

Youth Ending Slavery YES Chapter Official Application

Name of Applicant (Chapter Leader): _____
Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____
Personal Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Current Grade: _____

School/Group: _____
School/Group Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
School/Group Phone Number: _____

To function as a successful chapter, we recommend that there are four other members besides the chapter leader. This number can certainly be higher initially and should increase as your chapter grows. Leadership structure within the chapter can also be shifted to fit your group's desire. However, the name listed as the chapter leader above will serve as the primary contact to the YES Board of Directors.

Other Chapter Members:

1. _____	Signature _____
	Email _____
2. _____	Signature _____
	Email _____
3. _____	Signature _____
	Email _____
4. _____	Signature _____
	Email _____

There are several ways to begin your YES Chapter, such as creating it in conjunction with another similarly-focused and pre-existing club, starting it from scratch at your school, or utilizing another student-led group as a launching pad for a YES Chapter. Regardless of how you choose to start your chapter, the YES Board of Directors will remain in contact and in support of the work you do as an extension of this non-profit. Please clarify your plan below.

Will your chapter be in conjunction with a pre-existing human rights based club? Yes No

Will your chapter be affiliated with your school? Yes No

Will your chapter be affiliated with another youth-led group? Yes No

If yes, what group? _____

Youth Ending Slavery is an entirely youth-led nonprofit. Therefore, the YES Board of Directors expects chapters to also be entirely youth-led. However, the YES Board also understands the importance and value of having an adult mentor who can serve as a resource when needed and who can easily step back and let the students in the chapter take initiative and action.

Do you have an adult contact who could serve as a potential resource? i.e. provide meeting space, offer advice rather than instruction, etc.

Contact Name: _____ Signature: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

As a chapter, it is important that you meet weekly or once every two weeks to ensure active participation, effort, and communication both within your chapter and the non-profit as a whole. Please take time to plan a recurring time and place for your chapter's meetings.

Where will you meet?

When will you meet?

Please answer the following short-answer questions in complete sentences:

1. Why do you want to be a part of YES?

2. What other activities are you involved in and how would they connect with YES?

3. If you are selected to become a chapter, what would be your first event?