

- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Akron
- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Cincinnati
- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Cleveland
- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Columbus
- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Dayton
- I am an 8th grader applying to LLI in Toledo



2024 LAW & LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE APPLICATION

SUMMER SESSION: June 17, 2024 - July 20, 2024

DEADLINE: March 25, 2024

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Date _____ Shirt Size (adult) _____

Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone (if applicable) _____ Grade level in Fall 2024 _____ Birthdate ____/____/____

Race/Ethnicity (*for statistics purposes only*) _____ Gender _____ Age _____

Student Cell (if applicable) _____ Student E-mail Address _____

Middle School _____ High School You Plan to Attend _____

Final Grades from most recent semester:

English _____ Social Studies _____ Math _____ Science _____ Foreign Lang. _____ Overall GPA _____

*Please also attach your most recent report card.

Transportation to and from the law school campus where the Summer Institute will be held (select one):

- Provided by family/friend
- Metro bus pass (public transportation) provided by the Law & Leadership Institute (Free)

I have access to (Select all that apply): Kroger Walmart Other: _____

List any honors and awards you have received.

What career are you most interested in pursuing after your schooling?

How did you learn about the Law & Leadership Institute?

- School Presentation Teacher/Counselor Social Media Yard Sign Former/Current LLI Student

Other: _____

II. GETTING TO KNOW YOU

Your responses to the following questions are an important component of this application. This section will be judged on content, punctuation, and grammar.

Question 1: Why do you think the Law & Leadership Institute experience would be beneficial to you? What leadership skills and experiences will you bring to the Law & Leadership Institute that other students may not? (Please answer in 1 to 2 sentences)

Question 2: We highly encourage first-generation and/or low-income students who attend public schools and have interest in attending college to apply. How would you describe how any or all of those factors apply to you?

NOTE: ALL RESPONSES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE LAW & LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE, LLC.

III. RECOMMENDATIONS

Two recommendation forms from any of the persons below must be completed.

1. At least one recommendation form must be from an academic teacher (e.g. social studies, reading/language arts, math, science, foreign language).
2. The second recommendation form also can be from a teacher, or coach from your school if you participated in a sport or extracurricular activity, or a member of the community. (e.g. neighbor, former employer, minister, etc.) *This should not be a family member.

IV. SCHOOL CONTACT

Please provide the name of a school official (*teacher, counselor, principal, etc.*) at your current school who LLI can contact for assistance with your application, should it be necessary.

Contact Name: _____

School Name: _____

Position at School: _____

V. SIGNATURES

The information supplied above is true and correct and is submitted to the Law & Leadership Institute, LLC, in connection with this application for admission to the Law & Leadership Institute beginning with the 2024 Summer Institute.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Print Student Name

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Date

IMPORTANT DATES

SUMMER INSTITUTE

- **June 17 – July 20, 2024**
 - Monday through Friday
 - 9:00am – 4:00pm
 - At the law school; for students.

LOCAL MOCK TRIAL SHOWCASE

- **July 18, 2024**
 - Thursday
 - Evening
 - At the law school; for students, family, and friends.

STATEWIDE SUMMER SHOWCASE

- **July 20, 2024**
 - Saturday
 - 10:00am – 4:00pm
 - In Columbus, OH; for students ONLY. Student transportation provided.

VI. IMPORTANT DATES/CONFLICTS/ACCOMMODATIONS

The Law & Leadership Institute is a program that starts at the beginning of high school and continues until high school graduation with the end-goal of preparing students to be successful leaders in college and the profession of their choosing.

Attendance to each Law & Leadership Institute session is essential. The program is academically rigorous and introduces topics related to law and leadership that are often not taught in other academic settings. There are also long-term projects that can only be accomplished with the participation of all students with each session building on the one that came before.

Accordingly, LLI students are expected to make every attempt to attend all sessions. The Law & Leadership Institute provides dates for all summer and academic year sessions in advance, as well as other important dates like the final statewide showcase and senior recognition events, when applicable.

