



ASIAN AMERICANS UNITED 2021 Summer Program **High School Youth Leadership Application**



Are you looking for a meaningful summer experience?

Do you care about social justice and want to serve your community?

Are you punctual, responsible, passionate and hardworking?

Do you like to work as part of a team? Do you want to become a better leader?

... Apply to be in the AAU Summer Program as a High School Youth Leader!

INTRODUCTION TO ASIAN AMERICANS UNITED:

Since 1985, Asian Americans United (AAU) exists for people of Asian ancestry in Philadelphia to exercise leadership to build our communities and unite to challenge oppression. Our social justice works include grassroots community organizing, advocacy and youth leadership development, with an emphasis on low income, immigrant, and former refugee communities.

AAU SUMMER PROGRAM – OUR VISION:

The AAU Summer Program is designed to develop the leadership potential, cultural identities, and social justice consciousness of all program participants, so that they can make a positive difference and effect necessary change in their communities. The program will culminate with a community impact project designed by youth participants.

WORKREADY ELIGIBILITY/REQUIREMENTS:

- Will be 14 – 24 years of age as of July 6, 2021 and not in college
- Are Philadelphia residents
- Meet income guidelines (AAU will assist in the screening process)
- Are eligible to work in the United States
- Are registered with the Selective Service, if male and 18 years of age on, or before, July 6, 2021

HOURS AND COMPENSATION:

- 6-week part time commitment
- The training and program runs from June 28 to August 6, 2021, Monday through Wednesday
- High School youth leaders will be paid \$595 for the whole summer

LOCATION:

We will be meeting on Zoom for most meetings. If we meet in person for some activities, Asian Americans United is located at 1023 Callowhill Street, on the #23 or #45 bus line and about 5 blocks from either the Broad Street line and Market Frankford El. *Please note, We WILL NOT require all youth to attend these meetings if they or their parents do not feel comfortable with their attendance.*

TO APPLY:

SPACES ARE LIMITED!

- Complete the following application: <https://forms.gle/QF2n42Uue21DH4e18>
- **Deadline:** Friday, April 16th, 2021 @ 11:59 P.M.

Applications are considered on a rolling basis! Interviews will be scheduled throughout April as applications are received.

If you have any questions, please contact Cinthya Hioe at cinthya.hioe@aaunited.org or 267-670-3626 on Mondays - Fridays (1pm - 5pm).