

Graduates Will...



- Be able to contribute positively to their schools and fill the need of training future student leaders of clubs and organizations.
- Have an increased awareness of the community outside of school and personal activities.
- Have an increased sense of self-worth, enhanced critical thinking and problem-solving abilities fostered through real-life applications.
- Be better equipped to take on leadership roles at college and in careers.
- Become future leaders of our city and beyond.
- Have strong connections to, and become an integral part of, the future success of our Noth Fulton community.

MISSION AND VISION STUDENT LEADERSHIP NORTH

The Student Leadership NORTH (SLNorth) Program equips students with chances to acquire and implement leadership skills in their school and community. The mission of SLNorth is to foster the development of student leadership skills through various experiences.

Applications can be obtained from our website: www.studentleadershipnorth.com

OR from:

Centennial HS: Daniel Blanchard
Chattahoochee HS: Amanda Wile
Johns Creek HS: MaryBeth Smiley
Northview HS: Megan Ames
Innovation Academy: Wanda Moran
Mt. Pisgah: Patrick Mulrennan
Providence Christian: Wally Jenkins
Alpharetta HS: Mary Elie

Deadline is January 31, 2026

Student Leadership NORTH

2026-27 Program



STUDENT LEADERSHIP NORTH

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The success of Leadership Johns Creek, a 501c3 non-profit, prompted the creation of Student Leadership NORTH (SLNorth) a collaborative effort of our business and civic community to provide leadership training to our local youth.

Program Description

Student Leadership NORTH is a program for emerging leaders in their sophomore and junior years. Students apply in December/January of their freshman or sophomore year for the two-year program. Applicants are accepted from Centennial, Chattahoochee, Johns Creek, Northview High Schools, Innovation Academy, Mt. Pisgah, and Providence Christian Academy – Johns Creek and Alpharetta High School.

The program is run by an advisory council under the board directorship of Leadership Johns Creek, a 501c3 non-profit in collaboration with Fulton County Schools.

In year one of this two-year leadership program, leadership skills will be developed through a series of structured learning experiences and then utilized in community service projects within our community. In the second year, students will have a more individualized focus, implementing the skills learned in year one to find leadership opportunities after high school and college.

A class of approximately 100 young adults will be selected from area high schools and will be introduced to a core curriculum of leadership skills including goal setting, project management, team building, governmental process and communication skills.



2026-27 PROGRAM CALENDAR

Application Deadline	January 31, 2026
Class Announcement	March 2026
Class Welcome Reception	March 25, 2026
Kick-Off Retreat/ Team Building	August 8, 2026
Project Management	September 16, 2026
Leadership Program	October 16, 2026
Government Day Full Day Program	November 2026 or March 2027
Communication	January 20, 2027
Financial Literacy	February 9, 2027
City Day Full Day Program	November 2026 or March 2027
End of Year	April, 2027 TBA

**All dates subject to change*

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Who Should Apply?

Students who are currently freshmen or sophomores who have demonstrated emerging leadership qualities in school, places of worship or in community service activities should apply.

Students will submit an application, and a selection committee will approve candidates in March 2026 for the 2-year program beginning August, 2026.

Expectations

- Interactive and experiential learning including skills practice and teamwork
- Safe environments in which to learn about and discuss important issues
- Increased confidence and self-esteem
- Improved critical thinking and problem-solving
- Opportunities for real-life applications of learned skills
- Opportunities provided to explore local, county and state governments

