



# L2L Red Coat Award Application

TO THE RED COAT AWARD APPLICANT: This application is to be submitted **AFTER** all requirements are met, and your Leadership Project idea is ready for review, **unless an exception has been made by the Red Coat Committee**. The Leadership Project may begin only **AFTER** approval has been given by the Red Coat Committee.

Start Date for Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Application Submission: \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Grade in School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in School at Time of Review: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICANT

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_  
Convention Site You Attend: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

## HOME CONGREGATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## PRIMARY PARENT/GUARDIAN CONTACT (Required)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

## NON-RELATIVE, ADULT MENTORE (Required)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

- Must be in grade 7 or above to begin achieving requirements. Accomplishments prior to grade 7 do not qualify.
- A minimum of four (4) years of participation is required to complete requirements for the award, and then another year to work on the Leadership Project.
- Students must be registered participants of L2L each year.
- Must complete and submit this Red Coat Award application, all documentation, and the Leadership Project proposal, as well as a signed Red Coat Statement of Understanding, once all requirements are met, unless an exception has been made by the Red Coat Committee.
- All requirements must be met, Leadership Project completed, and the Board of Review completed, before graduation from high school, unless an exception has been made by the Red Coat Committee. This award is intended to be earned, at the latest, in a student's senior year of high school.

REQUIREMENTS

**Year-Round Events** - Earn each of these required year-round events at least once from grade 7 forward

	Date(s) Completed
Centurion of Scripture: either one (1) Gold; two (2) Silver; or three (3) Bronze awards	
Gold Year-Round Speech OR Gold Year-Round Song Leading/Songs of Praise	
Gold Know the Books	
Gold Good Samaritan	
Gold Read the Word (Update as of 2027)	
Three (3) Keepers or Providers awards	
Sower or Defender	
Teach Me to Pray	

**Pre-Convention Events** - Minimum of one required each year of participation

	Date(s) Completed					
	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Mass Communications Blogging						
Mass Communications PowerPoint						
Individual Bible Bowl Test						
Pearls Test						

**Convention Events** - One required each year from EACH pair of events

	Date(s) Completed					
	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Speech OR						
Song Leading/Songs of Praise						
Debate OR						
Bible Bowl Team						

**Elective Events** - At least one per year with a minimum of four (4) different events chosen. Participating in the same event all four years will not count toward the award.

	Date(s) Completed					
	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Art Says It						
GIFTS						
GUARD						
Puppet Theater						
Second Language						
Teach to Teach						
Year-Round Bulletin Board						

**Outreach Project** - Required one (1) time during the time of earning the award

Present a speech/sermon or lead songs at a congregation other than your own, youth event, gospel meeting, ladies' day, civic club, university, lectureship, or similar setting while representing L2L. Documentation is required to include date, time, topic or songs led and signed by a witness of the event.

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No\_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Growth Projects** - Pick two (2) and document to include date, time, topic, and signature of witness of the event.

Preach a sermon at a worship service or present a lesson at a ladies' event

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

Take a significant role in three (3) home Bible studies

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

Participate in a door-knocking campaign

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

Prepare food for three (3) separate families with special circumstances, such as funeral, sickness, new home, etc.

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

Teach or co-teach a class at church for a quarter, or for VBS, at least three (3) years during the time of earning the award.

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

Participate in a mission trip and have an active role.

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation included with application? Yes or No

**Please submit this application, all documentation, and your leadership project proposal** to the national service center once all requirements are met. Applications will be accepted from **January 1<sup>st</sup>** to **June 30<sup>th</sup>** each year. For example: students applying for the class of 2029 should apply between January and June of 2028. Students may apply sooner, but please keep in mind that most begin to get feedback on their proposals in June or July.

**Leadership Project - All other requirements must be met prior to submitting  
(unless otherwise indicated by the committee)**

- Project must benefit the local congregation or one of their outreach programs such as evangelism or mission work.
- Project must demonstrate leadership by recruitment of a team, planning, supervising, and completing a meaningful project that requires a minimum of eighty (80) hours of work. A leader must be able to recruit, motivate, and manage others.
- The project idea must first be submitted in writing to the L2L National Service Center & Red Coat Committee for approval, then approved by the local congregation's leadership.
- Most proposals are not approved as submitted. Recommended changes will be given to the student for revision of the proposal. Work on the project may begin **ONLY** after approval is given by the Red Coat Committee.
- Pictures, letters from the local congregation/others, a written report of the various stages of the project, and a summary of things learned must be submitted to L2L in booklet form. The written report and summary must be at least four (4) pages, neatly typed in a business format. (This can be emailed or mailed)
- A board of review will be scheduled with members of the Red Coat Committee to talk with the applicant, review their accomplishments, and discuss their project once it is completed, and the summary has been submitted.
- After this review, the student will have earned the Red Coat Award or be notified of deficiencies.

\*If you have questions or need more information, email Caitlin Thompson at [caitlin@lads2leaders.com](mailto:caitlin@lads2leaders.com).\*