The Sir Charles Court Young Leaders Program is based on the shared ideals of Sir Charles Court and former Prime Minister John Curtin: Vision, Leadership and Community Service.

In 2014 the Sir Charles Court Young Leaders Program (SCCYLP) was revised to align with Curtin University’s Student Leadership Development Strategy. Year 10 students who demonstrate academic ability, leadership potential and involvement in their community are encouraged to apply. Selected students attend an intensive and exciting four day leadership camp where they are exposed to a number of challenging activities aimed at developing their leadership skills and building confidence in their own abilities.

Throughout the program students will develop the following leadership skills:

- Self-awareness
- Goal setting
- Teamwork
- Problem solving
- Awareness of global and local issues and how these impact society.

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Program Details
• Four day leadership camp
• Graduation Ceremony held at Curtin University
• Program is free to each student selected with all meals, accommodation and program activities included.

Selection Criteria
A suitable candidate will bring early stage leadership skills and experience to the program, and will accept the challenge to further improve his/her skills and commit to sharing this knowledge with others at the completion of the program.

The selection process is highly competitive and only 30 students will be chosen based on their application focusing on the following criteria:

• Leadership experience
• Community involvement
• Academic achievement
• Extracurricular involvement
• Personal interests and ambitions
• Teacher referral.

Applications
Entry to SCCYLP is application based. Students are required to complete an online application form accessible via the Curtin University website. A successful application will clearly and articulately present a student’s individual view that indicates that they are dedicated to the service of others and are self-motivated to pursue subjects and activities beyond what is provided in the curriculum.

A maximum of two students per school are eligible to apply. Approval by parents and School Head of Department (or equivalent) are required for all student applications. Application submissions must be made via the school.

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“This experience was life-changing, I learnt so much about leadership and I met so many brilliant people.”
SCCYLP Graduate 2014

“I’m full of new knowledge, experiences, skills and a whole new positive view of the world.”
SCCYLP Graduate 2014

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