## Attention: HS Quniors!

### WIN A FREE TRIP TO WASHINGTON D.C. AND IGNITE YOUR PASSION FOR LEARNING AND DISCOVERY!





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### OKLAHOMA

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#### YOUTH TOUR

### Contest Gridelines and Info

The annual Oklahoma Youth Tour trip is a once-in-a-lifetime, all-expenses-paid leadership opportunity available exclusively to high school juniors (seniors-to-be) who attend schools located in co-op service areas. Homeschool students also encouraged to apply. Two student will be chosen to represent Kay Electric in the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association Youth Tour, bringing together more than 1,800 high school students from around the country. Spend a week visiting historical sites, making new friends, and enjoying once-in-a-lifetime opportunities to meet with Oklahoma's political representatives and learn firsthand about our local and national government, and how electric cooperatives across America are affected by today's political decisions. Youth Tour takes place June 14 - 20, 2024.

To apply students will fill out an application and submit it to Kay Electric Cooperative. The selection process begins with review of applications and ends with face-to-face interviews for finalists by judges on the evening of Thursday, February 22, 2024 before Kay Electric Cooperative's Annual Youth Banquet. Third and fourth place winners will be awarded an all-expenses-paid trip to Steamboat Springs, Colorado for Cooperative Youth Leadership Camp on July 12 - 18, 2024. Fifth through eighth place winners will receive cash prizes. Winners will be announced at the banquet after interviews.

\*Students must be available for the interview and banquet to enter\*

Applications can be submitted in 3 different ways:
Online at www.kayelectric.coop/youth
By downloading the application and emailing it to
dwhitehead@kayelectric.coop
By mail to:
Kay Electric Cooperative
C/O Desiree Whitehead
PO Box 607
Blackwell, OK 74631

Deadline to enter is January 12, 2024 at 5pm



### Let the adventure begin!



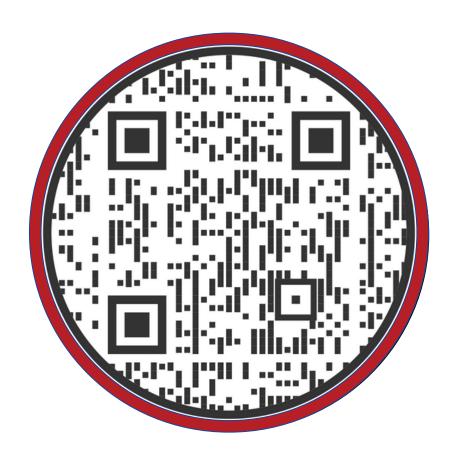
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HS JUNIORS: APPLY BY SCANNING THE QR CODE OR CONTACT KAY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE FOR THIS LIFE-CHANGING EXPERIENCE IN WASHINGTON, DC

