

Seattle Youth Commission 2017-18 Application

The Seattle Youth Commission is a group of fifteen Seattleites aged 13-19 from all over the city that work with local government to address issues that are important to youth.

What We Do

- DISCUSS issues and solutions with other Seattle youth and develop projects that address those concerns
- ADVISE the Mayor, City Council and City departments on issues that impact youth in Seattle
- LEARN from community and City leaders about local efforts underway to address issues of concern and ways that youth can get more involved

Time Commitment

Youth Commissioners serve a two-year term and are expected to attend the half-day retreat, SYC meetings, and other SYC-planned events. Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays from 4:30-6pm at Seattle City Hall.

Below is a snapshot of the 2017-18 SYC Schedule:

***Saturday, Sept 23, 10 am – 2 pm *Retreat*	Wednesday, February 7, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, Sept 27, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, February 21, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, October 4, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, March 7, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, October 18, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, March 21, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, November 1, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, April 4, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, November 15, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, April 18, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, November 29, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, May 2, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, December 6, 4:30-6 pm	Wednesday, May 16, 4:30-6 pm
Wednesday, January 3, 4:30-6 pm	***Wednesday, June 6, 4:30-6 pm Last Meeting
Wednesday, January 17, 4:30-6 pm	***SYC Annual Event - TBD

To Apply

Complete this electronic PDF on your computer or print out this PDF and complete by hand.

You can send your application via:

Email	Mail	In Person
seattleyouthcommission@seattle.gov	Seattle Department of Neighborhoods c/o Seattle Youth Commission PO Box 94649 Seattle, WA 98124-4649	Seattle Department of Neighborhoods City Hall 600 4 th Avenue, 4 th floor

*Applicants invited to interview will need to be available on August 7 or 9. All applicants will be notified of decision by Wednesday, August 2.

Deadline to apply is 5 pm, July 17.

Questions? Email seattleyouthcommission@seattle.gov or visit us online at www.seattle.gov/syc.



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Contact Information:

Name	
Street Address	
City and Zip Code	
Phone Number	
E-Mail Address	
School	
Grade	
Age	

Why do you want to become a member of the Seattle Youth Commission?

What are the issues in your community that you are passionate about and why?

What do you hope to gain from this experience?

What do you think makes your perspective unique to others?

SYC interviews will be scheduled for August 7 & 9 from 4:00 – 6:00 pm. Which of these days are you available? **There will be an opportunity to join interview via Skype.*

Monday, August 7

Wednesday, August 9

Additional comments:

References

Please include the name, phone number and email of two adult and one youth reference who we can talk with about your background and experiences.

Reference #1

Name	
Phone	
E-Mail	

Reference #2

Name	
Phone	
E-Mail	

Reference #3

Name	
Phone	
E-Mail	