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## Ivy Tech M-YEP Grant Application

Ivy Tech Community College-Muncie is partnering with the American Electric Power Foundation, The NAACP Muncie Branch, City of Muncie Parks and Recreation Department, Shafer Leadership Academy, and Elevation Through Education to support the Muncie Youth Empowerment Program (M-YEP). M-YEP is a multiracial effort to help all teens develop to their fullest potential. Our objectives are to help youth develop a positive sense of self, to raise academic standards in preparation for college or the workplace, to provide outlets for artistic expression and development, and to build character and leadership skills. In support of M-YEP's mission, American Electric Power Foundation granted funds that will work to help Ivy Tech Muncie and partners develop and conduct a grant for three consecutive years. This grant will award 50 teens, grades 9-12, the opportunity to earn college-credits, and gain experience that prepares them for post-graduation. Ivy Tech course topics include:

- time management
- study skills
- learning styles
- campus and community resources
- critical thinking
- utilization of technology
- career skills
- diversity in society

Each course is one credit hour of college credit. After exposure to colleges in this program, students can decide if a career in two years or four-year degree is in the future. M-YEP students will also be partnered with the Muncie Civic Theatre and Cornerstone Center of the Arts to provide an outlet for students to express themselves regarding social injustice, diversity, and equity issues. In partnership with Muncie Parks and Recreation, students will have the opportunity to participate in a Summer Employment Program. The program will last 6 weeks, there will be a mentor day on Wednesdays and work on Thursdays and Fridays for 6 hours. Finally, the Shafer Leadership Academy and Elevation through Education will provide a curriculum regarding guidance in leadership for students. The program consists of five, three-hour modules: Model the Way, Inspired a Shared Vision, Challenge the Process, Enable Others to Act, and Encourage the Heart.

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**Personal Information**

First Last MI Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Birthday (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip Code

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Contact Information**

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip Code

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**Academic Information**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip Code

Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Other Information

### Community Involvement:

List any involvement with organizations outside of school with date/years involved (Example: Volunteer at animal shelter 2016-2018)

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### Student Organization(s):

List any school organizations, clubs, academic teams, etc. that you are affiliated with (Example: Student Council Secretary 2017)

Organization Name & Position Held (if applicable)	Date(s)
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### Employment Experience:

Please include the name of facility/company, job title, date(s) employed, and professional reference (Name & Phone Number)  
Example: McDonalds, Cashier, May 2016-July 2017, John Smith 384-555-7878

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2.
3.

## Disclaimer and Signature

*I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview may result in exemption from the grant.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact George Foley (765-499-9415) or send us an email at [naacpmunciebranch@gmail.com](mailto:naacpmunciebranch@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

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