



YOUTH LEADERSHIP

CALHOUN-GORDON COUNTY

LEADERSHIP IS MORE THAN JUST RAW TALENT AND DETERMINATION. WHILE A PORTION OF GREAT LEADERSHIP IS APTITUDE, A GREAT DEAL OF WHAT IT TAKES TO BE A LEADER IS SKILL-BASED AND CAN BE LEARNED. PARTICIPANTS WILL ACQUIRE AND BROADEN THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS, AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES THROUGH THIS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM.

THE YOUTH LEADERSHIP CALHOUN GORDON COUNTY PROGRAM IS HIGHLY INTERACTIVE WHICH PERMITS PARTICIPANTS TO REVIEW THE IMPACT EACH TOPIC HAS ON THEM AS WELL AS ON THE LARGER COMMUNITY.

Expectations

- 100% attendance is mandatory. If a student cannot commit to attending ALL the meetings, application is not encouraged.
- Scholarship opportunities are available to students who maintain perfect attendance throughout the entirety of the program.
- These classes will be held during school hours and the principals have allowed this to be an excused absence. Transportation via bus has been arranged for all participants when necessary. Students will be asked to provide their own transportation to some events.

Communication regarding the program must be done through the student, not the parent/guardian of the student.

Youth Leadership Program Application

Calhoun-Gordon County

2026-2027

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **Zip:** _____

Parent's Name(s): _____

High School: _____

DEADLINE: Friday, September 4, 2026

**Return applications to sponsor(s) at your school who will
then submit for class consideration:**

Calhoun High School:
Georgia Cumberland Academy:
Gordon Central High School:
Sonoraville High School:

Matt Rice, Dr. Tim Johnson
K.C. Larsen
Renee Hughes, Alan Hughes
Mary Manning, Ethan Samples, Dia Johnson

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I. BASIC INFORMATION

Name:			
	Last	First	Middle
Home Address:			T-Shirt Size:
City:		Zip:	
Email Address:		Cell Number:	
Do you have any special dietary requirements (vegetarian, allergies, etc.) that the committee should be aware of when preparing meals for Youth Leadership events?		Yes:	No:
If Yes, please explain:			

II. SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT

Please list any school activities in which you have been involved (clubs, athletic teams, etc.) and any leadership roles or offices held in the activity(ies).

Activity:		From:		To:	
Assignment/Position:					
Personal Responsibilities:					

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III. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Please list any community, social, athletic, or other activities in which you have participated (non-school). Please include any leadership roles or offices held within the activity(ies).

Organization:		From:		To:	
Assignment/Position:					
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IV. EMPLOYMENT RECORD

Please list your employment history, beginning with the most recent position. If you require additional space, please consult with your school contact person. If you have not been employed, please skip to next section.

Employer:		Title/Position:	
Briefly Describe the Duties and Responsibilities of the Position:			

I. PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

What do you consider as your three most significant contributions or achievements in school, at home, or in your community?

1.	
2.	
3.	

V. GOALS

Write a short paragraph (100 words or less) about how you can utilize your involvement in the Youth Leadership Program to enhance your leadership skills.