

YOUTH COUNCIL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- * The Youth Council Grant Program provides grants of up to \$500 for youth-led organizations who want to impact the Rock Hill community in a positive way.
- * Hosts Rock Hill Youth Service Day each year, where approximately 250 students participate in making the community a better place.
- * Helped with the Shoot 4 It basketball and read-in clinic at Emmett Scott Center.
- * Assists with several large city-run events, including the annual ChristmasVille festival and the Daddy Daughter Dance.
- * Held a benefit concert for the country of Zimbabwe with local Rock Hill bands.
- * Attended several conferences on civic and youth leadership, most recently in Charleston, SC and Washington DC.
- * Hosted a Key Influencers meeting with the Mayor to get youths' perspective on what Rock Hill should look like in 10 years.



"One person can make a difference and every person should try."

-John F. Kennedy

2018-2019 ROCK HILL YOUTH COUNCIL:

- Megha Gupta
- Lily Owens
- Jainjayne Daniels
- Raina Truong
- Elizabeth Howard
- Camron Wormley
- Morgan Werner
- Abby Thomas
- Jhy-Ann Walk
- Rorie Amos
- Abbey Linder
- Evelyn Barrales
- Janice Patterson
- John Mugabe
- Sydney Jackson
- Muskaan Sachdeva



The Rock Hill Youth Council was established in 2001, with the help of Rock Hill's Commission for Children and Youth.

The Youth Council consists of students from three public high schools, local private high schools, as well as home-schooled students in the Rock Hill School District.

FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CONTACT:

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Youth Leadership Coordinator
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ROCK HILL YOUTH COUNCIL

2019-2020

Application for Membership

Mission:

- Provide a forum for youth interests, needs and problems.
- Assist the City of Rock Hill's Commission for Children and Youth on issues relating to local youth while making recommendations for improvement.
- Organize and provide opportunities for participation in community projects.
- Promote positive youth development.
- Plan and promote fun activities for Rock Hill teens.



Applicants must be enrolled in 10th, 11th, or 12th grade, be able to attend monthly meetings and participate in projects.

Application Deadline is Friday, May 31, 2019



YOUTH COUNCIL APPLICATION

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Date of Birth:

Age:

School:

Current Grade:

REFERENCES

Please provide the names of two people who will recommend you to serve on the Youth Council.

Name:

Title:

Email:

Name:

Title:

Email:

APPLICANT EXPERIENCE

1) Name of Organization:

Title/Position:

Period of Involvement:

Name of Contact Person:

Phone:

2) Name of Organization:

Title/Position:

Period of Involvement:

Name of Contact Person:

Phone:

3) Name of Organization:

Title/Position:

Period of Involvement:

Name of Contact Person:

Phone:

Why are you interested in serving on the City of Rock Hill's Youth Council?

How can you help promote our events?

Do you have time to commit to 1 - 2 evening meetings per month?

Please read and sign below if you agree:

I understand attendance is very important. If I have too many absences, I may be replaced on the Youth Council. An attendance policy will be reviewed at the first meeting.

The information I have given is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the providing of false information may disqualify my consideration. I authorize the release of this information for verification purposes and understand that it will be used only to process my application. I also understand that this application may be shared with other local organizations seeking youth to serve on advisory boards or in similar capacities.

Signature of Student:

Date:

Application Deadline:

Completed applications must be submitted no later than 5 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019.

Mail to:

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Rock Hill, SC 29731

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