

**2026 Rural Electric Youth Tour  
to Washington, D.C.  
*Application*  
*Ouachita Electric Cooperative Corporation*  
*Sponsor***

On June 13-19, 2026, Ouachita Electric Cooperative, along with the state's 16 other electric cooperatives, will provide an all-expense-paid trip to the nation's capital for a selected group of high school juniors from Arkansas. To apply as a delegate from Ouachita Electric Cooperative, please complete the application. Applicants must be high school juniors during the 2025-2026 school year and members of Ouachita Electric Cooperative. To apply, please return the completed application along with a current school transcript and one letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, or school administrator. Send these materials to Kari Strickland, Youth Tour Coordinator, Ouachita Electric Cooperative Corporation, P.O. Box 877, Camden, AR 71711-0877 by **February 27, 2026**. Phone: 870-837-3623 [kstrickland@oecc.com](mailto:kstrickland@oecc.com) . Interviews will be scheduled with each applicant. The winner will be selected by impartial, qualified judges.

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

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

*City, State and Zip:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Age:* \_\_\_\_ *Date of Birth:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Contact Number:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Email address:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Which is your preferred method of communication?*

*Phone Call* \_\_\_\_ *Text Message* \_\_\_\_ *Email* \_\_\_\_

*Parents names:* \_\_\_\_\_

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