

2009 Youth Leadership Training Sessions

- **The Definition of Leadership from the Youth Perspective**
This session will help define leadership and concentrate on the commitment and integrity commanded of youth leaders in their schools and their community.
- **Communication Skills**
Oral and written communication skills are critical in effective leadership. This session will provide an insight into key concepts of effective communication. The assignment for this class will be for each member to write a short essay about a subject of their choice to be delivered during class and critiqued by class members and facilitator.
- **Diversity Training / Valuing Differences**
The purpose of this session is to stress the importance of team building and diversity in every working situation; and, increase their awareness of differences that are potential barriers to increased productivity and personal growth and development. This will be accomplished through various exercises and demonstrations
- **Financial Management**
This session will help students understand the importance of knowing how to handle their finances today and in the future.
- **Volunteerism**
This session will help students understand the importance of volunteering within the community as we believe volunteers make a difference. This session involves class participants volunteering as a class project on this scheduled class date arranged by the FOFL Board.
- **College Preparation**
Stressing the importance that students pursue education after high school. This session is geared toward working with participants prior to college. Through proper preparation, students will have enough time to gather all the information needed to focus on current interests, goals, and plan what courses should be considered.