

**NYLT
is a council-level,
youth-led
advanced leadership
skills course
based on
professional
leadership courses.**

**Scouts will learn to
assess the
stages of team
development
and acquire a
toolbox of
leadership skills.**

**NYLT is
recommended
for Scouts who are
in leadership
positions
or may be
in the near future.**

Leadership Skills

The primary goal of NYLT is to develop Scouts as leaders. A good leader requires the knowledge and the ability to use the right tools. At NYLT, we teach the Scouts the skills necessary to manage group dynamics and performance. These are the same skills taught at Fortune 500 Companies and in Wood Badge. The Scouts not only learn about these skills, they are placed as leaders within patrols. Here they practice leadership skills under the guidance of an experienced staff. These leadership skills include:

- Communicating Well
- Finding Your Vision
- Setting Goals
- Preparing Plans
- Developing Your Team
- Solving Problems
- Effective Teaching
- Resolving Conflict
- Making Ethical Decisions
- Leading Yourself
- Valuing People

Scoutcraft & Outdoor Skills

Scouts will learn about low impact camping, outdoor cooking, geocaching and other outdoor skills. In addition, Scouts will be taught how to apply these skills in their home troops.

Model Troop

Youth leaders become part of a model troop. Patrols may be composed of scouts from troops & crews throughout the districts registered including out of council units. Typically, a patrol will have no more than one scout from any given home unit. The patrols cook, eat, sleep and train together. Activities include an outpost hike and camp out. Patrols take turns as the service and program patrol. The participants take turns serving as a patrol leader and participate in a daily patrol leaders council meeting.

NYLT

**National Youth
Leadership Training**

Mid-America Council



Training Dates

**July 26 - August 1, 2020
Camp Cedars
Cedar Bluffs, NE**

**ATTENDANCE IS REQUIRED
FOR THE ENTIRE WEEK**

**Sessions start on
Sunday and run through
Saturday morning**

Course Dates

July 26-August 1, Camp Cedars

Attendance of the entire week is required.

- Each session starts on Sunday morning and goes through Saturday morning
- Because many of the activities are team-building exercises, leaving the camp during the sessions is highly discouraged and may disqualify you from completing the course.

Registration Information

- Course Fee
 - \$225 early bird fee if paid in full by April 1
 - \$275 if paid in full after April 1, 2020.
- 4 Scholarships are awarded each year. Scholarship form can be found at the link below.

A Quality Staff

Trained youth staff members are assigned to work with a patrol throughout the week. Youth staff members are supported by trained adult leaders, who report to a BSA nationally certified course director.

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VISIT US AT

<https://mac-bsa.org/training/youth-training/nylt/>

Requirements to Attend

In order to attend an NYLT course, a youth must have the following qualifications by the beginning of the course

- **Registered Scouts BSA** and **Registered Varsity Scouts** must be at least 13 years old by the first day of the course. They must be a First-Class Scout and have already completed Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST). No exceptions.
- **Registered Venture** and **Registered Sea Scouts** must be at least 13 years old by first day of course AND completed the 8th grade. Must have completed Leadership Skills for Crews (ILSC) or Introduction to Leadership Skills for Ships (ILSS).
- Be recommended for attendance by Unit Leader with parent permission.
- Have a current Health Form: Parts A, B and C
Form available at:

www.scouting.org/scoutsources/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx

What do the participants need to bring

Clothing/Personal Items including: Field Uniform Shirt, other scouting t-shirts, shorts/pants, socks, undergarments, hat, closed-toe shoes, extra pair of shoes, pajamas, rain gear, medication in bottles with prescription labels on them, BSA Medical Form, personal care kit with sunscreen and insect repellent.

Equipment: Bag or Backpack to hold personal gear, Day pack, water bottle, mess kit including cup and utensils, sleeping bag, sleeping pad, TENT (will not be shared), pillow, flashlight w/extra batteries, personal first aid kit, prescription glasses if needed, sunglasses, pen/pencils.

NYLT Provides: 2 t-shirts, participant notebook, hat, water bottle.

Don't Bring: Electronic Games, Cell phones, iPods/iPads/other media devices, computers, food, snacks, candy or drinks.

BRING A FRIEND (OR TWO)

Invite someone to attend NYLT!

If you know of someone who would *enjoy* and *benefit* from NYLT, give us their contact information. We'll be happy to send them a NYLT application.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

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