

Instructions for <u>School</u> REFERENCE FORM (Teacher or Guidance Counselor) Roane County Youth Leadership (RCYL)

TO THE REFERENCE:

Roane County Youth Leadership Program gives area high school students an opportunity to enhance their knowledge of Roane County and develop leadership skills that will encourage and motivate them to become involved and committed to their community. The Selection Committee attaches considerable weight to the statements made by the references of the applicant. The committee is aware of the time necessary to prepare such an assessment and gratefully acknowledges your help.

This form must be received by the deadline of **Feb. 15** for the student to qualify.

Please return via email to roaneyouthleadership@gmail.com

Thank you for your time and commitment to the continued growth and development of the

youth in Roane County.

REFERENCE FORM- <u>SCHOOL</u> Student's Teacher or Guidance Counselor

Name of Person Giving this Reference		Title	
Stu	Student NameSchool		
1.	How long and in what capacity have you known	ong and in what capacity have you known the applicant?	
2.	What would you consider the applicant's primar	y talents or strength?	
3.	Comment on the applicants' potential to succes attendance, punctuality)		
4.	Comment on the applicant's relationship with hi	s/her peers.	
5.	Please describe one situation where you observ	ved the applicant in a leadership role.	
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If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Roane County Chamber office regarding Roane County Youth Leadership program at (865) 376-5572 or email roaneyouthleadership@gmail.com



STUDENT NAME: _____

All applicants must have approval from their current school principal to participate in the Roane County Youth Leadership Program.

I support and approve of the named student above as a participant in the Roane County Youth Leadership program. This student is in good standing academically, is a person of good character and will be a sophomore, junior or senior during the next school year.

Requirements to complete the program include:

- 1. Attendance at the one week camp held typically the 1st full week after the current school year ends. (exact dates and time to be announced)
- 2. Attending Roane County civic meetings after the camp but no later than November. (County Commission, City Council and/or School Board meetings.)
- 3. Attending after school sessions that will be held between September thru November. (exact dates and time to be announced)
- 4. Work with other RCYL participants to complete a community service project.

In order to graduate the program, the student must be present at four of the five days of the camp, (Monday is mandatory) attend two civic meetings, the after school meetings and the graduation.

School: _____

Signature:

Date:

Position:

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