

KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE CONFERENCE PATHFINDER TLT PROGRAM POLICY

Kentucky-Tennessee TLT program:

1. Is for those in grades 9-12 who wish to advance into leadership positions.
2. Is optional, and some teen Pathfinders may not choose to take part.

Requirements for Application

- A. Be in grades 9-12, and submit application which has been:
 - a. Processed and signed by the sponsoring Pathfinder Club Director
 - b. Recommended by the church pastor
 - c. Registered with the Conference Pathfinder Director
- B. If in the 9th grade, the applicant must have been a Pathfinder with the local club during the previous year with 80% attendance and have completed an AY class during the most recent active year. If in the 10th, 11th, or 12th grade, the applicant must complete a club orientation program.
- C. Application to be renewed, registered, and accepted annually.
- D. Actively participate in leadership skill development assignments.
- E. Personality traits promoted by Christian ethics and the TLT pledge must be an integral part of the participant's lifestyle.

Procedures

1. Complete TLT application form (see Requirements, sec. C for renewal applications)
2. Obtain three (3) recommendations to be turned in to the Pathfinder club director at least 2 weeks before the beginning of the local club quarter or year.
 - a. One from a pastor
 - b. One from a teacher
 - c. One from a Pathfinder staff person
3. Renewal for the following year – Submit an updated TLT application. (Initial application and recommendations must be on file at the conference.)
4. If a TLT drops out of the program, the complete application process must be followed.

Acceptance

1. Each club will obtain a TLT manual and establish its own acceptance and application committee. The TLT's commitment to Pathfinding, maturity level, and Christian witness should be considered in addition to the application and recommendations.
2. Submit the application to the Conference Pathfinder Director for processing and final acceptance.
3. A red and black shoulder cord can be issued to the applicant upon acceptance to the program. This cord is kept and worn while the TLT is an active part of the program.
4. **ALL** new TLT's start at Level 1.

Year End Operational Report

1. Submit, to the Conference Pathfinder Director, a copy of the Operational Evaluation form for each assignment completed during the year. All tasks are to be completed on a rotational basis (one or two a year as needed).
 - a. Administrative Operations
 - b. AY Classwork/Honors Operations
 - c. Outreach Operations
 - d. Camping/Activity Operations
 - e. Counseling Operations
 - f. Financial/Clerical Operations



Keep a copy of all forms and applications for club purposes then mail, fax, or email a scanned copy to:
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