

# 2023 - 2024

## The Fulton County Youth Commission Application



GETTING TOMORROW'S LEADERS  
INVOLVED TODAY!

FULTON COUNTY

**YOUTH**  
COMMISSION

# WELCOME

The Fulton County Youth Commission is a LEADERSHIP PROGRAM designed to help get tomorrow's LEADERS involved TODAY! As Youth Commissioners, they will address the many issues presently facing youth through the influences of government mandates, policies and legislation. Students will become familiar with how local government resolves youth issues and will make suggestions for the best solutions, but most importantly, help facilitate change.

For consideration, students must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a resident of Fulton County
- Must attend a school within Fulton County (public, private, charter)
- Must be in the 9th -11th grade during the 2023-2024 academic year
- Must submit a completed application and a two-page essay

**Applications are due by  
Friday May 19, 2023 by 5 p.m.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
contact Reginald Crossley at (404) 612-7386 or  
Reginald.Crossley@fultoncountyga.gov**

**Visit our website at [www.fultoncountyga.gov/FCYC](http://www.fultoncountyga.gov/FCYC)**

***Applications must be submitted via website or email***

## The Fulton County Youth Commission is looking for High School students to...

- Impact policies and legislation
- Interact with politicians on the local and state level
- Speak out on behalf of ALL Fulton County youth
- Help local government better understand the issues facing youth
- Plan community events and participate in volunteer projects





## **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

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**Get Involved! Be a Leader! Be a part of the solution!  
Make a Difference! Help Your Community!**

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**Fulton County Youth Commission  
Division of Youth & Community Services**

**APPLICATION**  
(2023-2024 Term)

*Deadline for submission: Friday, May 19 2023, by 5 p.m.*

**In order to be considered, students must meet the following criteria:**

- 1) Submit this APPLICATION filled out in its entirety.
- 2) Submit a TWO PAGE ESSAY (as outlined on page 2).
- 3) Submit a one page typed NOMINATION STATEMENT from a teacher, counselor, principal, pastor/religious leader, or community member who has known the applicant for at least one year.
- 4) Must be in the 9<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> grade during the 2023-2024 academic school year.
- 5) Must attend a Fulton County School, Atlanta Public School, Private or Charter within Fulton County lines.
- 6) Must be a Fulton County resident.

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN THE SPACES BELOW:**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(no post office boxes please)*

City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Race: \_\_\_\_\_  
(optional) (optional)

G.P.A: \_\_\_\_\_ School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size (Mark)      S      M      L      XL      2X      3X      4X

Nominator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please mark the category that best indicates the time you can commit to this organization.

**7-10 hours per week      4-6 hours per week      1-3 hours per week**

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In your opinion, what are the three most important issues facing youth today and how does it affect your generation? (**One of these important issues must be used to develop your ESSAY**)

1.

2.

3.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Nomination statement from Teacher, Counselor, School Administrator, or Civic Leader.
  - Detailed two page essay in **Times New Roman, font size 12 (single space)**. (*Choose the most political issue facing youth today. Develop an organized essay that includes an introduction, a body with **supportive ideas** and a conclusion with a specific positive action you think will **resolve** this concern.*)
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*Please submit your application via web:*

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