



**YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY  
(YWLA)  
APPLICATION PACKAGE**

**Please mail completed applications to the following address:  
Enhancing Lives Through Action  
P.O. Box 42511  
Philadelphia, PA 19101**



Dear Young Women's Leadership Applicant:

Thank you for expressing an interest in the YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY (YWLA). By applying to this program you are showing your interest in becoming a strong leader in the community. You will receive "real-world" knowledge and skills to help you become more self-aware, self-confident and self-reliant, thereby increasing your chances of making positive life choices as you go through adolescence and transition into young adulthood. Please read the directions carefully before you proceed. Your application will not be considered unless ALL of the following are received in your package.

- ✓ Application Form
- ✓ Signed Permission Form
- ✓ Typed Essay

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We look forward to receiving your application. Applying and participation is free to those who are selected. If you have any questions or concerns contact Angel LaBell at 215-552-8720 or [alabell@eltainc.org](mailto:alabell@eltainc.org).

Sincerely,

Angel LaBell  
Vice President

**YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY  
APPLICATION FORM**

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

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**City/State/Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Parent or Guardian's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Year & Anticipated Graduation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you find out about this program?:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Note: Please do not mail any correspondence separately. All required paperwork will need to be included in your package to be considered for the program.

## TYPED ESSAY QUESTIONS

**Please answer BOTH essay questions on a separate, double-spaced, typed page. Both essay responses shall be 100 words or less (for each question).**

1. Using a few phrases, describe yourself including what is important to you.
2. If you could spend time with any current or past person who you consider a leader, who would you choose and why?

