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The STATE Program

Students Taking Action Towards Empowerment

AFTER-SCHOOL & SUMMER LEADERSHIP PROJECTS APPLICATION

The STATE After-School & Summer Projects create a space for young people who want to gain skills and make a change in their communities! The After-School Leadership Project meets 2 afternoons per week during the upcoming school-year; the Summer Leadership Project meets all day, 5 days per week, during the summer months. For more info about the program, call Emily at 212-876-5500.

Program participants will:

- Learn about their legal rights and become trained to conduct legal rights workshops
- Learn about the criminal justice system and the issues that affect their communities
- Create and produce a short film about a community issue of their choice

I am interested in the After-School Leadership Project / Summer Leadership Project. (circle one)

Name: _____ Nickname: _____

Current Grade: _____ D.O.B.: _____

School: _____

Home Address:

_____ (Street Name) (Apt #)

_____ (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Home Telephone #: () _____ Cell #: () _____

Email Address: _____

List your extracurricular activities for the upcoming school-year or summer:

Please return completed applications to:
STATE Program, 317 Lenox Ave., 10th Fl, New York, NY 10027
STATE is a program of the Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem (NDS)

What are 3 words that describe you? Why?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

What do you want to do when you grow up? Why?

Why do you think so many young African-Americans and Latinos get arrested?

What do you think could be done to prevent young people from getting arrested or committing crimes?

Why do you want to be a part of the STATE Program?
