

2019 Government-in-Action Youth Tour



If you were selected to attend the Youth Tour, what three things would you be most excited to see in Washington, D.C. and why?

Every year, San Patricio Electric Cooperative sends two students on the Government-in-Action Youth Tour. This all-expenses-paid trip is hailed by participants as the trip of a lifetime. Our Youth Tour participants come back from their trip with newfound friendships, a deeper love and understanding of our country and an enthusiasm for all the sights they had the opportunity to visit.

So this year, we'd like to know what three things you'd be most excited to see in Washington D.C., if you were selected as our 2019 Youth Tour delegate. And don't forget to explain why!

Write a 300-500 word, original essay answering this question and San Patricio Electric Cooperative might send you to Washington D.C. next June 12-21! The two students who write the most outstanding essays will earn a week-long, all-expense-paid trip, along with more than 150 other young Texans, to Washington, D.C.

What are the requirements?

- Essay and application must be submitted by **Feb. 1, 2019**
- Must be a high school junior or senior
- Must have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher
- Must be in good standing with your school
- Parents/legal guardians must be members of SPEC

What does the trip include?

- Airfare
- Meals
- Hotel accommodations
- Tours of popular attractions in Washington



For more information, contact Public Relations Coordinator Brittany Williams at bwilliams@sanpatricioelectric.org or at 361-364-2220 extension 135.



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Youth Tour Application Form Due 02/01/19

Name of Parent(s) or Legal Guardian(s): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Address for electric account (if different): _____

Student's Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email address: _____

Name of High School Represented: _____

Students Grade Level (circle one): Junior/Senior

(Must be considered a junior or senior during the 2016-2017 school year)

Grade Point Average (3.0 or higher): _____

Counselor's signature attesting to grade level, grade-point average and good standing:

(signature)

(printed name)

Attach 300-500 word essay answering: "If you were selected to attend the Youth Tour, what three things would you be most excited to see in Washington, D.C. and why?"

Please return the completed application to SPEC no later than February 1, 2019. Applications may be hand deliver it to our office, emailed to pr@sanpatricioelectric.org or mailed to P.O. Drawer 400, Sinton, Texas 78387.

Winners will be notified by telephone. Additional consent and medical release forms must be completed once the winners are notified.