

FALL 2025 SOUTH-CENTRAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

October 31 - November 2

IMPORTANT DATES

- Apply through your registering church.
- T-shirt size deadline: **Oct. 5**
- Registration deadline: **Oct. 19**
- Check-in & Meal: **Oct. 31** at 5:30PM

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

Check-in time on Friday begins at 5:30 pm and includes dinner. The departure time on the Lord's Day is 12:00 pm and includes lunch.

GENERAL LIABILITY & MEDICAL RELEASE

For each young person, please submit one General Liability Waiver/Medical Release combination form (digital) and one Medical Release form (paper) for the driver of the vehicle.

WHAT TO BRING

- Sleeping bags or bedding and a pillow
- Personal towel and toiletries
- Holy Bible or New Testament
- One General Liability/Medical Release paper form, if not already submitted digitally
- One Medical Release form for the driver
- Extra money for snacks or meals while traveling

ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations and meals will be provided. Please indicate any allergies (cat, dog, food, other) when registering. All attendees are requested to stay with their assigned hosts and not make personal arrangements. Being hosted in Christian homes has been a highlight for the young people over the years.

Shepherding Care for the Young People

All young people registered for the conference will need to have an adequate number of chaperones for the duration of the conference. The conference requires each registering church to arrange for a minimum ratio of 1 chaperone to 4 young people. Parents are encouraged to sign up! **Note:** 6th grade students who would like to attend the conference are required to have a parent or guardian as a registered conference attendee, serving as a shepherd and chaperone for the whole conference.

Approval Process for Adults

Volunteering in any capacity at the conference is contingent upon approval. All adults must submit an application, authorize a criminal background check, receive an elder's recommendation, and be approved by the overseers of the conferences.

Electronic Device Usage

To foster a focused, enriched environment, we would like to ask all participants to limit cell phone use during the conference. For the youth, cell phones should remain unused and out-of-sight unless given explicit permission by a chaperone. Phones may be used only for emergency contact with parents and/or guardians or for school-related activities (e.g., Canvas, Duolingo). We would like to ask all chaperones to model intentional restraint in phone use by keeping devices out-of-sight unless needed for conference matters or emergencies. This will set an example for our young people and will support an atmosphere of shared presence and spiritual focus.

Locations & Check-in

El Paso, TX

11395 James Watt Dr, Ste 9, El Paso, TX 79936

Laredo, TX

7210 E. Saunders Hwy 59, Laredo, TX 78041

Pittsburg, TX

60 CR 2110, Pittsburg, TX 75686

CHECK-IN & MEAL AT 5:30PM

Odessa, TX

2224 I-20, Odessa, TX 79763

Waco, TX

406 Eastland Lake Dr, Waco, TX 76706

QUESTIONS?

Contact your registering church coordinator