



Kitsap Youth in Action



Youth Volunteer Enrollment Form

First Name _____ Middle Initial ____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Home Phone _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender (M/F) _____

School _____ Grade _____

Hobbies/Interests/Activities _____

How did you find out about KYA? _____

Email address: _____

Ethnicity: (This information is optional and for statistical purposes only.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African American | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native American | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Racial | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) |

Highest level of schooling you plan to complete?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> High School | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate 4 Yr College |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Some College | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate or Professional School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Technical or Vocational Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure |

Future career interests? _____

What is the number one reason you want to become a Youth Volunteer?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Wanted something to do | <input type="checkbox"/> Wanted to help others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School requirement | <input type="checkbox"/> To be with friends |
| <input type="checkbox"/> To learn job skills | <input type="checkbox"/> To earn extra school credit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Part of school club | <input type="checkbox"/> To earn job references |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

What in your opinion are the most important problems in your community?

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Youth Volunteer Pre-Program Survey

Youth Volunteer Name _____

Please circle the number next to each question that best describes you right now.

	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>A little bit</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Pretty much</u>	<u>A whole lot</u>
1. <u>I am outgoing and personable.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
2. <u>People like me.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
3. <u>I believe in serving my community.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
4. <u>I believe I can make a difference.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
5. <u>I have a plan for my future.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
6. <u>I enjoy working with young children.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
7. <u>I am aware of my community needs.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
8. <u>I would like to help solve community problems.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
9. <u>People with disabilities can hold jobs & contribute to society.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
10. <u>I like helping people.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
11. <u>I enjoy meeting new people.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
12. <u>I believe education and learning are important.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
13. <u>I appreciate my parents.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
14. <u>I am a hard worker.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
15. <u>I enjoy being part of a team.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
16. <u>I am open-minded.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
17. <u>I have a lot to offer.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
18. <u>I am a person of self worth, equal to others.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
19. <u>I am a leader.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	
20. <u>Do you feel volunteering is important & meaningful to the community?</u>			<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	
21. <u>Have you ever volunteered before?</u>			<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	
22. <u>Do you think you know a lot about your community?</u>			<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	
23. <u>Do you think you have something valuable to offer your community?</u>			<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	

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Developmental Assets Checklist

Please check next to the statements that you feel are true about you, that you have in you life right now, or that you would consider as "asset".

	<u>Category</u>	<u>Definition</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Family Support</u>	<u>Family life provides lots of love and support</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>Positive Family Communication</u>	<u>You and your parents communicate positively, and you are willing to seek advice and help from you parents.</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>Other Adult Relationships</u>	<u>You receive support from three or more non-parent adults.</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>Caring Neighborhood</u>	<u>You have caring neighbors.</u>
<u>5</u>	<u>Caring School Climate</u>	<u>School provides a caring, encouraging environment</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>Parent Involvement in Schooling</u>	<u>Parent(s) are actively involved in helping you succeed in school.</u>
<u>7</u>	<u>Community Values Youth</u>	<u>You think that adults in the community appreciate youth.</u>
<u>8</u>	<u>Youth as Resources</u>	<u>You are given useful roles in the community.</u>
<u>9</u>	<u>Service to Others</u>	<u>You serve the community one hour or more per week.</u>
<u>10</u>	<u>Safety</u>	<u>You feel safe at home, school, and in the neighborhood.</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>Family Boundaries</u>	<u>Your family has clear rules and consequences and monitors where you are.</u>
<u>12</u>	<u>School Boundaries</u>	<u>School gives you clear rules and consequences.</u>
<u>13</u>	<u>Neighborhood Boundaries</u>	<u>Neighbors watch out for you and make sure you are behaving well.</u>
<u>14</u>	<u>Adult Role Models</u>	<u>Parent(s) and other adults show you positive, responsible behavior.</u>
<u>15</u>	<u>Positive Peer Influence</u>	<u>Your best friends model positive behaviors.</u>
<u>16</u>	<u>High Expectations</u>	<u>Both Parent(s) and teachers encourage you to do well.</u>
<u>17</u>	<u>Creative Activities</u>	<u>You spend three or more hours per week in lessons or practice in music, theater or other arts.</u>
<u>18</u>	<u>Youth Programs</u>	<u>You spend three or more hours per week in sports, clubs, or organizations at school and/or in the community.</u>
<u>19</u>	<u>Religious Community</u>	<u>You spend one or more hours per week in activities in a religious institution.</u>
<u>20</u>	<u>Time at Home</u>	<u>You are out with friends "with nothing to do" two or fewer nights per week.</u>
<u>21</u>	<u>Achievement Motivation</u>	<u>You are motivated to do well in school.</u>
<u>22</u>	<u>School Engagement</u>	<u>You are actively engaged in learning.</u>
<u>23</u>	<u>Homework</u>	<u>You do at least one hour of homework every school day.</u>
<u>24</u>	<u>Bonding to School</u>	<u>You care about your school.</u>
<u>25</u>	<u>Reading for Pleasure</u>	<u>You read for fun three or more hours per week.</u>
<u>26</u>	<u>Caring</u>	<u>You believe in helping other people.</u>
<u>27</u>	<u>Equality & Social Justice</u>	<u>You believe in and support equality and reducing hunger and poverty.</u>
<u>28</u>	<u>Integrity</u>	<u>You act on conviction and stand up for your beliefs.</u>
<u>29</u>	<u>Honesty</u>	<u>You tell the truth, even when it is not easy.</u>
<u>30</u>	<u>Responsibility</u>	<u>You accept and take personal responsibility for what you do.</u>
<u>31</u>	<u>Restraint</u>	<u>You believe it is important to not be sexually active or use alcohol or other drugs.</u>
<u>32</u>	<u>Planning & Decision Making</u>	<u>You know how to plan ahead and make choices.</u>
<u>33</u>	<u>Interpersonal Competence</u>	<u>You have empathy, sensitivity, and friendship skills.</u>
<u>34</u>	<u>Cultural Competence</u>	<u>You have knowledge of and are comfortable with people of different cultural/racial/ethnic backgrounds.</u>
<u>35</u>	<u>Resistance Skills</u>	<u>You can resist negative peer pressure and dangerous situations.</u>
<u>36</u>	<u>Peaceful Conflict Resolution</u>	<u>You settle disagreements nonviolently.</u>
<u>37</u>	<u>Personal Power</u>	<u>You feel you have control over the things that happen to you.</u>
<u>38</u>	<u>Self-Esteem</u>	<u>You have high self-esteem, a good feeling about yourself.</u>
<u>39</u>	<u>Sense of Purpose</u>	<u>You believe that your life has a purpose.</u>
<u>40</u>	<u>Positive View of Personal Future</u>	<u>You are optimistic about your personal future.</u>

