



U.S. Embassy Algiers

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[Youth Leadership Program \(YLP\), Summer 2012](#)

U.S. Embassy Algiers is pleased to announce the Youth Leadership Program (YLP) for summer 2012. The program will take place from June 15 to July 16.

The YLP is an intensive five-week summer program for Algerian high school students. It includes orientation instruction, in Algeria, followed by a four-week study program in the U.S.

The program aims to promote mutual understanding between the American and Algerian youth, develop a sense of leadership potential, civic responsibility, and commitment to community development among youth, strengthen English speaking skills, foster friendship between Americans and Algerians with a focus on respect for diversity of ethnic, socioeconomic, and religious backgrounds.

The program is designed for high school students between the ages of 15 and 17 who: have demonstrated leadership aptitude and an interest in community service, have sufficient proficiency in English to communicate effectively, exhibit flexibility, maturity, integrity, good social skills, and open mindedness, have the necessary motivation to be both active and successful exchange participants, and will attend at least one more year of secondary school after the program (e.g. will not graduate in summer 2011).

The deadline to receive applications, http://photos.state.gov/libraries/algeria/401501/PDFS/Student_form_2012.pdf, is April 30, 2012. The applications must be sent to PASAlgiersYouth@state.gov.

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