



OFFICE OF THE

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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2017 Summer Youth Education Conference

The Office of the District Attorney, Orange County, is now accepting applications for the 18th annual Summer Youth Education Conference. This program is an intensive week-long summer program, which focuses on the criminal justice system. If you are a rising junior or senior and are interested in either pursuing a career in any area of the criminal justice system or learning about the role of local law enforcement agencies, you are encouraged to apply.

This summer conference provides you with an informative overview of criminal cases, from the time a crime is reported, to the trial, and on through the sentencing. You will have the opportunity to interact with professionals in all areas of the criminal justice system, including the district attorney, judges, police officers, prosecutors, and public defenders. In addition to workshops led by different professionals, you will also have the opportunity to take field trips to different agencies, such as local courts, police departments, and training facilities. At the end of the program, you will have a better understanding of the criminal justice system and the role of the District Attorney's Office.

If you are interested in pursuing a career in law, law enforcement or local government, or you are interested in learning about the criminal justice system, then this program is for you. We ask that you commit to the week-long program on **July 24th - July 28th**, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., and attend a **mandatory orientation** workshop on the evening of **Thursday, May 25, 2017**. We will be selecting 25 - 30 students from high schools throughout Orange County to participate. If accepted, you will have to pass a criminal background check.

The application process is simple, but highly competitive. Please take your time in completing the application and a one page essay explaining why you are interested in attending the Summer Youth Education Conference. **Your application and essay must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 21, 2017, via mail, hand delivery, or by an online application (please visit www.orangecountyda.org under DA Office tab).**

If you are selected to participate in the program, you will be notified by e-mail or phone by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday May 11, 2017.

If you have any questions, please contact Jose Morfin at (714) 347-8415 or via email at Jose.Morfin@da.ocgov.com. Or Viridiana Chino at 714 347-8870 or email at viridiana.chino@da.ocgov.com



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Please fill out application and return it to the District Attorney's Office with your completed essay by 5:00 p.m. Friday, April 21, 2017

Student's Name _____ Parent's Name _____

Date of Birth _____ High School _____

Current Grade Level _____

Home Address _____

City and Zip Code _____

Daytime Phone (_____) _____ Other (_____) _____

Email _____

Special Interests & Hobbies _____

Contact Information in Case of an Emergency:

Name _____ Relationship to the student _____

Daytime (_____) _____

Essay Question: Why would you like to participate in the 2017 Summer Youth Education Conference?

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