



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE 2015/2016

FULL NAME _____ DELEGATION: CENTRAL Y

BIRTHDATE ____/____/____ AGE _____ GENDER M / F SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____ SHIRT SIZE _____ CURRENT PHONE (____) _____ TEXT OK? Y / N

ADDRESS _____ CITY, ZIP _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME(S) _____ PHONE _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL _____

**PROGRAM COST: Total Fees: \$490 Program Members / \$450 YMCA Youth & Y Members
\$50 Deposit Due at Registration (deducted from Total Fee) by December 15**

Includes: weekly meetings, YMCA Youth & Government District and State fees paid, bill book, ticket to "Governor's Ball", three breakfasts, four dinners, transportation and lodging while at state event. *Students are responsible for lunches in Olympia.*

*At the Y everyone is welcome regardless of their ability to pay. Financial Assistance is available through the state office and can be found on our website. YMCA Youth & Government follows the financial need criteria of the YMCA of Greater Seattle and the HUD guidelines for King County in order to ensure a fair distribution of money to students. All individual Youth Legislature participants are eligible to apply for these funds. Money is distributed based on family's financial situation. If you have any questions about this process please contact Saralyn Cook at (509)777-9622 ext 115 or the State Office at (360)357-3475.

Fundraising opportunities are also available with your delegation.

**Y&G State Office Financial Aid Applications due by January 5th, 2015
YMCA of INW program scholarships also available**

Total Fees due March 31st, 2016 in order to attend Olympia Trip

Participants under 18 must have a parent/guardian signature when making a deposit for the YMCA Youth & Government program. YMCA Youth & Government accepts financial responsibility for fees incurred throughout this program according to the payment schedule above. The payments are geared to program and most travel costs. Unfortunately, we cannot refund any payments. A duplicate will be made of this registration form and sent to you as confirmation of registration for Youth & Government. A **written** cancellation notice with participant and parent/guardian signature is required to officially cancel if participant is under the age of 18 years old.

I, the undersigned parent/guardian, assume any and all risks associated with my child's preparation for, participation in, and observation of this program. I hereby for myself, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives, and any other claimants on my behalf release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue the YMCA of the Inland Northwest, its officers, employees, and agents from all liability for any and all loss or damage, personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death whether caused by any negligence, either active or passive on the YMCA, the aforementioned releases, or otherwise.

Delegation Expectations

It is required that each delegate and advisor adhere to the YMCA Youth and Government's Code of Conduct during state and district sponsored events. Each participant and parent is required to read and sign the Youth & Government code of conduct and return to your advisor at your first meeting.

Because of the diverse makeup of all delegates and advisors, their backgrounds, experiences, and political views, it is expected that each person will be treated with respect. As a delegation, we will work on the building of a cohesive group that focuses on the YMCA core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility of each person along with a Servant Leaders heart.

Any actions or behaviors that do not uphold our core values or build up our delegation as a whole will not be tolerated and may result in removal from Youth & Government programing.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Participant Signature Date