

2022 STUDENT ACTIVITY SHEET

Name _____ Gender _____ Age _____ DOB ____/____/____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School _____ Student cell phone: _____/_____/_____

Student e-mail _____ T-shirt size (runs small) _____ Polo size _____

Parent's/Guardian # 1 Name _____

Parent's/Guardian #1 E-mail: _____

Parent's/Guardian #1 Cell phone: _____/_____/_____

Parent's/Guardian # 2 Name _____

Parent's/Guardian #2 Cell phone: _____/_____/_____

Parent's/Guardian #2 E-mail: _____

List special activities in which you have participated:

What offices have you held in which organizations?

What honors have you received?

What are your hobbies, talents, special interests?

What are your educational and/or career plans?

Additional information or comments:

****PRINT THIS FORM AND RETURN IT WITH STUDENT ESSAY.**



Alfalfa Electric Cooperative in Cherokee, Oklahoma, is sponsoring its **Youth Tour Essay Contest** for all **high school juniors**. Unfortunately, with Covid and other issues in Washington, D.C., AEC does not feel comfortable sending students on any out-of-state trips this year; however, we hope to get back to the genuine **Youth Tour Program** next year. With that said, the essay process is more straightforward this year. The necessary steps of the contest are as follows:

- Students must write their essays and submit them along with the application form and activity sheet.
- A skilled judge will determine the top seven essay winners. One student will represent Kansas. The other six winners can be students from either state.
- To receive their awards, the seven students must agree to attend an event (honoring them) at AEC on Monday, March 7.
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All seven winners will receive \$500 and a MacBook Air. The deadline for all essays and applications is **Tuesday, February 1, 2022**. Essays, application forms, and activity sheets *must* be delivered by mail or hand-delivered to AEC by this date. AEC encourages all students to participate in this outstanding program.

Youth Tour Essay Topic

Congratulations on your decision to enter the 2022 Alfalfa Electric Cooperative Youth Tour Essay Contest. As a good steward of the communities we serve, AEC is proud to support this program. Let's get started.

The last two years have been less than *normal*. COVID has rocked everyone's world in one way or another. People used a variety of resources to get through these times. Phones, laptops, and tablets became more of a necessity. How did you/your family utilize electronics in ways that you hadn't in the past? Did you realize the vital role that electricity played in your navigating through this historical period?

Do not include your name *in* the essay, but do include it on the required title page of your essay. Please supplement your work with your unique imagination and creative style. All compositions should be *original*. A bibliography page is not required, but students should give credit to any research sources.

ESSAY REQUIREMENTS

Approximately 500 words (maximum of 2 pages)
typewritten- font-12
double-spaced

TITLE PAGE SHOULD INCLUDE

Name
High School
Title of your essay
(Also include your title on the first page of your essay.)

JUDGING

An experienced judge will evaluate the essays based on the following criteria:

Content
Originality
Grammar

ESSAYS MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE AEC OFFICE BY

Tuesday, February 1, 2022

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