

2018-19 Youth Tour Application

To qualify, applicants must live in the Salem Electric service area.

Student Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Email: _____ T-shirt Size: _____
 Sm Med Lrg
 XLrg XXLrg

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Name of Parent: _____ Home Phone: _____

School: _____ Grade: Junior Senior

**List Current
Classes:**

**List School
Activities
(sports, clubs,
etc.)**

**List Hobbies or
Community
Service:**

**List School
Leadership
Experience:**

**List your plans
after high
school:**

On a separate sheet of paper, in 500 words or less, please respond to the following questions:

- **What is an electric cooperative and how is it different for an investor-owned utility?**
- **Why should you be selected as Salem Electric's 2019 Youth Tour delegate?**
- **What do you hope to learn from the experience?**

I understand the selection of the delegate will be based on:

- Content, neatness, and completeness of the application and essay.
- Results of the panel interviews scheduled for THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019 (time to be determined) at Salem Electric's office – 633 7th Street NW, Salem, OR 97304

If selected, I agree to:

- Attend the NRECA Youth Tour in Washington, D.C. on June 13-20, 2019 (all expenses paid except spending money).
- Attend the July 23, 2019 Salem Electric board meeting and give a presentation to the board about my tour experience.
- Submit a 300-word article of my tour experience for the Salem Electric *Info Bulletin* (deadline July 23, 2019).

Applicant Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Return your complete application and essay to:

**Salem Electric
Youth Tour Application
Cindy Lenker
Executive Assistant
PO Box 5588
Salem, OR 97304**

For more information:

Visit YouthTour.coop

OR

**Contact Cindy Lenker at
503-362-3601 or
lenker@salemelectric.com**

**Return complete application and required materials to Salem Electric's office by
5 p.m. on December 20, 2018.**