



YOUTH SPOKESPERSON PROGRAM

APPLICATION FORM

Section A – Contact Information

First Name	Last Name	
Address		
City	Province	Postal Code
Email	Cell Phone	
Twitter Handle	Instagram Handle	
Current Age	Date of Birth	

If the applicant is under the age of 18, please provide the following parent or guardian contact information:

First Name	Last Name	
Address		
City	Province	Postal Code
Email	Telephone	
Relation to applicant		

Section B – Scouting Information

Scouting Group	Section
Council	How many years have you been in Scouting?
Do you volunteer in any Section? (If yes, please specify below):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you volunteer in any other capacity? (If yes, please specify below):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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Section C – Personal Interest in the Youth Spokesperson Program

Check what interests you most about becoming a Youth Spokesperson (you may check all boxes if all items interest you):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Talking on camera | <input type="checkbox"/> Working at events |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Writing stories for Scouting publications | <input type="checkbox"/> Pitching stories to media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giving presentations to other Scouting Groups | <input type="checkbox"/> Engaging other youth on social media |

Please explain in detail what skills and characteristics you have that would make you a great Youth Spokesperson. (250 word maximum)

Section D – Release Statement and Commitment Clause

Please check that you have read and understood the following:

- I understand that this application will be reviewed and assessed by a selection committee consisting of Scouts Canada Volunteers and staff members.
- I understand that the use of my personal information will only be viewed by the selection committee during the selection process.
- I understand that Scouts Canada will not sell, exchange or otherwise distribute the information collected through this form for commercial purposes.
- If I am selected as a Youth Spokesperson, I agree to the following:
 - Be able to commit to a two-year term and will do my best to participate when opportunities arise;
 - Be available to have bi-monthly conference calls on Sundays with other YSPs and Scouts Canada Volunteers and staff (six calls per year);
 - To assist with Scouts Canada's campaigns that may involve participating at local events, conducting interviews, writing, social media promotion and participating in film production;
 - I will communicate with Scouts Canada staff to the best of my ability and make sure I reply to emails within a timely manner;
 - My role may be terminated as a Youth Spokesperson if I am regularly unable to participate;
 - I understand my image may be used for future promotion of the Youth Spokesperson program and in other Scouts Canada campaigns;
 - I have signed a photo release form with my Council.



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Section E – Application Requirements

Please submit the following application requirements as one zip or rar file (max file size 20 mb) and send to ysp@scouts.ca:

- **Completed Application Form**
- **Current Resume**
- **Recent jpeg photo of yourself**
- **Short video (no more than two minutes) telling us why you want to be a YSP (Please note: it is preferred that your video is uploaded to YouTube or Vimeo and that you share the link.)**
- **A short one-page essay about why you love Scouting**

SUBMISSION CHECKLIST:

I have completed the Application Form (please check):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Section A – Contact Information | <input type="checkbox"/> Section D – Release Statement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Section B – Scouting Information | <input type="checkbox"/> Section E – Application Requirements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Section C – What personal qualities do you have that would make you a good Youth Spokesperson? | |

 **Complete applications are due no later than September 3, 2019.**

If the applicant is under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must sign.

- I have reviewed the above information and confirm that the information valid and up-to-date.

Signed, Youth over 18, Parent, or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

