



Unicameral Youth Conference

First-timer Application

Would you like to ...

- make a difference in your community?
- learn the fine art of debate?
- make friends with similar interests?
- be a state senator?

Then Unicameral Youth Conference is for you!

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The Details ...

Who can come? UYC is for all youth who'll be in grades 9-12 next fall and who have an interest in politics and state government. ***Registration deadline is May 1 and will be limited to the first 33 applicants.***

Where? UYC will be held at the Nebraska State Capitol as well as the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Burr Hall. Burr Hall is located on East Campus, just east of 33rd and Holdrege streets in Lincoln.

What will we do? Take on the role of a state senator for three days, debate bills, discover how a bill becomes a law, learn the importance of compromise and good debate, and much more!

The cost? \$250. (**Note the registration deadlines listed above**). The cost includes all meals and programs in the conference. Please make your check payable to UNL-SREC.

** A limited number of scholarships are available. To apply for a scholarship, please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper and return it with your registration form: Why do I need the scholarship? Why do I want to come to UYC? **

What should I bring? You will need a variety of clothing, from casual shorts and t-shirts to wear in the residence halls to professional business attire (business suits or dresses for ladies and slacks and a shirt and tie for gentleman). Bring comfortable shoes as well as dress shoes for the professional-attire days.

You may also want to pack: an alarm clock, bathing suit, towels and toiletries, notebook and pen/pencil, blanket or sleeping bag and pillow (sheets and pillowcases are furnished), a small amount of spending money for snacks.

What did participants say about UYC?

“Unicameral Youth was a lot of fun!”

“This was a really exciting camp, I will be back next year.”

“I thought it would be boring but it was great fun. It was the best UNL or 4-H camp I have attended.”

Return your payment, Permission and Health form and Code of Conduct form to:

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