



WASHINGTON YOUTH TOUR

Inter-County Energy is offering high school juniors a one-day trip to Frankfort and a once in a lifetime opportunity to tour Washington DC.

The Kentucky Rural Electric Washington Youth Tour is an annual, weeklong, all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, DC. Twenty-two of Kentucky's 24 electric cooperatives participate in the Washington Youth Tour. Nationwide, electric co-ops from forty-six states participate. In all, more than 1,500 young people from across the nation gather in Washington, DC, each year for this event. Kentucky's electric co-ops send students to Washington, DC, for a number of reasons including:

- rewarding students for academic achievement and community leadership;
- educating students about the role of electric co-ops in the national economy;
- fostering students' appreciation for the democratic form of government;
- exposing students to the sights and sounds of our nation's heritage.

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

1) Applicant must be an actively enrolled junior in good standing from one of the following Inter-County Energy directorial districts: Boyle, Casey, Garrard, Lincoln, Mercer, or Marion County.

2) Applicant must submit a Washington Youth Tour Application, Transcript, and a Teacher Recommendation Letter. **Deadline January 17, 2025**

3) Winners will be required to attend the Frankfort Youth Tour that takes place in February or March, as well as the Washington Youth Tour **June 16-21, 2025**

DISCLAIMER: Youth Tour awards will be chosen by the decision of a panel of judges selected by Inter-County Energy Cooperative. All decisions of the judges are final. All materials, images, resumes, essays, and applications submitted by the applicant become the sole and absolute property of Inter-County Energy Cooperative and its affiliated companies. It is the sole decision and discretion of Inter-County Energy Cooperative to disqualify any applicant who does not comply with any of the entry and participation rules as set forth in the application process. Incomplete or inappropriate entries will not be considered for awards.



2025 WASHINGTON YOUTH TOUR

Application Deadline: Friday, January 17, 2025

Name _____ Age _____ Email _____

Address _____ Cell # _____ SSN _____ - _____ - _____

High School Attending _____ GPA _____ ** Attach copy of Transcript**

Expected Graduation Date _____ Future Plans _____

T-Shirt Size _____ Congressional House Member _____

Parents Names _____ Parents Cell Phone _____

Use additional paper as needed for all questions

List activities in which you have participated and special honors you have received during high school.

Have you visited Washington D.C., before? Yes or No _____

Why do you want to go on the Washington Youth Tour? _____

In your own words, describe the purpose of an electric cooperative? _____

Mail your entry form to Inter County Energy, ATTN: April Burgess, P.O. Box 87, Danville, KY 40423 or email the form to mail@intercountyenergy.net

Questions? Call 859-936-7822 or email april@intercountyenergy.net