

Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc.

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Dear Educators,

The Oklahoma Association of Electric Cooperative (OAEC) is pleased to announce the opportunity of a lifetime to approximately 70 high schoolers across Oklahoma! Local rural electric cooperatives across the state will select participants from their local service territories to represent Oklahoma in Washington, D.C. during **Youth Tour**.

Youth Tour is a FREE all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. for one week. The 2024 Youth Tour is set for June 14-20. Selected students will enjoy a week of thrill packed days which includes a visit with the Oklahoma Congressional Delegation, a tour of Mount Vernon, the Lincoln Memorial, and all of the major monuments.

Southeastern Electric Cooperative will begin the process to select two local students to attend Youth Tour 2024. SEC's Youth Tour contest is open to ALL 11th grade students enrolled in a school or homeschool system located in specific areas served by SEC. The Cooperative will select the winners from students who will submit a multimedia presentation. The topic for the presentation will be revealed at a later date. Presentations will be judged on originality, knowledge of the subject, creativity and grammar. Two winners will be selected for the week long trip of a lifetime!

We would like to extend an invitation to send representatives from SEC to visit with interested juniors at your school during November and December 2023. We would like to schedule a time to visit and speak to your juniors for a minimum of 30 minutes, whether it is your whole junior class or just the AP junior classes. Forms and applications will be available on SEC's website beginning in October – www.se-coop.com.

Please note, having an SEC rep attend your school to speak to students is NOT required for a student to participate. To schedule a time or for more information, please call Kevin Wingfield, Youth Programs Coordinator, at (580) 745-9463 or kwingfield@se-coop.com.

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