

# Civic Engagement

Youth, Parks, Community Enrichment



## Sacramento Youth Commission

19-member advisory body appointed by Mayor & City Council

### 2024 Accomplishments

Sac. Youth Voice Survey, Youth Mental Health Resource Guide, two Aggie Square Listening Sessions (150+ youth), and a Youth Symposium (37 youth)

### Sacramento Children's Fund

three joint meetings, participated in town halls, surveys, info sessions, and presented SIP to City Council

### 2025 Focus Areas

Aggie Square, Sac. Youth Voice, Youth Mental Health

## Summer @ City Hall

Program curriculum focuses on local government, advocacy, youth development, and civic engagement - partnering with SCUSD, NUSD, & TRUSD

### Key Program Components

Project presentation to Mayor & City Council  
25-hour In-person Internship  
Community Service Project  
\$500 Stipend & 5 High School Elective Credits

### 2024 Program Data

71 Students & 13 Peer Mentors

### 2025 Program Information

Application Open: May 3 - April 18  
Onboarding & Training: 21 Peer Mentors  
New Peer Position: Senior Peer Mentors

## Staff

Maria Vides Medal  
Program Coordinator

Domynique Herndon  
Program Coordinator

Rhonda Patterson  
Program Supervisor

Sarah Musser  
Recreation Gen. Supervisor

Rene Kausin  
Program Manager



## Semester @ City Hall

Spring & Fall 5-weeks (Tuesday & Thursday evenings)

Curriculum centered around local government, advocacy, youth development, and civic involvement

Advocacy project presentation to the Sacramento Youth Commission

\$250 stipend & community service hours