



**JUNIOR COUNSELOR APPLICATION
MYL 2012 SEMINAR**

Name: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
 Email: _____
 High School: _____ Graduation year: _____
 Seminar you attended: _____
 Team/Counselor Names: _____

REQUIREMENTS

QUALIFYING ACTIVITES & EVENTS	POINTS
1)	
2)	
3)	
4)	
5)	
TOTAL POINTS	
Completed and attached essay: What did you enjoy most about your Seminar experience and how did it benefit you? -----OR----- How has the MYL experience contributed to your leadership abilities? Would you allow us to quote or share your essay for publications and program purposes? ____ Yes ____ No (This will have no bearing on your acceptance as a JC)	____ Yes
Can you meet the JC expectations listed on page 3	____ Yes ____ No
Completed Schedule Availability on page 4	____ Yes

REQUIREMENT GUIDELINES

- Your application **must** be post marked by March 1st, 2012. Submissions should be sent to
Maine Youth Leadership
PO Box 11483
Portland, ME 04104
- Earn 100 points off the following list. List your qualifying points on the first page.

QUALIFYING ACTIVITES & EVENTS	POINTS
Fundraising Secured donations (can't be from parents, school or own pocket). List all donations received and promised to you. Checks should be made payable to: Maine Youth Leadership and mailed to: PO Box 11483 Portland ME 04101 Please fill out the included donor log and submit with application	
\$50-99	20
\$100-149	50
\$150 or more	70
Volunteer Hours Recording your hours can be done by either of the listed below 1. On the included Volunteer log or separate sheet of paper, list : Volunteer Activity, Volunteer Hours, Contact/Supervisor Name 2. On this site: http://maineyouthleadership.org/2012/volunteer-hours-log/	
Completed over 101 volunteer hours	70
Completed 100 volunteer hours this past year	60
Completed 76-99 volunteer hours	50
Completed 50-75 volunteer hours	25
Plan a fundraiser event for MYL	20
Promoted MYL Seminar through school (school must have selected a sophomore for this year's seminar). Get an ambassador from your school.	10
Spoke/speaking with a cooperating organization (i.e. civic club like Kiwanis, Woman's Club)	20
Have planned an Alumni Event(s)	10
Attended an MYL Alumni Event	5
Wrote article for the web/newsletter	10
Planned/planning a MYL 1-Day Seminar	50
JC at 1-Day Seminar	20

- Complete the essay question – please attach separately.

What did you enjoy most about your Seminar experience and how did it benefit you?

-----OR-----

How has the MYL experience contributed to your leadership abilities?

4. Commit to meeting the JC expectations.

EXPECTATIONS OF A JC:

- Attend the entire 4-day seminar May 17th to May 20th 2012 at USM-Gorham. JCs must arrive at the campus on Wednesday, May 16th. Time TBD.
 - Attend a facilitator training for the seminar – one day to be announced (April or May)
 - Follow Maine Youth Leadership Ambassador Rules and Regulations
 - Help with seminar preparation – You may get assignments from your Senior Facilitator
 - Maintain enthusiasm during seminar weekend
 - Lead Cheers appropriately and with enthusiasm
 - Help the Senior Facilitator contact group ambassadors prior to seminar
 - Remain with assigned group throughout seminar weekend (some exceptions apply)
 - Work with group's Senior Facilitator and other Junior Counselors to make it an outstanding weekend!
 - Your primary role at the seminar will be to **facilitate** the Ambassadors experience at the seminar not **monopolize** it.
5. Report any scheduling conflicts you may have. In order to make the seminar run effectively, we need to be staffed as completely as possible. Understanding that you are volunteering your time, we know there are conflicts in scheduling. Please look ahead to your schedule and let us know what conflicts you have. It is in your best interest to be honest with us. Last minute requests might not be granted. Preference may be given to JC applicants who can be available the whole weekend. Complete the scheduling conflict form on page 4.

Disclaimers: This application is not meant to be a burden to you or your time. We have limited room for JC's depending on the response. Please try to document your hours as accurately as possible. The fundraising portion cannot come from you, your family, or school. You don't have to have donations in hand with application – only promised by 3/1/12. We hope to have donations by 6/30/12. Fundraising doesn't guarantee acceptance. Please feel free to contact Cookie Treible at saratreible@gmail.com for ideas on fundraising or questions. Use the Kintera site! <http://mylgive.kintera.org>



Scheduling Conflicts for 2012 Seminar

Date	Reason for conflict
Wednesday, May 16 th	
Thursday, May 17 th	
Friday, May 18 th	
Saturday, May 19 th	
Sunday, May 20 th	



Donations Log

Name of Donor	Street, Town, State & Zip	Phone number & email (if possible)	Amount