

FALL 2026 SOUTH-CENTRAL YOUNG PEOPLES' CONFERENCE

October 30 - November 1

IMPORTANT DATES

- T-shirt size deadline: Oct 4
- Chaperone deadline: Oct 14
- Registration deadline: Oct 18

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

Check-in time on Friday begins at 5:30pm and includes dinner.

Departure is on Sunday at 12pm 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 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 ratio for 6th graders is 1 chaperone for every 2 young people, with at least one of the chaperones being a parent. For 7th to 12th graders, the required ratio is at least 1 chaperone for every 4 young people attending the 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. 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

Laredo, TX

7210 E. Saunders Hwy 59
Laredo, TX 78041

Odessa, TX

2224 I-20
Odessa, TX 79763

Pittsburg, TX

60 CR 2110
Pittsburg, TX 75686

Waco, TX

406 Eastland Lake Dr.
Waco, TX 76706

QUESTIONS? Contact your registering church coordinator