

GROW

Suburban Acres Civic League

Scholarship Opportunity

SUMMER YOUTH LEADERSHIP

Youth Community Leadership
ACTION

FOR RISING
JUNIORS AND
SENIORS OF:

Granby High School
Norfolk Christian Schools
Norfolk Collegiate School
Residents of Suburban Acres enrolled in another public or private or home school

*Interested in government, business, volunteerism, political science, or community development?
This scholarship fully funds tuition and registration fees for the following activities /program areas
through the summer 2014 for eligible students:*

eXcel Leadership Academy July 15-18, 2014

A program of LEAD Hampton Roads and the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce, eXcel's goal is to prepare youth for leadership positions within the community and region. The program provides leadership skills training, an up close chance to meet outstanding visionary leaders, a "behind the scenes pass" to the Hampton Roads region (go places most people never see), a chance to be heard and make a difference in how our region's adult leaders think.



During the four-day leadership camp, students will be exposed to insights on areas of responsibility and important issues in our region. The intensive curriculum also includes team-building exercises, conflict resolution models and dialogue with community leaders, as well as going behind-the-scenes of local business, non-profit organizations, hospitals and local government. Leaders from our region participate in presentations and mentor of participants.

Normal per-person tuition is \$ 250. Workshops in various locations in Southside Hampton Roads, but students meet each day at the Chamber of Commerce downtown.

For more information and the eXcel online application visit www.leadhamptonroads.org

Civics Comes Home to Norfolk, dates TBA

The eXcel program focuses on business, creativity, and entrepreneurship; the Suburban Acres Civic League will offer two activities during the summer (dates TBA) focusing on local community groups and their interaction with local government and business. How does knowledge of civics, finance, and government operations help to get things done by leveraging politics and support from the community and business? Missions and challenges of not-for-profit organizations, and how they help government will be highlighted, along with mentorship by community leaders and opportunity for one-on-one discussions with local business and government leaders.

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Whether you are looking for ways to grow and be more active in your community, network and develop contacts with leaders in business and government, develop ideas for future academic projects, or meet a diverse group of student peers with similar interests in business, government, and community the GROW scholarship can be worthwhile for you. Fill out the eXcel 2014 application (online application at www.leadhamptonroads.org); complete the attached GROW information form and send to: **Suburban Acres Civic League, 549 Carl Street, Norfolk, VA 23505**. Information can also be scanned and emailed to suburbanacres@gmail.com.