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**Rotary Youth Leadership Academy – Questionnaire/Cover**

**April 20th– April 23rd @ Ojai, CA at Camp Ramah**

Instructions: Please be brief and specific in your answers and submit responses as an attachment in your email in Word or Pdf format only. **Do not** **use google docs or any other option.** Please attach your essay to this cover sheet/with the questionnaire completed and return via email to [irene@irenehenry.com](mailto:irene@irenehenry.com) **by November 04th or** if a student at VHS may hand deliver to the VHS College Career Center. There is no cost to the attendee, your fee is covered by the Ventura Downtown Rotary Club. **Please use this cover sheet** **with your submission**. Applicants will be notified by November 18th, 2022. For more details on our Rotary Youth Leadership Academy, please refer yourself, your guardians, etc. to to www.ryla5240.org.

**1. QUESTIONNAIRE:**

1. If I were to ask your fellow classmates [not your friends- someone who has no bias], what type of student would they say that you are?
2. What would the friends that are most connected to you say are your top two best traits?
3. If you could go anywhere, where would that be and why?

[Be specific, the more detail the better]

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**2. ESSAY**

Please write 500 words or less on the following and how such relates to any current topic of your choosing; i.e. climate change? COVID? World hunger? “fake news”, etc.

Please utilize any and or all listed items in your response.

a] Your best leadership skill[s] and how you would **apply** said skill to the topic of your choosing.

b] What are you looking to **learn** from the Rotary Leadership Academy and how will you apply that learned knowledge?

c] Describe an unselfish action and or activity you have done and how that relates to the topic you undertook and what plan of action you might consider to be the change within the topic of your choosing.

**3. In 50 words or less at the conclusion of your Essay, please answer:** “Why are you the best candidate to be selected as an attendee for the Rotary Youth Leadership Academy?”

Thank you,

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