



## CLASS #11 2020 – 21 Application

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[facebook.com/leadershipmansfield](https://facebook.com/leadershipmansfield)

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Please return the application no later than 5:00 PM, August 3, 2020 by either mailing it to 302 W. Broad Street, Mansfield, TX 76063 or scanning and emailing it to the email address listed above.

**Due to high demand and limited enrollment, applications will be considered on a first-received, first-considered basis.**

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Please limit your responses to the space available.

### **PURPOSE**

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Leadership Mansfield is a program offered to community leaders who live or work in Mansfield ISD, and who want to help lead positive growth in our community. The purpose of Leadership Mansfield is to motivate and encourage local leaders to:

- deepen and broaden community engagement;
- foster creative dialogue concerning issues facing our city;
- build relationships with diverse leaders across various sectors.

Participants are introduced to state, county, and city officials, school board trustees and administrators, community leaders and community boards and commissions. In-depth presentations, tours and conversations allow participants to see our city and region in a whole new way.

### **OBJECTIVES**

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Leadership Mansfield has the following objectives:

- To engage participants with Mansfield's history, government, social needs, opportunities, and existing processes.
- To encourage dialogue between classmates, alumni, and current leaders of Mansfield.
- To encourage ongoing active community service that positively contributes to the quality of life in the Mansfield area.
- To provide current and future employers with a source of knowledgeable and trained leaders who can and will have a positive impact on the business community.



**CLASS #11**  
**2020 – 2021**  
**APPLICATION**

Thank you for your interest in Leadership Mansfield!

**APPLICATION INFORMATION**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST

FIRST

MIDDLE INITIAL

PREFERRED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

T-SHIRT SIZE:  S  M  L  XL  XXL  XXXL

POLO SIZE:  MEN'S FIT  WOMEN'S FIT  S  M  L  XL  XXL  XXXL

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PREFERRED CONTACT INFORMATION:  PERSONAL  WORK (COMPLETE ON NEXT PAGE)

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

**To be eligible an applicant must meet one of the following criteria (check all that apply):**

Have lived in Mansfield for at least one (1) year immediately prior to September 1<sup>st</sup> of the current calendar year

Have worked in Mansfield for at least one (1) year immediately prior to September 1<sup>st</sup> of the current calendar year

**\$799 tuition fee is nonrefundable and is payable upon acceptance to the class.**

Responsible party:  Employer  Self  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Special circumstances may be considered for eligibility. If you do not meet one of the criteria above and would like to apply, please email us at [leadershipmansfieldtexas@gmail.com](mailto:leadershipmansfieldtexas@gmail.com).

## **CURRENT EMPLOYMENT**

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BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

JOB TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS AT CURRENT JOB: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU HAVE FULL SUPPORT OF YOUR EMPLOYER TO PARTICIPATE IN LEADERSHIP MANSFIELD?  YES  NO

MAY WE CALL YOUR SUPERVISOR TO VERIFY THIS?  YES  NO

SUPERVISOR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SUPERVISOR PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU WANT YOUR BUSINESS TO BE IDENTIFIED IN NEWS RELEASES?  YES  NO

## **QUESTIONNAIRE**

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HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT LEADERSHIP MANSFIELD?  
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IF YOU ARE CHOSEN AS A CLASS MEMBER, WHAT DO YOU HOPE TO GAIN FROM YOUR EXPERIENCE?  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

WHAT IS YOUR MOST SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO YOUR COMMUNITY TO DATE? (YOU MAY CONSIDER FORMER COMMUNITIES IN WHICH YOU HAVE LIVED OR WORKED.)  
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IN YOUR OPINION, WHAT ARE THREE IMPORTANT ISSUES FACING MANSFIELD TODAY?  
1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT SKILLS AND EXPERIENCES DO YOU HOPE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS YEAR'S CLASS?  
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# CALENDAR AND REQUIREMENTS

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PLEASE READ ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY.

ATTENDANCE IS REQUIRED AT ALL SESSIONS.

