

Youth Ministry Training Corps

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Mission

The Youth Military Training Corps (YMTC) is a military style program designed to demonstrate methods that reduces juvenile delinquency. Our mission is to discipline, mentor, and teach leadership skills to youth ages 6 -17

YMTC assist various communities (school districts, parent, youth agencies, etc.) with behavioral modification, character building, and discipline by offering a military style summer camp, In-school mentoring, and after-school and weekend drill/academic programs. Our sessions entail tutoring (Math, English, Science, and basic computer), military drills, group and one on one mentoring sessions. The program require students to maintain good grades in school, military standard hair cut (males), dress code, and maintain a positive attitude at all times.

Programs/Description

Weekend Drill and Academics

YMTC aims and models its concept after the JROTC program's philosophy. Student referrals, ages 9-18 (male and female), must complete 180 days to successfully complete the program.

PHASE I (60 days)

Students will have little or no privileges allowed at YMTC. Students must participate in our modified military drills, tutoring, physical education, and community awareness sessions.

PHASE II (60 days)

Phase two is designed to introduce the enrollees to team work. All student will learn how to work together to complete various tasks. Students will still have tutoring, physical education, modify military drills, and youth awareness sessions.

Phase III (60 days)

Students will be introduced to leadership. Students will have the option to perform and conduct demonstrational drill routines as parts of community volunteer services. In addition, students may be eligible to perform with our special incentive platoon (drum line, step team chorus, and reality drama club). Students will continue with our modified military drills, physical education, and group awareness sessions, but will be allowed to participate in community activities.

YMTC proposes to make it mandatory for students identified with behavioral concerns from school officials to participate as an option to prevent suspension from class or school. This will allow students to remain in regular class and still be held accountable for misbehaving.

Weekends are considered “free days” for most students. We realize that students do not want to give up their weekends. However, it will be an opportunity to get the attention and hold them responsible for their negative behavior. The program’s concept has been proven and confirmed by various supporting youth agencies that it works!

Summer Military Styled Camp

Our summer camp consists of 8-weeks continuing education (math, reading, and history), military drill, leadership skills, conflict resolution, role play and biblical principle (optional).

Daily schedule entails:

8am-8:50am – FORMATION/BREAKFAST

9am-9:50am– Math (ages 15-17); Reading (ages 12-14); History (ages 9-11)

10am-10:50am– Math (ages 12-14); Reading (ages 9-11); History (ages 15-18)

11am-11:50am–Math (Ages 9-11); Reading (Ages 15-17); History (Ages 12-14)

12noon -----FORMATION/LUNCH-----

1pm-1:50 - Military Drill

2pm: 2:50pm – Group/individual mentoring

3pm-3:50– Inspirational Hour (chorus, step team, dance, drumline)

4pm-----DEPARTURE-----

In School Mentoring/ Behavioral Management Services

YMTC assists alternative schools as a behavioral management consultant entity designed to assist with behavioral management and discipline. In addition, YMTC assists with monitoring classrooms with assigned students to reduce classroom disruptions so that teachers will have more instructional time without interruption.

How it works

The program offers three classifications of student referrals: Ages 6-8, 9-11, 12-14, and 15-17. The program also has 3 components:

Parent

- Are responsible for assisting and supporting the child/children and adhering to rules and regulations of YMTC and Sumter School District.

YMTC STAFF

- Are responsible for weekly evaluations, behavioral management, discipline, leadership, classroom monitoring, and communication with parents, teachers, and referring agencies.

Referring Agencies

YMTC will collaborate with the referring agency and provide services, evaluation reports, and attend IEP meetings.

Evaluation / 10 Categories

Students will be evaluated on the following areas:

- Respect
- Constructive criticism
- Team work

- Homework/classwork completion
- Positive attitude
- Time management
- Following directions
- Peer interaction
- Setting goals
- Life skills

Percentage:

1% poor 2% good 3% very good 4% outstanding

Incentive platoons/Activities

- Drum line
- Inspirational rap and chorus
- Dance and step
- Reality Drama Club

Students must maintain satisfactory evaluation in order to participate in activities.

Proposed Contractual Agreement

This agreement is between the Youth Ministry Training Corps (YMTC) and the following Agency(s) _____.

**YMTC is proposing to collaborate/partner with _____ -
_____ as a leadership development component**

that instill discipline in youth ages 6 - 17.

By signing below, I agree and understand the services mentioned above. I further accept the Proposed Contractual Agreement.

YMTC

Date _____

Date _____