



WANT TO ATTEND FLORIDA AMERICAN LEGION BOYS STATE?

To be considered for Florida American Legion Boys State you must **schedule an interview with an American Legion Post close to you**. Your school Guidance Counselor may be in touch with the local Post and know who to contact for an interview. If not, contact the state Programs Director by calling 800.393.3378x235.

Selected applicants will be awarded an all-expense paid trip to Tallahassee. They will participate in events on the campus of Florida State University.

To be eligible, **you must have completed 11th grade by the end of the 2024 school year and have at least one full semester remaining in your senior year**. Florida American Legion Boys State is the premier youth leadership program in Florida. This application will be used by your local American Legion Post for your interview.

Optional: Complete the Interview Application and attach at least one recommendation letter from a teacher, guidance counselor, or school principal.

Optional: You may also attach your resume or use an additional sheet of paper for your responses.

INTERVIEW APPLICATION

Florida American Legion Boys State, June 16-22, 2024

Full Name _____ Name Called By _____

Residence Address _____

City, State and Zip Code (9-digit) _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s) _____

P/ G Home Phone _____ P/G Cell Phone _____

What is your un-weighted Grade Point Average (GPA)? _____

List all of your leadership activities in your school and community along with positions you have held in each activity, e.g., VP of student government, secretary of honor society, first chair in horn section in band, captain of soccer team, assistant editor of newspaper/yearbook, assistant patrol leader in Boy Scouts, VP of youth group at church, etc.:

List all community projects you have participated in at your school and community, e.g., built home for Habitat for Humanity, cleaned trash from roadway, provided music program at retirement center, community food drive, etc.:

What are your plans following high school graduation, i.e., college, work, military, etc.?

What one leadership trait do you have that qualifies you to be selected for Boys State?

If you were Governor of Florida for one day, what is the one thing you would do to improve your state? _____

I CERTIFY that I am a Junior enrolled in a Florida Public High School, Homeschool, or Private High School and that the above information is correct and, if selected, I will be able to attend the full week of Florida Boys State June 16-22, 2024.

Student Signature _____

This application has my approval: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian