



JUNIOR LEADERSHIP RAPID CITY

Program Application

(Please Type or Print Legibly)

NAME: _____ **Circle:** SOPH JUNIOR SENIOR

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _(_____)_____ **Circle:** Home / Personal Cell / Parent Cell / Text Capability: YES / NO

E-MAIL: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ SCHOOL: _____

NAME(S) OF PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S): _____

IS PARENT AN ALUMNUS OF LEADERSHIP RAPID CITY? **Circle:** YES / NO

HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT JR LRC? _____

Please type your responses to the following questions on additional pages. Please be thorough but brief.

1. EDUCATION & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List the school-related activities and organizations that you participate in, offices held, and notable academic accomplishments and honors.

2. COMMUNITY SERVICE AND OTHER INTERESTS

List your volunteer and/or community service activities, non-school activities (church, scouting, dance, etc.), and special interests or skills you may have.

3. FUTURE GOALS

Briefly describe your educational, career, and/or personal plans after high school graduation.

4. ESSAY: CHARACTERISTICS OF LEADERSHIP

Compose a formal essay of no more than 1 ½ pages about what you believe to be the primary traits of an effective leader. In doing so, identify a person(s) you feel exemplifies those traits. Share with us which one of these traits you feel you have or hope to acquire through Junior Leadership Rapid City and other leadership training.

5. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

With your application materials, include **TWO** letters of recommendation from people who are not related to you: one school representative (teacher, counselor or administrator), plus another adult.

6. APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

7. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

SUBMIT ALL YOUR MATERIALS TOGETHER to the Chamber office, by mail or hand delivery. **All materials must be received by 5:00 p.m. November 30. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.**

Mail to: Jr. LRC / c/o Rapid City Area Chamber of Commerce / PO Box 747 / Rapid City, SD 57709.

Deliver to: Rapid City Area Chamber of Commerce, 444 Mt. Rushmore Road N, Rapid City.

*We recognize that you may have a prior commitment for an important school activity which conflicts with your attendance at one of the sessions. Under special circumstances the admissions committee may grant an excused absence, but will only consider doing so if you provide an adequate explanation in your application.