



Junior Advocate Program Application

Street Hope TN is a faith-based non-profit organization that focuses on ending the sexual exploitation and trafficking of children and providing a safe environment to foster healing and hope through Jesus Christ.

Street Hope TN created the Junior Advocate Program to develop the next generation of leaders by increasing engagement in high school students with peer to peer training and outreach that will result in creating lifelong ambassadors to our ministry and mission. This is an 11-month program open to high school students only that will give each participant opportunities to volunteer and advocate for Street Hope TN. Each participant must accomplish all the goals of the program in order to complete and graduate the program.

Interested applicants must complete and submit this application along with 2 letters of recommendation (one teacher reference and one personal reference) to Street Hope TN by May 1st. Documents may be submitted by email or through mail.

If submitting by email, please send all documents to Samantha Hicks at Samantha@streethopetn.org.

If submitting by mail, please mail all documents to Street Hope TN at PO Box 1170 Powell, TN. 37849.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must embrace Street Hope TN's mission and core values.
- Must be a current High School student in good standing at school.
- Must have availability to attend monthly team meetings on 2nd Sunday from 4-5pm each month from September – March.
- Must be comfortable with public speaking.
- Must display honesty and have a positive attitude.
- Must have a passion for this project and the population of vulnerable children.
- Must have strong organizational skills.

PROGRAM GOALS:

1. Attend scheduled monthly team meetings during September- March (on 2nd Sunday from 4-5 pm)
2. Collect items for Garland Oaks throughout Summer to donate at the End of Summer Celebration.
3. Volunteer at 2 of Street Hope TN's big events (Hope Will Rise Dinner, Run4TheirLives 5k or Garland Oaks Worship Service). Dates will be provided at parent information meeting.
4. Attend at least 2 prayer gatherings throughout the program. Prayer Gatherings are on the last Tuesday of every month at 7pm at West Park Baptist Church.
5. Schedule a date and time to host a SHTN information table (must have approval of Prevention Educator).
6. Schedule and co-lead a training with the Prevention Educator (must have approval of Prevention Educator).
7. Sell at least 5 tickets to the Hope Will Rise annual fundraising dinner scheduled for September.
8. Participate in the Shine A Light on Slavery Day (draw red X on hand) and post on social media, if possible.
9. Memorize Isaiah 61:1-3. This is Street Hope TN's theme verse.
10. Write a short reflection (one page) about what you learned through the Junior Advocate Program. Must be submitted to Prevention Educator by April 1st.



PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ Name of school: _____

City/ State & Zip: _____ Current Grade: _____

Phone: _____ Name of church: _____

E-mail: _____ Pastor's Name: _____

Do you meet all qualifications for this program? _____

Why are you interested in becoming a Junior Advocate? _____

Please describe your personal relationship with God. _____

Do you have any experience with public speaking? _____

How did you hear about Street Hope TN? _____



What extra-curricular activities are you involved with, if any? _____

Junior Advocates are expected to attend monthly meetings for the months of September – March. Are you able to make this commitment? _____

What characteristics and gifts do you have that would make you a good Junior Advocate?

List all of the dates you are not available this summer (vacation, youth trips, etc.), or if you are working, let us know what days you typically work: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Name: _____

Relation: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Email: _____

Phone Number: _____