



PARENT/GUARDIAN COMMITMENT FORM
for
COBB YOUTH LEADERSHIP 2026-2027

The Cobb Chamber of Commerce, under the direction of the Leadership Cobb Alumni Association, sponsors the Cobb Youth Leadership program. The program focuses on developing leadership skills through interactive participation. The participants meet local, state and national leaders helping to frame their leadership style for the future. Another element of the program provides students from different schools a chance to meet and learn from each other as they expand their own leadership skills. Our community will reap the benefits from these relationships, as these students ultimately assume leadership positions in the future. Each participant must be a high school junior for school year 2026-2027 and a resident of Cobb County or a student in a Cobb County school.

PARTICIPATION COMMITMENT:

If your child is selected, they must be willing to make a commitment of their time and plan to attend all program events. Students must notify Chamber staff and class co-chairs at least 72 hours in advance of a conflict with a scheduled program.

I understand that if my child fails to attend any activity for any reason, he/she may not be allowed to complete the program and the tuition fee is forfeited. I give the support and commitment for my child, _____, to participate in the Cobb Youth Leadership program.

TUITION FEE:

A non-refundable tuition fee of \$850 is required to help offset the cost of materials, meals, overnight lodging, and transportation expenses. Payment is due only upon acceptance into the program and may be split into two payments – deposit and final balance.

There are limited, needs-based funds available for the Cobb Youth Leadership program. Your request for consideration will be held in utmost confidence and will in no way affect the selection process. If selected for participation in Cobb Youth Leadership, your financial assistance application will be submitted to a financial assistance review committee for consideration. You will be notified as to approval or denial of your request at the time of your acceptance into the Cobb Youth Leadership program in June.

If your student will need financial assistance, please explain why. Use additional pages if necessary.

If your student does not need financial assistance, please sign below and return with the other application items.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print): _____

Relationship: _____

Date: _____

PLEASE UPLOAD COMPLETED AND SIGNED FORM TO THE ONLINE APPLICATION.

Deadline to submit is Friday, April 17, 2026