

2018 Annual Youth Legal Education Summit

The 2018 **Annual Youth Legal Education Summit** will take place at St. Thomas University on July 31, 2018 thru August 1, 2018.

The Miami-Dade County Teen Court Program (M-DCTC), under the administrative leadership of the Miami-Dade Economic Advocacy Trust (MDEAT), will train a new wave of high school lawyers, bailiffs and clerks during its **Annual Youth Legal Education Summit**.

High school students will receive a formal training for courtroom trials sanctioned by the program's volunteer training guidelines. These sessions educate and train youth volunteers in the many facets of the judicial process. Volunteer attorneys will mentor youth in becoming defense and prosecuting attorneys in the areas of law terminology, courtroom decorum, delivery of opening and closing arguments, cross-examination and many other legal courtroom techniques.

Students participating in the summit will also discuss topics of interest geared to address self-awareness and youth leadership.

On the last day of the training, students will participate in a mock trial where they are judged by practicing attorneys and/or judges.

The 2018 Annual Teen Court Youth Legal Education Summit is **free** and students selected to participate are prepared to become a Teen Court attorney, bailiff, or clerk. In addition, student participants will

earn **16 community hours** for their successful participation.

The participation in the summer summit is an amazing experience that exposes interested high school students to numerous opportunities.

Who is Eligible to Apply?

Any student in the 8th thru 12th grades interested in becoming an attorney or law enforcement officer or pursuing a career in criminal justice is a candidate to participate in this program.

What are the Requirements to Participate?

Those students interested in participating in the 2018 Annual Teen Court Youth Legal Education Summit will need to do the following:

- Complete the application and submit by the stipulated deadline.
- Obtain parental consent.
- Commit to volunteering in a minimum of two (2) Teen Court Hearings at the location of the student's choice on the day that Teen Court is held.
- Parent/Guardians will need to make travel arrangements

When is the deadline to submit the 2018 Summer Teen Court?

The deadline to submit the application for the 2018 Youth Legal Education Summit is **July 20, 2018**. Applications can be submitted in one the following manners:

Mail or Hand Delivery:

Attention: Araceli Acosta
MDEAT-Teen Court

Address: 111 N.W. 1st Street, Suite 2032
Miami, Florida 33128

Electronic Mail: (Scanned Copy with Signatures)

Attention: Araceli Acosta
MDEAT-Teen Court

Email Address: TeenCourtInfo@miamidade.gov

2018 Annual Teen Court**Attorney Training Information**

Date: July 31- August 1, 2018

Location: St. Thomas University
School of Law
16401 NW 37th Ave,
Miami Gardens, Florida 33054

Time: July 31, 2018 (9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.)
August 1, 2018 (9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.)

Cost: Free

Meals: Complimentary (FREE) Breakfast
& Lunch will be provided each day.



111 N.W. 1st Street, Suite 2032
Miami, Florida 33128
Telephone: 305-375-5661
Fax: 305-375-5645

16405 N.W. 25th Avenue, Room 107
Miami Gardens, Florida 33054
Telephone: 305-622-2592
Fax: 305-622-2593

www.miamidade.gov/economicadvocacytrust/teen-court.asp

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name:	_____		Student ID #	_____
Date of Birth:	_____	Age:	_____	Sex::
	_____		_____	_____
	<input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American		<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native		<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic	
Race:	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Ethnicity:	<input type="checkbox"/> Haitian	Telephone Number:
	_____		_____	_____
Home Address:	_____	City	_____	State
	_____		_____	_____
Email Address:	_____			

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name of School You Attend:	_____	Grade:	_____
T-Shirt Size	_____		_____

Extracurricular Activities

Directions: Please list any and all extracurricular activities that you participate in. (Including activities outside of school such as with religious and community organizations.)

DEADLINE: JULY 20, 2018

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Providing Youth with a Second Chance

If selected to participate in the 2018 Annual Youth Legal Education Summit, **I agree to volunteer in two (2) sessions during the 2018-2019 school year at the Teen Court locations of the student's choice. Parent/Guardians will need to make arrangements to provide transportation for the student.** In addition, I understand that I must commit to participating for the entire 2018 Annual Youth Legal Education Summit for its entire duration. This includes arriving on time each day and departing at the designated departure time.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

I hereby give my daughter/son permission to participate in the 2018 Annual Youth Legal Education Summit



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AUTHORIZATION FOR PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEO

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If 18 years of age or older:_____
Signature_____
Date_____
Printed Name**If a minor under the law:**_____
Parent/Guardian Signature_____
Witness_____
Parent/Guardian Printed Name_____
Date

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