

# The National Youth Poet Laureate Program's Loudoun Youth Poet Laureate

Are you a young poet between the ages of 13-19?  
Are you interested in finding new ways to be  
a leader in your community?

Applications for the 2026  
Loudoun County Youth Poet  
Laureate will open in Fall 2025!  
The National Youth Poet  
Laureate Program aims to  
identify young writers and  
leaders committed to creating  
change through civic engagement  
and poetic excellence.

## What are the benefits?

- A \$1,000 scholarship
- High-level performance and learning opportunities
- Chance to apply for the National Youth Poet Laureate
- Join a community of incredible poets including Amanda Gorman, who spoke at the presidential inauguration in 2021

## The application

- Submit 5 original works of poetry
- Submit a resume or CV detailing community service
- Submit adequate responses to all application questions



Apply here

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