

LOUISIANA  
NATIONAL GUARD



# Youth Challenge Program Application

October 15, 2017  
Class at  
Gillis W. Long  
Center



For more information:

**1-800-Camp-Kid**

[www.langycp.com](http://www.langycp.com)





## INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLY:

1. **Hand carry the completed application** to one of the interviews listed on the interview schedule.
2. **Every applicant MUST attend an interview.** Refer to the interview schedule on the last page of this packet for the nearest location, date, and time. You may access the interview schedule on the website at [www.langycp.com](http://www.langycp.com), or you may call 1-800-CAMP-KID.
3. **Each applicant should know their social security number** or bring the social security card to the interview.

The Louisiana National Guard Youth Challenge Program (YCP) is an alternative education program designed for 16-18 year olds looking for an opportunity to change their future while working to obtain their high school equivalency diploma (GED/HiSET).

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) Between 16 and 18 years old
- 2) US citizen & legal Louisiana resident
- 3) Willing to become drug free
- 4) Cannot be court ordered – the decision to attend should be made by the family
- 5) Not convicted of an adult felony

## ABOUT LA YOUTH CHALLENGE PROGRAM:

- **FREE two part program:**
  - **5-month residential phase** – Participants live in a military-like environment, which encourages teamwork and personal growth. Students attend school, receive individual counseling, and are supervised 24 hours a day. YCP combines classroom work, community service, physical training, and challenging individual and team activities into one unique experience.
  - **12-month post-residential phase** – Following the 5-month residential phase, graduates return to their home communities and continue to work toward achieving their education and career goals. YCP case managers, and volunteer community mentors, assist graduates to enroll in college, begin job training, find employment, or enlist in the military. These mentoring relationships are key to helping graduates continue with the positive changes that occur during YCP.

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**DO NOT MAIL THIS APPLICATION**

*Hand carry this completed application to one of the interviews listed on the reverse side.*

**Applicant Information**

Have you ever applied to Youth Challenge before? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Date of Birth	Age	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Ethnicity <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> America Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian		
Number in Household	Family Income <input type="checkbox"/> Less than \$15,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000-\$25,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000-\$35,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$35,000-\$45,000 <input type="checkbox"/> Greater than \$45,000	
Primary Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work	Parish	
Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Last School Attended		

**Legal Guardian Only**

Relationship to applicant: <input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-parent <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Primary Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	
Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	Alternate Phone and Contact Name ( ) -	
Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Email Address		

**Please complete the following only if you have a second legal guardian at a different address**

Relationship to applicant: <input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step-parent <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Primary Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	
Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -	Alternate Phone and Contact Name ( ) -	
Mailing Address		
City	State	Zip Code

**Alternate Emergency Contact**

Name	Relationship to cadet	Primary Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -
		Alternate Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work ( ) -

