

## About Energy Camp

All 8th grade students within TCEC's service territory are eligible to enter to win a four-day trip from May 29 – June 1, 2018, in the Red Rock Canyon area near Hinton, Oklahoma. Transportation to and from the camp is provided by TCEC.

For nearly 28 years, Oklahoma's rural electric cooperatives have been sending the state's brightest junior high students to YouthPower Energy Camp, and now it's your turn!

Imagine spending four days of your summer enjoying the pleasures the Devil's Canyon swimming, hiking, and making new friends all while improving your leadership skills and learning about one of our country's most important industries...rural electrification. You'll experience first-hand the exciting world of rural electricity: watch safety demonstrations, climb a pole, watch a co-op crew at work, as well as our "No Brains Olympic Games"! Best of all, you'll make friendships that will last a lifetime!

Some other features of the week include a ropes course, dance and pizza party along with karaoke and a live DJ, and even a trip to Celebration Station where you can spend the afternoon playing arcade games, winning prizes and do your best to beat the chaperones at go-carts!

Watch the video at [www.tcec.coop](http://www.tcec.coop).

## How to enter

Write a letter to the principal of your school naming specific actions the school should take to be more energy efficient. Include photos and other exhibits you can come up with to support your reasoning for your school become energy smart. Be creative!

### Energy Efficiency Resources

Web sites to visit for information about TCEC and energy efficiency include:

- [www.tcec.coop](http://www.tcec.coop)
- [www.touchstoneenergykids.com](http://www.touchstoneenergykids.com)
- [www.energysavers.gov](http://www.energysavers.gov)
- [www.energystar.gov](http://www.energystar.gov)

**Letter length:** 200-350 words

**Requirements:** Letters must be typed in a professional font, in block style lettering and be from you to your principal. Be sure to sign it and include your contact information (name, school, home phone, email, mailing address) with your submission.

TCEC pays transportation, lodging, meals and other incidental costs incurred on the trip. Should a student awarded the trip choose to forfeit trip participation, parents may be required to reimburse TCEC for the cost of the awarded trip, up to \$300.

Due to the tight itinerary of the trips, coordinators and chaperones will be unable to grant special requests.

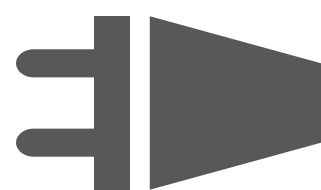
**Deadline:** Letter and camp entry form must be at the cooperative by Monday, January 22, 2018

**Submit your letter and camp entry form to TCEC one of the following ways:**

- Via Mail: TCEC, Attn: Energy Camp, PO Box 880, Hooker, OK 73945
- Via Email: [info@tcec.coop](mailto:info@tcec.coop), include 'Energy Camp Entry' in the subject line
- Via Fax: 580-652-3151

**For more information,** contact Leslie Kraich, community and member relations coordinator, at 580-652-2418 ext. 128.

# APPLICATION



# ENERGY ⚡ CAMP

## MAY 29-JUNE 1, 2018

*I would like to apply for the 2018 Energy Camp. I understand the material I submit in this contest becomes the property of the Oklahoma Association of Electric Cooperatives for use at its discretion. I agree to abide by the rules of the contest and the judges.*

**PLEASE SUBMIT THIS TO YOUR LOCAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE COORDINATOR.**

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First and Last Name

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Cooperative

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School Name

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Birthdate (Month/Day/Year)

Gender:  
M / F (circle one)

T-Shirt Size:  
S M L XL 2XL 3XL (circle one)

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Home Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_

City

\_\_\_\_\_

State

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Zip

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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