

# The Peer Leadership Institute

## 2016 Summer Enrichment Program

The Peer Leadership Institute is a unique program where you get to learn, work, and earn. You will learn new skills to help you become a positive role model in your school and community. You get to work on creating positive youth-focused messages on public health. The 7-week program is paid, \$10/hr.



### The typical academic year offers the following exciting activities to its participants:

- Participate in trainings focused on a variety of health topics (sexual education, peer leadership, healthy relationships, substance use, etc.)
- Create artistic messaging to teach teens about making healthy decisions.
- Design and deliver peer to peer workshops
- Attend weekly enrichment field trips outside the city of Boston
- Receive college readiness and professional development training.
- Meet and become friends with youth leaders from across Boston.

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**Qualifications:** Applicants must be between **15-18 years of age**

**Application DEADLINE IS March 18th**



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Please do not mail or fax applications (**must be hand delivered**)

### Student Information

**Returning Peer Leader:** YES  NO

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sex:** Male  Female  Transgender

**Date of Birth:** (MM/DD/YYYY) \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Number Street Name Apt/ Floor Number

**Neighborhood:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent/Guardian Information

**Parent/Guardian #1 Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Occupation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Number Street Name Apt/ Floor Number

**Neighborhood:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Number Street Name Apt/ Floor Number

Neighborhood: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Educational Information

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Dismissal Time \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_

Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you able to work during the academic year? Yes  No

What days and hours are you available to work during the school year? (Please check all that apply):

Monday 4:00pm–6:00pm [  ] Tuesday 4:00pm–6:00pm [  ] Wednesday 4:00pm–6:00pm [  ]

Please check any of the following that apply to you. I would describe myself as:

[  ] People Person [  ] Patient [  ] Determined [  ] Responsible

[  ] Problem-solver [  ] Good Listener [  ] Creative [  ] Motivated

[  ] Leader [  ] Confident [  ] Understanding [  ] Organized

[  ] Detailed Oriented [  ] Caring [  ] Polite [  ] Ambitious

## **Employment Information**

**Do you have a Success Link number?** Yes  No

**If yes, what is your number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have a resume?** Yes [  ] No [  ] If yes, please attach your resume to this application.

**How did you hear about this program?**

Guidance/Student Support/Teacher    Summer Link Website    Informational Flyer

School Nurse/Office staff    Health Resource Center Staff

Former Participant (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Friend in the Program (specify): \_\_\_\_\_    Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list any former employers:**

Employer Name	Position	Dates Worked
_____	_____	_____ to _____
_____	_____	_____ to _____

**Please list two references:**

Name	Relationship	Contact
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**Please check any extra-curricular activities during the school year and summer (include community service and faith-based)**

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

On a separate piece of paper, please discuss the topic below. Please type and ensure your essay is at least 1 page, double spaced.

*If you are new to PLI and never applied to the Summer Enrichment Program please answer the following question:*

1. PLI seeks to create a community of students richly diverse in cultural backgrounds, experiences, and viewpoints. How would you contribute to this community?

*If you are a RETURNING participant to the Summer Program please answer the following question:*

2. Sean Convey states that in order to be a highly effective teen, one must adopt the following habits:

Habit 1: **Be proactive:** Take Responsibility

Habit 2: **Begin with the end in mind:** Define your goals and mission in life

Habit 3: **Put first things first:** Prioritize, and do the most important things first.

Habit 4: **Think Win-Win:** Have an everyone -can win attitude

Habit 5: **Seek first to understand, then to be understood:** Listen to people sincerely.

Habit 6: **Synergize:** Work together to achieve more.

Habit 7: **Sharpen the saw:** Renew yourself regularly.

Which of the 7 habits above which one do you find most essential, and why? How can you use that habit to contribute to your work with PLI?