



Network Ambassador Job Description

What is the Central Florida GSA Network?

- The GSA Network is a program under the Zebra Coalition whose mission is to empower all youth through the education of LGBT+ organizations, development of character and leadership qualities, support of team building, and through community service.
- This network is primarily serving youth and GSAs in Orange, Osceola, and Seminole counties.
- We support GSAs by providing guidance through leadership trainings and connect the students with the opportunities that many LGBT+ organizations in Florida provide.

What are the responsibilities of a Network Ambassador

- Provide support to the GSAs located near your demographic area by helping them with club programming and growth.
- Work in collaboration with the other Network Ambassadors to provide leadership training to the GSA clubs across the Central Florida community.
- Be a youth voice in community related LGBT+ events, activities, and programming.
- Work with partner organizations such as Zebra Coalition, Equality Florida, The Dru Project, PFLAG, OYA, QLatinx, and local school districts.

Benefits of Being a Network Ambassador:

- All chosen Network Ambassadors will receive a grant to support their individual GSA!
- Advance your leadership development and professional skills to be an effective advocate in the local community.
- Learn about how to engage with local community organizations to further your educational aspirations and career readiness.
- Receive personal mentorship from local LGBT+ leaders and advocates to create more positive school and community environments.

How to become a Network Ambassador:

- Have good academic standing, parental consent, and reliable transportation.
- Complete the attached application and submit to Neil@equalityflorida.org by March 29th at 5pm.



Network Ambassador Application

Thank you for showing your interest in being a part of the Central Florida GSA Network. The Network Board will be composed of 6 Network Ambassadors and one Network Advisor to help with achieving the many exciting goals of this program. As a part of the Central Florida GSA Network, you will be a founding leader in this pilot year of the program. In this role, you will provide support to GSAs, collaborate with the other GSA Network Ambassadors, and be a powerful voice to support the programs and events of local LGBT+ community organizations. Your term as a Network Ambassador will begin in the Summer of 2019 with onboarding and training and will last until the Spring of 2020. There is no financial commitment to being a part of this amazing opportunity.

This position requires time and commitment as a major extracurricular activity, and Network Ambassadors are expected to demonstrate professionalism. There are few opportunities that a high school student will have that provide the extensive experiences of being a Network Ambassador! Please send the responses to the following questions below in PDF or DOC form to Neil@equalityflorida.org by March 29th at 5 pm.

Name:

Pronouns:

Grade:

School:

Active GSA at your school? Are you in a leadership role?

Do you have reliable Transportation?

Are you comfortable being a public advocate for LGBT+ issues?

What other organizations or clubs are you currently a part of and what is your role in each organization?

1) What do you believe can help GSAs be stronger and more impactful?

Please answer in 250 words or less.

2) Why do you believe you would be a positive role model and leader for young LGBT+ people in the Central Florida community?

Please answer in 250 words or less.