



Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks

2024-2025 Youth Participation Initiative (YPI) Grant Program Application

<https://www.mdwfp.com/education-outreach/youth-programs/youth-participation-initiative-grants/>

Applicants should read Youth Participation Program Guidelines on the MDWFP YPI Webpage before completing this application. Final Reports will be due May 30, 2025.

It is important that the person filling out this application should be the name of the person that will be the sole contact for grant discussions and information with MDWFP.

1. Name of Grant Contact:
2. Your Title:
3. Address of Organization Applying for Grant :
4. Phone:
5. Your Email:
6. Title of Project/Event:
7. Estimated Number of Youth Participants:
8. Ages of Participants:
9. Requested Funds for this Project/Event:
10. Estimated Matching Funds for this Project/Event:
11. Project timeline dates:
12. Has your organization applied for YPI funds before: Yes No
13. If Yes, Please provide project name and year funded:
14. Please provide a brief project description including how your project meets the goals and objective of the YPI program, how the project will be implemented, monitored and evaluated:

15. Will this project recruit new anglers, hunters, or shooters? Yes No

16. Will this project recruit and/or retain anglers, hunters, or shooters? Yes No

17. Briefly describe how the youth will be selected to participate in your project:
18. Please list the media outlets utilized to advertise your project/event (social media, email, websites, etc.).

Project Budget

19. Please provide an estimated budget for your requested funds and any available matching funds:

Item	Cost of item	YPI Funds	In-Kind Match
Please Add Totals			

If you are selected for a grant, you must keep your receipts to turn in with your final report. If you leave your position, you must designate a new person to be responsible for these grant proceeds and notify MSWFP immediately at YPI@wfp.ms.gov. Please return this application to YPI@wfp.ms.gov no later than May 1, 2024.