

# 2021 Youth Leadership Tour



Win the trip of a lifetime!



**Application Deadline:  
January 15, 2021**

## **What is Youth Tour?**

The Government-in-Action Youth Leadership Tour is an all-expense-paid trip for high school **juniors** to learn about different aspects of the government, meet their members of Congress and visit historical sites.

This year, NEC will send two delegates from the cooperative to participate. This year's trip will begin in Austin, Texas on Sunday, June 13 and continue on to tour sites in Washington D.C. before the trip concludes on Tuesday, June 22. The travel package, valued at more than \$3,000, includes air transportation to and from Washington D.C., hotel stay, meals, admission fees, and \$250 cash for extra expenses. PLUS: Each winner will also receive a **\$1,000 scholarship**, should they attend an accredited Texas college or University. If the 2021 Youth Tour is cancelled for due to COVID-19 safety concerns, winners will receive a **\$4,000 scholarship**.

## **How do I apply:**

Complete the 2021 Nueces Electric Cooperative Youth Leadership Tour Application form which can be found on both [nueceselectric.org](http://nueceselectric.org) and [neccoopenenergy.com](http://neccoopenenergy.com). Submit a 400-600 word essay on the topic "In the past year, the COVID-19 pandemic has forced many Texans to spend more time at home than ever before. What can you do to save energy while spending more time at home?" Finalists will interview to determine the final two winners that will take this trip of a lifetime. Applicants must have consent of and reside in the home with a parent or legal guardian who is a current Nueces Electric Cooperative member.

**Essay Topic:** *In the past year, the COVID-19 pandemic has forced many Texans to spend more time at home than ever before. What can you do to save energy while spending more time at home?*