

# Unlock Your Leadership Potential at RYLA 5580!



**July 12th-18th, 2026**

Join us for the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) 5580 camp, where you'll embark on a journey of self-discovery, skill-building, and lasting friendships.





**RYLA 5580** isn't your average leadership camp. It's a hands-on, immersive experience designed for high school students like you to explore your strengths and develop your unique leadership style. Held at the **University of Minnesota Crookston (UMC)** campus, this camp is all about empowering youth to lead.

Best part? There's **no cost** to attend! Thanks to the generous sponsorship of individual Rotary Clubs, all fees are covered, and necessary supplies are provided. Just pack minimally and get ready for an unforgettable week.



## At RYLA 5580, you'll:

- Build communication and problem-solving skills
- Discover strategies for dynamic leadership
- Learn from community leaders and inspirational speakers
- Turn motivation into action
- Have fun and form lasting friendships



"I stepped out of my comfort zone SO much it has changed me more than anything. I am strong and confident and can keep my head held up high while being humble and helping others around me. I AM SO HONORED TO HAVE COME TO THIS CAMP 😊 THE most amazing experience EVER."

- Sarah L. 2024

**"I honestly didn't know what to expect when I came here, but if I did have expectations, it would have blown them out of the water. I learned so much about leadership and myself; the whole experience was really empowering."  
- Noah B. 2025**



## **Who Should Apply?**

**High school students  
in Rotary District 5580 who:**  
Demonstrate leadership qualities  
Are current Sophomores and Juniors  
Participate in school activities, volunteer  
work, or have good academic records



## Mission + Vision:

**RYLA 5580 empowers youth to lead by helping seniors identify, understand, and develop their personal leadership qualities. Check out our sample schedule to see what's in store!**



**Collaborate with volunteer facilitators to:**  
**Communicate effectively**  
**Resolve conflicts**  
**Act with integrity**

**Discover new leadership abilities through engaging presentations, small-group discussions, and experiential activities. Our curriculum includes:**  
**7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens**  
**Personality Indicators**  
**Rotary Four-Way Test**  
**Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion**



**Learn by overcoming challenges with hands-on activities like:**  
**Low-ropes course**  
**Community service projects**  
**Cross-cultural simulation**

**Meet new friends and have a blast with:**



**Networking Dinner**



**RYLA Challenges**



**Dance and game night**



Ready to take the next step  
in your leadership journey?

Apply now for RYLA 5580  
and unleash your potential!

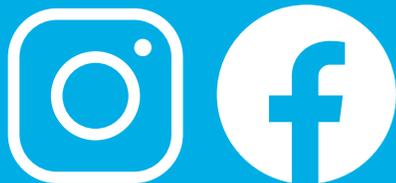


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<https://district5580ryla.org/>

If you have questions  
message @ryla5580





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