Day One  Voices of Leadership

Registration and Check-In
Leadership Development Activities

Orientation
JrNYLC and You: The Week Ahead

Leadership Focus Groups
The Impact of Leadership Traits
• Communication
• Goal Setting
• Problem Solving
• Teamwork
• Character
• Respect
Leadership in U.S. History

Day Two  Voices of Freedom

Leadership Focus Groups
Goal Setting; American Presidency; Running for President;
Presidential Elections; ACT Tessera

The Process of Social Activism
Introduction to the Voices of Change Project
Topic Selection & Research

Simulation: Peace Patch Protest

Day Three  Voices of Struggle

Field Study Experience: Travel to Harpers Ferry
• Site of John Brown’s Attack on Slavery
• Testing the Times: Would You Follow John Brown?
• Civil War Loyalties: Choices and Consequences

The Process of Social Activism
Voices of Change: Organization

Simulation: Facing the Music**
Day Four       Voices of Courage
Field Study Experience: Leadership and Government
   U.S. Capitol Visitor Center***
   Self-guided exploration of Exhibition Hall and Emancipation Hall
Field Study Experience: Leadership and Change in U.S. History
   National Museum of American History
Field Study Experience: National Memorials: Tributes to Freedom and Sacrifice
   • Lincoln Memorial
   • Vietnam Veterans Memorial
   • Korean War Veterans Memorial
Simulation: My Day in Office

Day Five       Voices of Change
A Call to Action: Closing Keynote Speaker
Voices of Change: Advocacy Project Showcase
A Learning Adventure**
   Sleepover and Leadership Activity at the Maryland Science Center

Day Six        Voices of the Future
Leadership Focus Groups**
   Making a Difference at Home
We, the Future: Continuing the Voice of Leadership**
   Closing Commencement Ceremony
Departure**

*This sample schedule of events is provided as an example of the overall quality and scope of the experience offered. The specific schedule, details, and locations, including the location of the program sleepover, may be modified.
**Residential program activities only.
***Changes in the Congressional schedule may impact the JrNYLC visit to the Capitol.