

YOUTH TOUR & CYCLE ESSAY CONTEST 2024



YOUTH TOUR

June 14-20, 2024

For six days in June, delegates will be sent on an all expense paid trip to our nation's capital! Only the top two current (2024-2025) **sophomore** essay winners will be selected!



CYCLE

July 16-19, 2024

For three days in July, delegates will be sent on an all expense paid trip to our state capitol! Only the top two current (2024-2025) **freshmen** essay winners will be selected!

HOW TO APPLY

Submit an essay of 500 to 750 words or a two minute video explaining what leadership role(s) you currently have and how this opportunity will help you continue future leadership within your community.

RULES

- For students to be eligible, parents or legal guardians must be current members of CEC and maintain full-time residency within the service area.
- Entries must be postmarked by March 1, 2024
- Complete official entry application and student profile and return with your essay or video to:

Youth Tour/CYCLE essay contest

Citizens Electric Corporation

1500 Rand Avenue

Perryville, Missouri 63775

Official Entry Application

I wish to participate in the 2024 Youth Tour/CYCLE Essay Contest for a chance to win an all-expense trip to Washington, DC or Jefferson City.

Name: _____

Age: _____ School: _____

Parent/Guardian name(s): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Date of birth: ____/____/____ I'm a (check one) ☐ sophomore ☐ freshman interested in applying for ☐ Youth Tour ☐ CYCLE

As a parent/guardian of the above-named student, I give my approval for he or she to enter the 2024 Youth Tour/CYCLE essay contest. If selected, he/she has my permission to participate.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature



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STUDENT PROFILE

Name: _____ School: _____

List any extracurricular activities (teams, clubs, organizations, etc.) you participate in :

What are your education/career plans after high school?

What is one thing you would do to improve your community?

Why did you enter this contest?

How do you spend your free time?

Describe a leader in your life:
