



DELTA PROUD
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INITIATIVE

Nurturing & Growing Youth Leaders in the Delta

2022 SUMMER YOUTH LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE

WHEN

July 10-14th

WHERE

Delta State University

WHO

Middle and high school boys ages 11-17

WHAT

The Summer Youth Leadership Initiative (SYLI) at Delta State University is a hybrid summer camp designed to provide mentorship & college & career readiness for African American male students in the MS Delta. Students will learn the history & culture of the MS Delta and the many contributions of African American men along the way. The camp is face-to-face. COVID precautions taken more Info and application available at:

<https://forms.gle/T9iUcebsgZksYf8e9>

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DELTA STATE
UNIVERSITY

MISSISSIPPI
DELTA

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COST

Free

STIPEND

\$200

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TARGET COUNTIES

Bolivar, Coahoma, Leflore, Sunflower & Washington preferred. Considerations are also given to applicants from other MS Delta counties.

DELTA PROUD YOUTH INITIATIVE

The Delta Proud Youth Initiative aims to improve education for young African American males in the Mississippi Delta. The Initiative is committed to supporting locally driven, Community level partnerships that work to Improve school climate in education Institutions from kindergarten to post-secondary education.