In the rare case that a student may need to be absent from the program (illness, death in the family, etc.), students will need to contact their local site administrator immediately. Whether an absence will be excused or unexcused will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

On the previous page, there is a list of important dates for the 2024 Summer Institute. Please review the dates carefully. Do you have any known conflicts with any of the dates listed?

Yes No

If yes, please explain below.

In addition to the LLI Summer Institute, each year students meet approximately 5 Saturdays during the academic year for day-long sessions. Do you have regular Saturday conflicts during the school year?

Yes No

If yes, please explain below.

Does your student currently receive any learning accommodations at school?

If yes, what accommodations do they receive?

**Please note: LLI recognizes the importance of learning accommodations in education. While we strive to meet individuals' needs, it is important to note that our resources are limited, and therefore, we might not be able to provide all of the accommodations currently received.*

VII. PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

People living in your home (check all that apply): Mother Father Sibling(s) Others

Parent/Guardian 1 Name _____

Relationship to Applicant _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Preferred Telephone Number _____ Is this a cellphone? _____

Parent/Guardian 1 e-mail address _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Place of Employment _____

Occupation _____

Highest Education Level Completed by Parent/Guardian 1 (for statistical purposes only)

Parent/Guardian 2 Name _____

Relationship to Applicant _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Preferred Telephone Number _____ Is this a cellphone? _____

Parent/Guardian 2 e-mail address _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Place of Employment _____

Occupation _____

Highest Education Level Completed by Parent/Guardian 2 (for statistical purposes only)

Annual Gross Family Income* \$ _____

How many people are supported with this income? _____

Income documentation may be required upon admission to the program*

*Applicants might be required to provide proof of income before an admission decision can be made. This might be tax information such as a 1040, a letter granting unemployment benefits, or some other form of documentation.



PARENT SIGNATURE FORM

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child is applying to be part of a very exciting program, the Law & Leadership Institute. This program meets from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday from June 17 through July 19 and will culminate with a statewide event on Saturday, July 20, 2024. Your child will learn about Criminal Law, take field trips, meet attorneys and judges, and perform in a mock trial, all with the goal of developing your child's academic skills and, ultimately, to start preparing him or her for the rigors of high school and, eventually, college. We make the experience interesting and fun, but it is still a lot of work! We will have high expectations for your child and will work to help your child meet those expectations.

The 2024 Summer Institute is just the beginning! This program will continue all 4 years of high school. Your child will meet approximately 5 Saturdays during the academic year of each year of high school. He or she also will have Summer Institutes each summer until your child walks across the stage at graduation. Your child will complete an internship with an attorney, will receive free SAT test preparation, will develop his or her leadership, writing, critical thinking, public speaking and problem-solving skills, will tour colleges, and will prepare to have a successful college and professional career.

We know you have big dreams for your child, and we want to help make those dreams a reality!

Please initial next to each statement:

- I understand my child will be expected to attend **every** Law & Leadership session unless we have received prior approval to be absent.
- I understand this program is absolutely **free** for my child.
- I understand this program continues for all **four years** of high school.
- I understand my child will be expected to act and dress professionally while participating in Law & Leadership sessions.
- I understand the goal of the Law & Leadership Institute is to prepare my child for success in high school, college, and a future professional career.
- I will support my child's participation in the Law & Leadership Institute by helping him or her get to the sessions on time, communicating with staff, and encouraging my child to give his or her best effort.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date



2024 LAW & LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Completed Application Checklist:

- Completed Application (including extended responses)
- A copy of your most recent grade card
- Two completed recommendation forms (at least one from a teacher)
- Parent Signature Form

All materials must be electronically submitted or postmarked no later than March 25, 2024. In addition to electronic submission, you may also send materials by:

- Mail:
Attention: 2024 SI Review Committee
Law & Leadership Institute, LLC
303 E. Broad St.
Columbus, Ohio 43215
- E-mail: LLI@lawandleadership.org

Once your application has been submitted, it will be reviewed in the order it was received. Admission decisions will be sent both via email and via U.S. mail.

Questions? Call the LLI Central Office at (614) 236-6305.