YCP DOES NOT EXCLUDE ANY PERSON BASED UPON RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, GENDER OR RELIGION



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Date-Time-Location	Interview Address	Driving Directions
<b>August 3, 2017</b> <b>Thursday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Baton Rouge</b>	National Guard Armory 8110 Innovation Park Dr. Baton Rouge, LA 70820	<b>From LSU Campus:</b> Head South on Nicholson Drive. Turn Left onto Innovation Park Drive and Armory will be on the right <b>From I-10 West toward Baton Rouge:</b> Exit onto Bluebonnet Blvd. and head Southwest. Turn Right onto Burbank Dr. Turn Left onto Gardere Lane. Take the first right onto Innovation Park Drive . Armory is on your left
<b>August 9, 2017</b> <b>Wednesday 11:00 AM</b> <b>Pineville</b>	Camp Beauregard National Guard Armory 801 11th Street Pineville, LA 71360	<b>From I-49:</b> Take the Pineville Expressway Exit (Exit #84). Travel approx. 3 miles. Turn right at the Monroe / Alexandria Exit (Hwy 165 N.) At the 3rd traffic light turn right onto LA-116 / Esler Field Rd., (on the side of Walmart) Camp Beauregard is straight ahead.
<b>August 10, 2017</b> <b>Thursday 9:00 AM</b> <b>Bossier City</b>	National Guard Armory 4156 Military Drive Bossier City, LA 71111	<b>From I-20 coming from Shreveport:</b> Take Exit #23 for Industrial Drive. Turn left at the light and drive North on industrial Drive (782-2). Continue driving North on Swan Lake Road. Turn left on Military Drive in front of ICEE corporation. The armory is straight ahead.
<b>August 12, 2017</b> <b>Saturday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Lafayette</b>	National Guard Armory 1806 Surrey St. Lafayette, LA 70508	<b>From I-10 in Lafayette:</b> Exit onto US 167/I-49 S toward Lafayette. US-167/I-49 S becomes SW Evangeline Trwy/US-90 E. Travel through Lafayette approx. 1.3 miles on Evangeline Trwy/US-90. Turn left onto Surrey St. (near airport). Armory is on the left.
<b>August 15, 2017</b> <b>Tuesday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Houma</b>	National Guard Armory 1000 Williams Ave. Houma, LA 70364	<b>From New Orleans:</b> Drive West on I-10. Take Exit #220/Boutte/Houma onto I-310 S. Take Houma exit onto US Hwy 90 W and continue driving on Hwy 90 W. Take Exit #210/Houma. Turn left on Hwy 182 W and continue driving. Turn right on 6th street. Armory is on right on corner of 6th street and Williams Ave.
<b>August 22, 2017</b> <b>Tuesday 10:00 AM</b> <b>New Orleans</b>	Jackson Barracks Dining Facility 6400 St. Claude Ave New Orleans, LA 70146	<b>From Metairie:</b> Head SW (I-10/New Orleans). Take Exit #236B and merge onto N Claiborne Ave/LA-39 S. Cross the bridge and the entrance gate will be about 2 miles on right. <b>From Slidell:</b> Take the ramp onto I-10W. Take Exit #246 A to merge onto I-510S/LA-47 towards Chalmette. Continue onto LA-47S /Paris Rd. Take right on Judge Perez Hwy and entrance gate is on the left
<b>August 23, 2017</b> <b>Wednesday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Covington</b>	National Guard Armory 1320 N. Columbia St. Covington, LA 70433	<b>From I-12:</b> Take the LA-21 North Exit (Exit #59) toward Covington. Turn left onto LA-21 N. Stay straight to drive onto N. Tyler St. Turn on N. Columbia St. Armory is on the left
<b>August 24, 2017</b> <b>Thursday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Baton Rouge</b>	National Guard Armory 8110 Innovation Park Dr Baton Rouge, LA 70820	See the Baton Rouge driving directions above
<b>August 30, 2017</b> <b>Wednesday 11:00 AM</b> <b>Pineville</b>	Camp Beauregard Post Theater 720 E Street Pineville, LA 71360	See the Pineville driving directions above
<b>August 31, 2017</b> <b>Thursday 9:00 AM</b> <b>West Monroe</b>	National Guard Armory 105 Industrial Street. West Monroe, LA 71292	<b>From I-20:</b> Take the LA-617/Thomas Rd. Exit (Exit #114). Drive South on LA-617/Thomas Rd. Turn right on Downing Pines Rd. Turn left on Industrial St. Armory is on the left.
<b>September 6, 2017</b> <b>Wednesday 10:00 AM</b> <b>New Orleans</b>	Jackson Barracks Dining Facility 6400 St. Claude Ave New Orleans, LA 70146	See the New Orleans driving directions above
<b>September 7, 2017</b> <b>Thursday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Baton Rouge</b>	National Guard Armory 8110 Innovation Park Dr. Baton Rouge, LA 70820	See the Baton Rouge driving directions above
<b>September 9, 2017</b> <b>Saturday 10:00 AM</b> <b>Lafayette</b>	National Guard Armory 1806 Surrey St. Lafayette, LA 70508	See the Lafayette driving directions above