Our Staff



Directorial Staff: Prior to the start of the session, the Center conducts extensive interviews with first and second year college students to fill these positions. More often than not, the individuals that fill this position have an extensive history with the EOYDC and have been previous S.C.E.P. Youth Leaders. The directors have the somewhat unenviable task of maintaining the overall order and happiness for 100 youths and 25 Youth Leaders, and numerous community volunteers. They must plan, manage, supervise, fund raise and create informative and exciting curriculum.

Youth Instructors: Our youth instructors are typically drawn from a pool of youth 15-18 years old. As instructors, they are responsible for planning a curriculum for 4 classes a week for 6 weeks. They are also required to plan activities which motivate and inspire youth to achieve in their specific areas. As youth instructors, this is usually the first accountable experience in a teaching capacity.

Youth Leaders and Youth Leader Interns: These 13-18 year old individuals make up the majority of the summer program staff. The successful applicant must be above average in all aspects of their lives. Their portion of the program is structured to insure that they learn team work, time management, and acquire or enhance their supervisory and conflict resolution skills.



About EOYDC.....

Founded in 1973, the East Oakland Youth Development Center (EOYDC) is a community-based 501(c)(3) nonprofit agency dedicated to developing our children and youth into healthy, self-supporting and aware citizens and adults. Since 1978 the Center's **FREE** comprehensive programs have been coordinated to meet our clients' emotional, physical, intellectual, and economic needs. The Center is open Monday through Friday and is located in the Elmhurst District of East Oakland. While our primary focus are the residents of the East Oakland community, all youth and their families are welcome to participate in the services offered at the EOYDC.

EOYDC offers programs in the following areas:

Art
Photography
Ceramics
Painting
Dance Class
Music Class

Project J.O.Y. (Job Opportunities for Youth)

Job Training
G.E.D. Prep Class
Homework Center
Pathway-to-College Program
Summer Cultural Enrichment Program

Physical Development
Track

10 & Under Basketball League
Black College League
Invitational Tournaments
Adult Fitness
Rowing
Karate Class
Mountaineering Courses



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About the SCEP

The SCEP is a 6 week summer program that is designed and directed by young people for young people. The summer program consists of various activities geared toward educational advancement as well as increasing cultural and community awareness.

The main components of the SCEP consist of daily activities, special presentations, and enriching field trips.

Special Presentations

In order to provide our youth with the most enriching experience possible, we frequently host special presentations from various groups including: The Wild Things, The Oakland Fire Department, The Oakland Raiders, The Golden State Warriors, Hopalong Animal Rescue, and local poets and artists.



EOYDC participants with comedian, Mark Curry



Hopalong Animal Rescue



Art Class

Curriculum

The program has structured classes in the following areas:

- Art
- Computers
- Cooking
- Creative Writing
- Dance
- Drama
- Life Skills
- Fashion
- Math
- Music
- Spanish
- Physical Development



Computer Class

Field Trips



Monterey Bay Aquarium



Six Flags Discovery Kingdom



Exploratorium



Boomers!