

## FINANCIAL AID & YOUTH EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIP













## ABOUT THE LEAD SUMMER PROGRAM

The SSI LEAD Summer Program is dedicated to equipping young people as leaders and empowering them to engage the world as Ambassadors for Christ.

Through this week-long camp, students build key life skills such as teamwork, critical thinking, and communication through leadership and career simulations. Teens are discipled and taught to affect positive action in the world around them.

The Financial Aid Fund and Youth Empowerment Scholarship programs help students who would otherwise be unable to attend this life-changing program.

You can learn more about our programs at ssionline.org!



## **2022 STUDENT IMPACT TESTIMONIES**

"I want to thank you sincerely for your selfless gift. It has truly meant a lot, and enabled me to come to SSI this week. I have learned a lot and have been stretched out of my comfort zone. I

have really been encouraged in Christ this week too. Thank you again for your gift, and may God bless you!"

"A simple 'thank you' would never be enough to compensate for all I've learned this week. This is my first year here and this has definitely been vital for my 'summer of growth'.... The tactics I've learned will go so much further into my life. My future has been affected."

"Thank you for being so generous. Thanks to you and many others, I can participate in LEAD. I have learned a lot that I thought I would never understand.

I have made and talked to a lot of friends, and considering I am shy, that's a bigger accomplishment for me. Sticking to that note, I hope I will make many more. Again, thank you so much; I appreciate it."

"Thank you so much for making it possible for me to attend SSI!

This means so very much to me as I look forward to this yearly! I am

16 years old, and love to sew. I dream of one day (hopefully soon) starting a boutique of my own handmade clothing and possibly some accessories too!

SSI is teaching me how to be a leader, not a follower; and this is helpful to my dream because I will need to lead an entire business rather than depend on others to tell me what to do. The friends I'm making here are absolutely incredible! My soul is being satisfied more than ever, the love and support here is amazing, and there just aren't enough words to explain the joy and spiritual fulfillment I'm experiencing here!

Again, thank you so much for making all of this possible for me! I hope one day I can pay this amazing act of kindness forward!"