



Class of 2025-2026 Application

Application & Deposit Deadline: Friday, August 8, 2025



Leadership Grand Prairie 2025-2026 Calendar Class Dates

Friday, August 8th, 2025 -- Application deadline / \$400 deposit due

Deposit must be received for application to be considered; class space is limited.

Wednesday, August 27, 2025 -- Meet & Greet Orientation

CLASS DATES

Thursday, September 4, 2025 – Opening Retreat

Thursday, October 2, 2025

Thursday, November 6, 2025

Thursday, December 4, 2025

Thursday, January 8, 2026

Thursday, February 5, 2026

Thursday, March 5, 2026

Thursday, April 2, 2026

Thursday, May 7, 2026 -- Graduation

Because class attendance is mandatory, mark these dates on your calendar.

Leadership Grand Prairie 2025 - 2026 Application

Date:

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Preferred Name or Nickname _____

Business Name _____ Title _____

Business Description _____

Business Address _____

Home Address _____

Business Phone _____ Cell _____

Home Phone _____

Email _____

Address you prefer to receive Leadership correspondence: (circle one) Business Home

Is your business/organization sponsoring you? (circle one) Yes No

Date of Birth _____/_____/_____ Gender (circle one) Male Female

How long have you lived or worked in Grand Prairie? _____

In what county do you reside? _____

Interests _____

Polo Shirt Size: Men's Women's S M L XL XXL XXXL

Education:

Major college, graduate school, business/trade school, and/or other specialized training.

Name and City of Schools Graduation Date Degree/Major

Community Activities

List KEY community, civic, service, professional, business, social, religious, and other organizations of which you have been a member in the past five years.

Please attach your current resume.

Special honors or awards (career or community related)

What do you consider your highest personal, academic and/or career achievement?

What is your favorite book on leadership and why?

Have you completed any other leadership programs, at any other city or organization? If so, which ones and when?

COMMITMENT

LEADERSHIP GRAND PRAIRIE is a learning experience and requires the following commitments by the participant:

- 1) Mandatory attendance at the Meet & Greet Orientation on August 27th, 2025.
- 2) This program will include a lot of walking, accessing a school bus (stairs), and may also include stairs at venues we visit. All attendees will travel together to maintain the daily schedule.
- 3) Please wear your LGP Polo shirts to class each month; business casual/business attire is recommended. Please wear comfortable shoes (no sandals or open-toed shoes).
- 4) