

Youth Justice Leadership Application 2026-2027

The goal of Youth Justice is to offer an alternative to traditional punishment by using positive peer interaction to ensure that teens who have committed minor offenses learn accountability, repair the harm caused by their actions, and receive the support needed to avoid further involvement in the criminal justice system. As a member of the Youth Justice Leadership team, youth are expected to exhibit integrity, commitment and accountability.

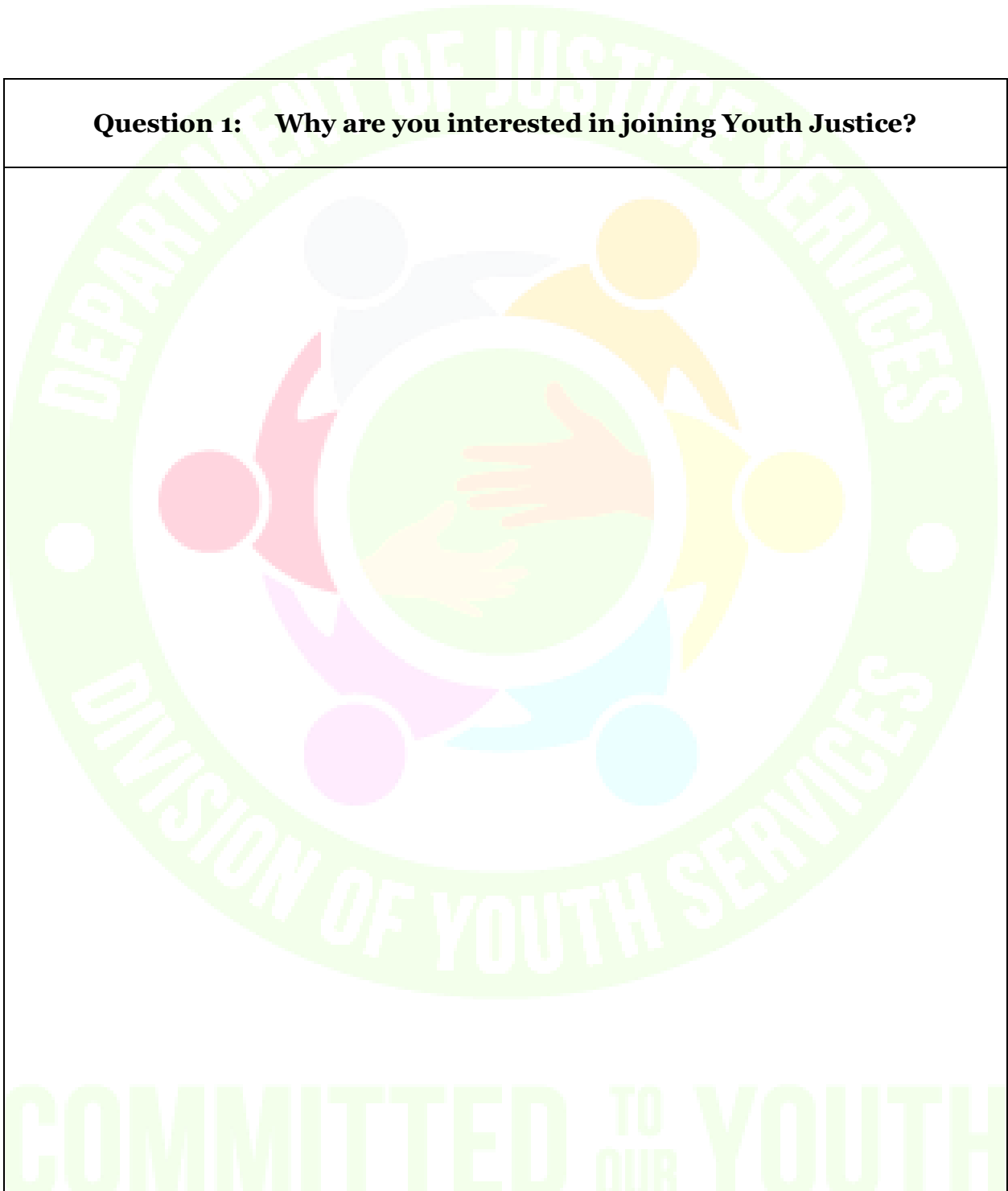
Email applications to Ericka.Wakefield@rva.gov
or return to The 730 Building, 730 East Broad Street, Richmond, VA 23219

PART 1 MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS

<u>APPLICANT INFORMATION</u>			
First Name:			
Last Name:			
Mailing Address*: (NO P.O. Box numbers)			
Applicant Email:			
Date of Birth:			
School:		Grade:	
Parent/Guardian Name:		Phone:	
Parent/Guardian Email:			
Best Number(s) to Reach <u>YOU</u>:			

PART 2 MUST BE COMPLETED BY NEW APPLICANTS

Question 1: Why are you interested in joining Youth Justice?



Question 2: Please share with us the activities you are involved in at school and in the community.



Question 3: Everyone is unique in some way. Tell us your unique qualities, talents, and experiences.



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Question 4: If you could advocate for one issue related to teens, what issue would that be? Describe your solution to that issue.



Once your application is received, the Youth Justice Office will reach out to first-time applicants to schedule your virtual interview.

For questions, reach out to Ericka Wakefield at Ericka.Wakefield@rva.gov or

(804) 646-6484.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____