

Attention Sophomores:

Win a trip to **CYCLE**

*the Cooperative Youth Conference
& Leadership Experience*

July 19-21 at the Doubletree Hotel in Jefferson City



2022CYCLE Delegates front row from left: Ramsie Tschappler, a student at Linn High School; Lauren Berhorst, a student at Fatima High School; Sagan Wilson, a student at Eugene High School; and Tia Bethards, a student at Lighthouse Preparatory Academy. Back row from left: Luke Kiso, a student at Belle High School; Tyler Kloeppe, a student at Fatima High School; Nicklaus Doerhoff, a student at Eugene High School; Kyra Mauntel, a student at New Haven High School; and Mia Jaegers, a student at Linn High School.

Sophomores: Are you a leader in your community and school? Do you want to learn more about our state's government? Do you want to make a difference in your part of the world? Would you like the opportunity to connect with other youth leaders and attend a national award-winning leadership camp? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then CYCLE is for you!

What is CYCLE? The Cooperative Youth Conference & Leadership Experience (CYCLE) is a program sponsored by Missouri's Electric Cooperatives. CYCLE brings together some of Missouri's best and brightest young leaders. The focus is to provide students with an inside look at Missouri's government, teach leadership skills and learn more about electric cooperatives. You will have the opportunity to make new friends, take exclusive tours, attend keynote presentations and other events. CYCLE is a truly unique and exciting leadership experience - and it's **FUN!!**

Leadership Development: Three Rivers Electric Cooperative wants you to better understand government, cooperative principles, learn decision making skills and develop a positive outlook about public service. By participating in the CYCLE program, you will have leadership skills that will help our communities, our state and our nation to grow!

Ready to Apply? See Official Rules on opposite page!

2023 CYCLE Program Official Rules

- The program is open to all high school sophomores living in or attending school in Three Rivers Electric Cooperative's service territory. Entrants need not be a cooperative member. Immediate family members (sons and daughters, sisters, brothers or grandchildren) of Three Rivers' employees or directors are not eligible.
- All entries must be postmarked or in the drop box at the Linn or Brazito office no later than Friday, March 24, 2023. No late entries will be accepted.
- Applications will be sent to area cooperatives for review and judging. Applications of 12 students will be chosen as finalists. The six students receiving the highest grade on their application will attend the CYCLE conference and the remaining six students will each receive \$50. The decision of the judges is final.



***The CYCLE Conference will take place
Wednesday, July 19 through Friday, July 21, 2023
at the Doubletree Hotel in Jefferson City.***



Three Rivers Electric Cooperative

2023 CYCLE Application

Deadline: **Friday, March 24, 2023**

Cooperative Youth Conference & Leadership Experience

Full Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____ Email Address: _____

Student's Phone Number: _____ Parents' Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardians Name (s): _____

Name of High School: _____

Teacher/Counselor's Name: _____

High School Phone Number: _____ Student's GPA: _____

Favorite School Class/Subject: _____

Personal Achievement - Non-Scholastic Activities

Note: Additional paper may be used to record your answers if needed. Please attach to the original application.

List the clubs/organizations or community service activities you have participated in outside of school.

Personal Achievement - Scholastic Activities & Record

List the clubs/organizations and outstanding activities you have participated in during your high school career (class officer, club membership, athletics, music, etc.). List scholastic awards received (local, county, district, state or national).

Personal Statement

Tell us what you are passionate about:

References

Please list two references - not related to you - (name, address and phone number)

1 _____

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