

Champaign County Teen Leadership Academy

Name _____

Nickname, if any _____

Home Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Student Email _____

Guardians _____

Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Date of Birth _____

Agreement

We (applicant, guardian(s), and school official) certify that all information contained in this application is true and factual. We also agree that if the applicant is selected, Champaign County Teen Leadership Academy may use the applicant's name and likeness and any other information or materials provided by applicant to this program for purposes of news, publicity and advertising in all media.

We understand:

1. If accepted into this program, there is a commitment to full participation, understanding that if a day is missed, the applicant will also be considered absent from school.
2. The cost of the program is \$50, payable after selection.

Signature of Applicant Date _____

Signature of Guardian Date _____

I certify that the individual named in this application has met the minimum academic requirement for participation in extracurricular activities at his/her school.

Signature of School Official Position _____

School Date _____

Application Received _____	For Chamber Use Only	<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Declined
Reference Received _____	Interview Date _____	Mentor: _____	
	Interview Time _____		

Blind and Confidential Application

Your personal information will remain anonymous to the Selection Committee. Only completed forms will be considered. Please print legibly or type your responses.

Current School _____

Gender Male Female **Current Year** Sophomore Junior

Future career or college major interests:

Using a few phrases or adjectives, describe yourself:

What three problems concern you as a youth of Champaign County?

What do you hope to gain from the Teen Leadership Academy?

Give an example of when you have been a leader around your friends.

What are your hobbies and interests outside of school?

Please return this form by **March 1, 2008** to:

Teen Leadership Academy
Champaign County Chamber of Commerce
113 Miami Street
Urbana, OH 43078
Fax: 937-652-1599

Community Reference Form

To be completed by school personnel or community member (not a relative).

Applicant's Name: _____

The Teen Leadership Academy must receive this form by March 1, 2008. The comments on this reference sheet will be used for Teen Leadership Academy selection purposes only. By signing below, I, as the applicant, waive the right of personal access to the reference.

Applicant's Signature

Date

TO THE REFERENCE

The person named above is an applicant for the Champaign County Teen Leadership Academy. The Selection Committee attaches considerable weight to the statements made by references of the applicant. The committee is aware of the time necessary to prepare such an assessment and gratefully acknowledges your assistance.

To make the selection process fair and equitable, the Selection Committee uses a blind screening process. Therefore, we ask that in response to questions on the reverse side, you refrain from identifying the student by name, simply using "he" or "she."

Reference Name: _____

Position/Title: _____

Organization: _____

Email (if available): _____

Phone: _____

Signature of Reference

Date

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How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

What do you consider the applicant's primary talents/strengths?

Please comment on the applicant's relationships with his or her peers.

Please rate the applicant with other high school students you have known.

1-Well Below Average 2-Below Average 3-Average 4-Above Average 5-Well Above Average

Leadership potential

Can earn respect of peers and lead them in a positive way

Interest in community affairs

Is knowledgeable about current issues facing Champaign County

Curiosity about how the system works

Genuine interest in understanding the processes required for various actions taken on behalf of the community

Strong character

Trustworthy, courteous, helpful, loyal, mature actions

Ability to work with others

Can accept others' points of view, put aside differences to work toward common goal

Communication Skills

Can accurately get a point across through speaking, writing
