Area Chamber of Commerce
“Celebrating 69 years of service to our growing business community”

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How has your participation in these activities helped to develop your leadership skills?

How would you describe your knowledge of community affairs?

Poor Fair Good Excellent

**ON ADDITIONAL PAGES PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS
(TYPEWRITTEN ONLY)**

1. In your judgment, what are the (3) most pressing issues facing Troy today? Please give your reasons why and any recommendations for approaching and resolving these problems.
2. Explain what you hope to gain from your participation in the Teen Leadership Troy program.
3. What do you expect to add to Teen Leadership Troy?

Please attach: 2 letters of recommendation from a community leader, faculty or club advisor (no more than 1 recommendation from high school academic faculty). Recommendations may not be from a parent, guardian or relative.

In order of importance list (3) career areas that interest you most. (This information will be used to match applicants with mentors in their fields of interest, so please answer as specifically as possible.)

1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____

A Commitment to Excellence...

The Teen Leadership Troy program is dedicated to providing a valuable learning experience

with the help and cooperation of our community's hard-working leaders. To ensure the success and excellence of this program, we must ask that applicants consider the following expectations and commitments:

Teen Leadership Troy Expectations

1. **Teachable:** students will be exposed to countless learning opportunities.
2. **Conscientious:** exhibit a high standard of morals. These students will represent the Troy community and be looked upon as role models in the community.
3. **Hard-working:** assignments are a vital part of the experience.
4. **Dependable:** on time, with no other commitments that will interfere with attendance.

Time commitment during the week of June 1 - June 6, 2008:

1 - Sunday: Introductions	3:00pm - 6:30pm	3.5
2 - Monday: Volunteerism & Economic Development	8:00pm - 4:00pm	8
3 - Tuesday: City Government	8:00am - 4:00pm	8
4 - Wednesday: Community Services	8:00am - 4:00pm	8
5 - Thursday: Education	8:00am - 4:00pm	8
6 - Friday: County Government - Site Visit to Goodrich Corp. Graduation Banquet	8:00am - 4:00 pm 5:30pm - 8:00pm	8 <u>2.5</u>
Total commitment 46 hours		

We must ask that participants commit to attend **all sessions** of Teen Leadership Troy. Absenteeism may result in removal. If you are unable to make a commitment, it is not in your best interest to apply at this time.

Signing below indicates that you understand the time commitment and expectations and that you officially apply for admittance to Teen Leadership Troy. Parents, this signing also releases Troy Area Chamber of Commerce, Troy City Schools, Edison Community College, cooperating businesses or services and all volunteers of any liability associated with your child's participation in this program.

Teen Applicant's Signature

Parent's Signature

*All applications are subject to confidential evaluations. Students should be aware that there might be more applicants than class size. Candidates are selected exclusively on their own merit, including legibility and neatness of application. A \$25 application fee, payable to Teen Leadership Troy, must accompany your application. All applications must be received by **Thursday, March 20, 2008** at:*

Troy Area Chamber of Commerce
405 SW Public Square, Suite 330, Troy, OH 45373.

***No email applications are accepted. With application you must have the following:
\$25 check; 2 letters of reference; the medical release form; typed essay answers.

*** **Please advise the committee if you need any medical or dietary considerations.**

All applicants will be notified of acceptance by April 16, 2008.

For additional information, call the Troy Area Chamber of Commerce at 339-8769.