

National Youth Leadership Seminar (NYLT)

NYLT is an exciting, action-packed program designed to provide youth members of the Boy Scouts of America with leadership skills and experiences that they can use in their home troop, team, crew, or ship and in other situations demanding quality leadership.



This training integrates the best of modern leadership theory with Scouting. Through activities, presentations, challenges, and discussions, NYLT participants are engaged in a unified approach to leadership.

Using a wide range of activities events, games, and adventures, participants put into action the leadership skills they are learning. NYLT courses are held in June and December at a council camp.

Objectives of National Youth Leadership Training

- Develop confidence and knowledge to conduct unit programming
- Understand the stages of team development
- Find personal vision and set SMART goals
- Provide opportunities to share ideas and experiences with others
- Experience conflict resolution and learn ethical decision-making skills

Who attends National Youth Leadership Training

If you are a leader in your unit (e.g., senior patrol leader, assistant senior patrol leader, patrol leader, team captain, crew president, or ship boatswain) or are looking to serve in one of these positions, then NYLT is for you.

Requirements

- 1) Boy Scouts need to be at least 13 years of age, but not yet 18 by day one of the course. Venturers and Sea Scouts need to be at least 13, but not yet 21 by the end of the course.
- 2) Live by the Scout Oath and the Scout Law at all times.
- 3) Be able to attend the entire course: day one begins at 1:00 pm (check-in starts at noon) and day six ends around 4:00 pm
- 4) Attend the mandatory orientation meeting.
- 5) Unit leader approval

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