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FINAL DEADLINE FOR 2025 LEGISLATIVE PAGE APPLICATIONS CLOSING IN

PIERRE – South Dakota high school students interested in serving as pages for the historic One Hundredth Session of the South Dakota Legislature in 2025 now have less than two weeks in which to submit their application materials. The final deadline is October 18, 2024.

Juniors and seniors from any school district in the state, including home-schooled students, are eligible to apply to serve during one of five page terms during the 2025 Session. The 100th South Dakota Legislative Session runs from January 14, 2025, to March 31, 2025, with a recess from March 14-28.

To apply, the student must have signed sponsorship approval by a current legislator as well as written permission from their school. They must also submit a completed application (available on the Legislative Research Council's [website](#)) and a cover letter.

Pages are appointed to serve in either the House of Representatives or the Senate and are assigned to committee meetings in the mornings and Chamber floor sessions in the afternoons. They also assist in the Legislative Post Office; help legislators, as needed; and participate in scheduled social events, including a meeting with the Governor. Pages earn \$55 for each legislative day they work. While serving as pages, students are housed in family homes in Pierre and Fort Pierre.

Students wanting more information should contact the Legislative Research Council, 500 East Capitol, Pierre, SD 57501; email PageProgram@sdlegislature.gov; or call (605) 773-3251.