

**DUBLIN-LAURENS COUNTY TEEN COURT  
YOUTH VOLUNTEER APPLICATION  
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Please PRINT Using Black or Blue Ink or Type:

**Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and Street)                      (Apt. #)                      (City and Zip Code)

**Student's Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please don't use your school's email address.

**School :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about Teen Court?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you able to meet on Saturdays?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have adequate transportation?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Why do you want to be a Teen Court volunteer?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Our program can now assist students by providing clothing for our court sessions. Please provide the following information below:**

What shirt size are you? \_\_\_\_\_ What shoe size are you? \_\_\_\_\_ What pant size are you? \_\_\_\_\_

\*Make sure to include your shirt size even if assistance is not needed from the program.

**Circle an interested position: Defense Attorney – Prosecutor – Juror – Bailiff – Clerk.**

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VOLUNTEER JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Qualifications:**

Students must be entering the 6th -12th grade, in good academic standing, and living and attending school within Dublin-Laurens County. Applicants must demonstrate an ability to treat each case objectively without prejudice. They must also be able to communicate with young people, work in a group process, and maintain confidentiality on all topics.

**Training:**

Volunteers selected for the program must attend **“Mandatory”** training at Dublin City Hall. Completing the training program will award applicants the privilege of being a Teen Court Volunteer.

**Volunteer Positions:**

Serving as an attorney requires additional training. All volunteers must attend court sessions, follow the Teen Court guidelines, maintain confidentiality, treat all participants respectfully, attend all activities, and follow the court rules. In addition, jurors must listen objectively during the hearing and assign a constructive sentence to hold the youth responsible for their actions and accountable to the community and the victim. All volunteers must attend scheduled Teen Court hearings, arrive on time, dress professionally, ensure confidentiality, be dependable and exhibit professionalism.

**Time Required:**

Volunteers must serve at least four months during the school year. After four months, please notify Mr. Carswell if you decide Teen Court is not for you. Teen Court hearings are held on the first Saturday of each month unless changed by the Executive Director. They last approximately two hours, and all participants must arrive 30 minutes before court sessions.

**Photography Consent:**

As a parent/guardian of this student, I at this moment consent to the use of photography/videotape taken during any time spent with Dublin Laurens County Teen Court for publicity, promotional, and educational purposes (including publications, presentations, or broadcast via newspaper, internet or other media sources). I do this with full knowledge and consent and waive all claims for compensation for use or damages.

\_\_\_\_ Yes, I consent for Dublin-Laurens County Teen Court to photograph my child for organizational purposes and at program events.

\_\_\_\_ No, I do not authorize Dublin-Laurens County Teen Court to photograph my child for any event.

**I have read and understand the above information about the program for which I am applying.**

**Applicants signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents/Guardians:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Return to: City of Dublin - Attn: Teen Court - P.O. Box 4476 Dublin, GA 31040**

