



## THE QUAD CITIES YOUTH CONFERENCE WANTS YOU! February 27<sup>th</sup> and February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Dear school contact:

Your school is invited to participate in the *34th annual Quad Cities Youth Conference*. Our conference will be held on **Wednesday, February 27, for grades 7th and 8th and Thursday, February 28, for grades 9th-12th** at the Davenport River Center, Davenport, Iowa.

The format each day includes: a keynote speaker or group, a variety of workshops presented by local agencies' experts, lunch on site with booths by community agencies, recreational agencies, colleges and time for kids to dance and mingle.

Keynote:

### **A Place at the Table**

An impactful play that stresses the importance of inclusivity in our daily lives, especially at school. The play, written and directed by Cambridge Superintendent, Tom Akers will feature area high school students.

Your school is encouraged to be a part of this exciting educational event! Approximately 1,000 local 7th-12th grade students participate each year. *Please note that this conference is open to ALL students at your school.*

#### **The Goals of the Quad City Youth conference are to:**

- ✓ Motivate young people to make good decisions
- ✓ Help assist young people to develop decision making skills
- ✓ Assist youth to gain knowledge of agencies that will support them in addressing pertinent issues that are part of today's culture
- ✓ Help bridge communication between parents and teenage children
- ✓ Bring together schools and community agencies to better utilize funding and reduce duplication of services

**It is as simple as pressing "REPLY" to let us know you are interested in attending and how many students you would like to bring by October 19, 2018.** Space is limited. In December, you will receive your allotted number of spaces and a registration brochure. Each school is asked to bring one chaperone for every ten students. Cost of the conference is \$7.00 per student or chaperone. This includes lunch, 3 workshops, the keynote presentation, information booths at lunch and a keynote closing.

If you have any questions, please call or text:

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**Thank you from the Quad Cities Youth Conference Planning Committee!**

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