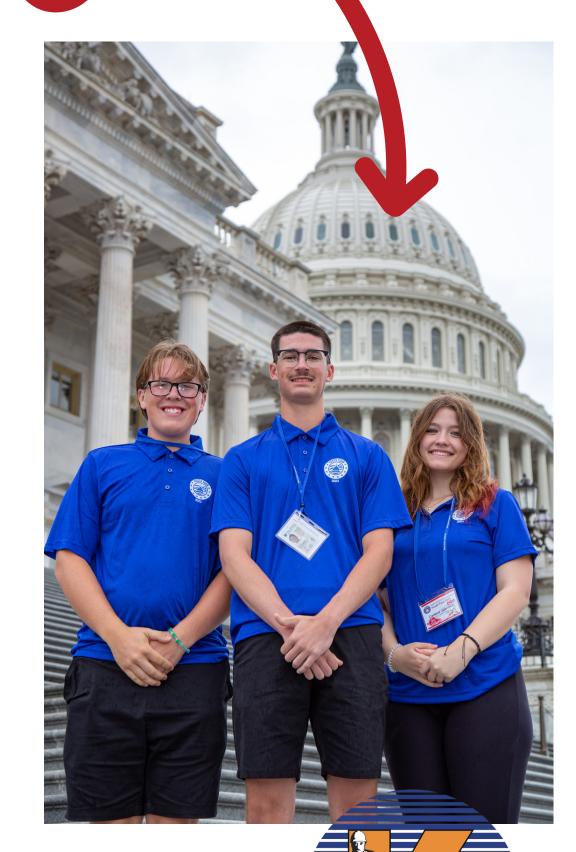
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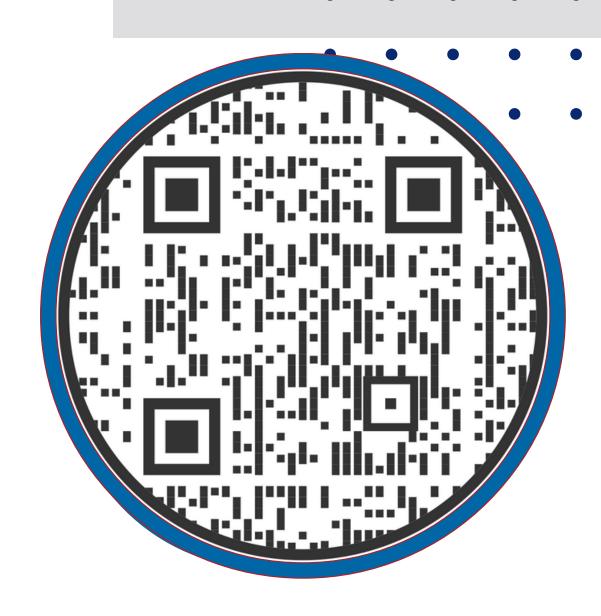




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## YOU WILL BE ENTERED TO WIN A \$100 DOLLAR GIFT CARD JUST FOR APPLYING!



SCANTO APPLY OR CONTACT KAY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE!





Visit www.kayelectric.coop/youth or call 580-363-1260 for more information!



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#### OKLAHOMA YOUTH TOUR ENTRY FORM



#### JUNE 14-20, 2024

I WOULD LIKE TO APPLY FOR THE 2024 OKLAHOMA YOUTH TOUR. I AM A HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR AND UNDERSTAND THE MATERIAL I SUBMIT IN THIS CONTEST BECOMES THE PROPERTY OF OKLAHOMA'S ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES FOR USE AT ITS DECRETION. I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES OF THE CONTEST AND THE JUDGES DECISION.

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**Student Phone:** 

Student Email (accessible in summer):

**Student Mailing Address:** 

Student City / State / Zip:

**Student High School:** 

Parent/Guardian #1 Name:

Parent/Guardian #1 Phone:

Parent/Guardian #1 Email:

Parent/Guardian #2 Name:

Parent/Guardian #2 Phone:

Parent/Guardian #2 Email:

**Student T-Shirt Size:** 

**Student Date of Birth:** 

Student's Principal Name and Email:





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PLEASE LIMIT ANSWERS TO NO MORE THAN 300 WORDS EACH. IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL ROOM PLEASE ATTACH A SEPERATE SHEET OF PAPER.

1. How did you hear about this Youth Tour opportunity?

2. What are your goals and study interests after high school?





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3. What makes you a good candidate to represent Kay Electric on the 2024 Youth Tour? What do you hope to learn during your Youth Tour experience in Washington, D.C.?

4. Commitment to Community is one of the seven core cooperative principles. What does it mean to you? How are you involved with your school, family and community? Include activities you participate in, honors or awards you've won, work experience, etc.



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5. What are the biggest challenges facing your generation, and how can you and your electric cooperative address them?

6. What benefits do electric cooperative members have compared to those who receive their power from investor-owned utilities, such as OG&E?



7. Optionally, attach a letter of recommendation.



### Media Pelease Form

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I understand that through my participation in the Kay Electric Cooperative Youth competition, my name, image and information provided by me to the cooperative may be used in various forms of media (print, video, web, etc.) for promotion by Kay Electric and OAEC only. Information will not be used elsewhere.

I hereby consent and authorize the use of my image and information by Kay Electric Cooperative and anyone authorized by Kay Electric Cooperative.

Signature:	
Printed Name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Signature of parent or guardian:	
Printed Name:	
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\*\*Please return this form along with your submission\*'

