



## **DENTON COUNTY OFFICE OF HISTORY AND CULTURE**

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COURTHOUSE-ON-THE-SQUARE MUSEUM • DENTON COUNTY HISTORICAL PARK

Dear Denton County Junior Historians candidate,

Thank you for your interest in the Denton County Office of History & Culture! Below, you will find an information sheet and a personal reference form. All participants in the program must fill out an information sheet and have one adult complete the reference form. References may include teachers, coaches, employers, neighbors, etc. When your paperwork is complete, please return by email no later than **Friday August 27, 2021**.

To be a Denton County Junior Historian, we ask for your commitment during the 2021-2022 school year and availability on an as needed basis. Members will attend meetings twice a month on Tuesday evenings, volunteer at special events, and work together on group projects that include designing exhibits and working with historical artifacts from the museum's collection.

The Denton County Junior Historians program is a wonderful opportunity for you to develop leadership skills, to give back to the community, meet new people, and engage in local history through new and interesting ways! If you have any questions, please contact me, or visit our website at [www.dentoncounty.gov/chos](http://www.dentoncounty.gov/chos). Thanks again for showing interest in this program!

Sincerely,

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### Denton County Junior Historians Information Sheet

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

Home Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Parents or Legal Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Please answer the following questions:**

1. What is your favorite subject in school? Why?

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2. Why do you want to join Denton County Junior Historians?

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3. How does understanding history help us today?

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4. What is your favorite historical time period?

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5. Describe your skills and experiences in working with people.

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Please email your completed information sheet and reference form to  
[Kelsey.Jistel@dentoncounty.gov](mailto:Kelsey.Jistel@dentoncounty.gov)



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## Denton County Junior Historians Reference Form

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe how you know the applicant:

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Is the applicant comfortable talking with a variety of people?

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What specific characteristics do you feel make this applicant a good candidate for this program?

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Please email to Curator of Educational Programs at [Kelsey.Jistel@dentoncounty.gov](mailto:Kelsey.Jistel@dentoncounty.gov)