Summer Youth Program
Fact Sheet

Program Focus and Overview

- The Summer Youth Program will allow FMYN Tribal and Community Members to engage in and utilize strength and culture-based activities to support them through their educational endeavors provided by the FMYN Education Division.

Program Dates and Times

- Month of June – 4-week program
- 1st week of June is Culture week.
- Mondays to Thursday 8:00am – 4:00pm (times may vary)
- Fridays Community Service Days (Non-Paid Day)
- Work Track Program available for starting age at 16.

Transportation

- FMYN Bus Driver

Locations

- EVIT, Mesa, AZ – Morning Session
- Little Falcons Preschool (Formally known as McDowell Mountain Elementary School) – Fountain Hills AZ. Afternoon Session
- Work Track – FMYN Government and Enterprise locations.

Intern Pay

- TBD
- Except for Community Service Days

Eligibility to Participate in the Summer Youth Program

- Ages 14-17, incoming Freshman to Senior (A 13-year-old can be accepted into the program if he/she is being promoted from eighth grade and will enter high school in the Fall.)
- Teenage with G.E.D. or high school diploma not eligible.
- Fort McDowell Tribal Members; Community Members living full time w/Tribal Member at Fort McDowell or Fountain Hills
- Must be currently attending an accredited school when applying.

Culture Week June

- Museum Tour
- Building Traditional Yavapai Home and Shade Structure
- Yavapai History, Culture and Language

Work Track

- Option for Sophomore to Senior interns only who wish to have on the job work experience in FMYN Government and Enterprise locations.
- 1st week spent in Cultural Activities with all Interns.
- Interns will receive weekly evaluations from the Supervisor to improve job performance.

Activities

- Community Service Projects Fridays: Service to FMYN Community

Closing Event

- July

Field Trips

- TBD
- Examples: College Visits, Historical Parks etc.