**KEEP A COPY OF THIS PAGE FOR YOUR RECORDS.**

## 2020

DATE	DAY	TIME	HOURS	EVENT
SEPTEMBER 9	WEDNESDAY	6:30 PM – 8:30 PM	2	RECEPTION
SEPTEMBER 16	WEDNESDAY	6:00 AM – 8:00 PM	14	OPENING RETREAT
OCTOBER 21	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	LEADERSHIP SKILLS/HISTORY DAY
NOVEMBER 18	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	SOCIAL SERVICES DAY
DECEMBER 9	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	HEALTH CARE DAY

## 2021

DATE	DAY	TIME	HOURS	EVENT
JANUARY 20	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	CITY OF MANSFIELD DAY
JANUARY 25	MONDAY	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	2	ATTEND CITY COUNCIL MEETING
FEBRUARY 17	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT DAY
FEBRUARY 23	TUESDAY	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	2	ATTEND SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
MARCH 10	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	COUNTY DAY
APRIL 21	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	EDUCATION DAY
MAY 5	WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	9	WRAP UP DAY
MAY 12	WEDNESDAY	11:00 AM – 2:00 PM	3	GRADUATION

## ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

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- **If for any reason you cannot attend the opening retreat in its entirety, you will be released from the class.**
- Every participant is required to attend every session **in its entirety**.
- Class begins at 8:00 AM sharp.
- Each participant is required to attend a Mansfield City Council meeting and an MISD Board Meeting. If you can't attend the scheduled meetings, you must attend one on your own.
- A minimum eight (8) hours is required for a community service project, to be determined by the class.
- Graduation from Leadership Mansfield is dependent on full class attendance and participation.

## CLASS CODE OF CONDUCT

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- Except during the retreat, and unless otherwise directed, participants are expected to wear business casual attire. Comfortable walking shoes are highly recommended at all sessions.
- During all programs, refrain from using cell phones and texting. Periodic breaks will be provided.
- This is not the time or place to solicit business from classmates. Refrain from overt solicitation.
- Participants are expected to conduct themselves in a professional and business-like manner at all times.
- Participants will at all times show courtesy and respect to presenters and classmates by not engaging in side conversations or distracting behavior.

## **FINANCIAL OBLIGATION**

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- If admitted to the class, tuition of \$799 is due by September 4, 2020.
- Make checks payable to Leadership Mansfield.
- Late payment will forfeit your candidacy. Your position will be offered to the next qualified candidate.

## **DEADLINES**

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- Completed applications must be returned no later than 5:00 PM, Monday, August 3, 2020, and will be considered on a first-come, first-considered basis.
- Notification of candidacy will be on or before Monday, August 17, 2020.
- If admitted to the class, tuition must be paid in full by 5:00 PM on September 4, 2020.

## **AGREEMENT**

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It is my understanding that Leadership Mansfield is to be a learning experience and that attendance at each class is mandatory. I understand that in order to graduate Leadership Mansfield, I must (please initial each):

\_\_\_\_\_ Attend the Leadership Mansfield Opening Retreat.

\_\_\_\_\_ Attend every session in its entirety.

\_\_\_\_\_ Attend a Mansfield City Council Meeting.

\_\_\_\_\_ Attend a Mansfield ISD School Board Meeting.

\_\_\_\_\_ Participate in the class project (dates/times TBD – by class).

\_\_\_\_\_ Adhere to financial obligation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Adhere to the class code of conduct.

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

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By signing below, I agree to the following: if applicable I have my employer's support, as indicated below. If selected, I will devote the time and resources necessary to complete the program. If admitted into candidacy, I understand and agree to abide by these requirements. I furthermore understand that once tuition is paid, there is no refund, full or partial.

- I have completed the application to the best of my knowledge.
- I have read and understand the eligibility requirements.
- I have read and understand the attendance requirements.
- I have read and understand the class code of conduct.
- I hereby give Leadership Mansfield the right to make inquiries regarding the information provided on this application form.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*your employer's signature is required