Parent Permission/Release Form

Dear Parent/Guardian: In order to participate in KYA Kitsap County projects and activities, youth volunteers must have your written permission. Please fill out the information below, sign and return it to the KYA office, or to the adult in charge of the activity. Thank you for your help.

Medical Care Authorization: I will make certain that my child named, on this application, is in good health at the time of the activities. In case of medical or surgical emergency, after every reasonable effort has been made to contact me, the family physician or relatives or friends named below: **I hereby give my permission to the physician, secured by the adult in charge of the activities, to hospitalize, secure treatment for, and to order injections, anesthesia, or surgery for my child.** In the event that any such treatment is not covered by insurance applicable to the activities, I will pay the expenses incurred in any such emergency.

Disclosure: I understand that adult supervisors will accompany my child on all projects and activities. I also understand that the supervisors may be volunteers and that the project or activity will involve the normal level of risk associated with such a project or activity. **I hereby release, exonerate and discharge the Kitsap Youth in Action (KYA), and Kitsap Community Resources and its employees from any and all action or cause of actions, known or unknown, for any injuries incurred while volunteering for Kitsap Youth in Action.** In the event my child or ward is photographed or videotaped while participating with KYA activities, the picture or video may be used by KYA or any of its sponsoring agencies. **I release KYA and its sponsors from any and all liabilities arising from use of these items for publicity and waive the right to all negatives, photos, tapes, and reproductions, as well as waive my right to inspect or approve the finished photographs and/or tapes.** I give my permission for my child to ride in Kitsap Community Resources (KCR) van when available.

Parents' Responsibility: I will take the responsibility to see that my child is properly prepared for all activities including having proper clothes and equipment and being in good health. I will inform the KYA Supervisor of any particular physical, mental, social or other condition of my child of which the KYA Supervisor should be aware.

List any medical problems, allergies, etc. _____

Are immunizations, tetanus, etc. current? _____

I have read and understood the above statements:

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Name

Work Phone

Family Physician

Phone

Local Emergency Contact (If unable to reach you)

Relationship Phone

CONTRACT BETWEEN YOUTH VOLUNTEER PARENT (S) AND Kitsap Youth in Action

Kitsap Youth in Action, agrees to:

- ☞ Provide the Youth Volunteer with an appropriate placement that matches his/her skills, abilities, experiences and interests.
- ☞ Provide a trained Team Leader/Supervisor to guide and assist the Youth Volunteer during his/her project.
- ☞ Ensure time for the team to plan, discuss, and reflect upon their projects.
- ☞ Conduct an evaluation with the Youth Volunteer on the service experience.
- ☞ Recognize the volunteer efforts of the Youth Volunteer and, when requested, provide confirmation of participation for school, community, job and/or college references.

I, the Youth Volunteer, agree to:

- ☞ Report to the projects on time, prepared to participate.
- ☞ Carry out assignments with a positive, respectful attitude.
- ☞ Work as a team member in dealing with challenges and participate as a part of a group.
- ☞ Complete the evaluations of each project and the program, as given.
- ☞ Notify the Team Leader of any absence or situation that prevents me from participating.
- ☞ Accept Kitsap Youth in Action right to dismiss any volunteer for poor performance or poor attendance.
- ☞ Have respect for others, respect for myself and take on full responsibilities for all my actions.

I/We the Parent(s) agree to:

☞ Make transportation arrangements for our child: **Circle all that apply.**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I will deliver and pick up our child from Service Projects/Events | <input type="checkbox"/> My child will ride the bus |
| <input type="checkbox"/> My child will walk | <input type="checkbox"/> My child will ride in the KCR van when available |

Youth Volunteer Signature

Date

KYA Team Leader Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

KYA Coordinator Signature

Date