



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What is the 2022 Governor’s Summer Youth Employment Program (GSYEP)?

The 2022 Governor’s Summer Youth Employment Program aims to provide youth 14-17 years of age opportunities for positive youth development and valuable workforce experience needed to become responsible, productive, and contributing members of society.

2. What are the criteria to participate in the 2022 Governor’s Summer Youth Employment Program?

To be considered for the program applicants must be:

- Between the ages of 14-17 (by June 20, 2022)
- Resident of Guam
- Must be willing and able to fully complete six (6) weeks of the program (June 20th- July 29th)

3. Where can interested applicants pick up an application?

Applications will be available:	Date and time:	Location:
Online	June 1, 2022 12:00 a.m. to June 5, 2022 11:59 p.m.	DYA’s website: dya.guam.gov
In-person	June 1, 2022 to June 3, 2022 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	DYA’s Kåttan Youth Center

Applicants may obtain an electronic copy of the application online at dya.guam.gov or pick up a hard copy from the Department of Youth Affairs Kåttan Youth Center, #228 Teresita Lane, Mangilao (Behind DYA’s main compound).

4. What documents are required to enroll in the program?

In order to successfully enroll in the program, all applicants will be required to submit the following documents and information:

- Completed Governor’s Summer Youth Employment Application Form



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- Copy of a photo ID (i.e., Guam ID, Driver's License, U.S. Passport, Military ID and/or Current School ID)
- Copy of Social Security Card

Failure to submit the above-mentioned documents and information along with a completed application may result in being ineligible to participate.

5. When does the application process begin and end?

Applications will be accepted June 6, 2022, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Governor's Office Complex, Adelup (front lawn). If necessary, on June 7, 2022, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at Kåttan Youth Center in Mangilao, in order to receive 650 completed and eligible applicants.

Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

6. How are the youth being selected?

Applicants are required to meet the criteria of eligibility (refer to Question #2) and submit a completed application packet with required supporting documents. Priority consideration is based on at-risk factors check marked on page 4 of the application.

7. Who is responsible for paying the youth?

The Department of Youth Affairs.

8. How many hours can the youth work and how much are they paid?

Participants will be required to complete 30 hours per week and earn \$300 weekly for six (6) weeks; beginning June 20, 2022 and ending on July 29, 2022.

9. Who is responsible for placing the youth at worksites?

The Department of Youth Affairs.

10. How will my child find out if he/she has been selected?

Applicants will be notified via phone call and/or email a week (seven days) before the start of the program. Information provided will include work placement, point of contact and other pertinent information.

11. Can a youth participant change work assignments?

Any changes to job site placement or work assignments will be addressed on a case-by-case basis.



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12. Will lunch be provided and if not will the youth be able to leave the worksite for lunch?

Lunch will not be provided by the GSYEP or the host agency. Participants must provide their own lunch. Participants can leave the worksite for lunch.

13. Will participants be able to make up hours if they are unable to report for duty on their daily schedule?

Participants must communicate with the host agency to make-up hours for the week.

14. Are applicants eligible if they have plans to travel off island or attend summer school during the course of the program?

Applicants must be willing and able to fully complete the required 30 work hours per week during the six (6) week program (June 20th-July 29th).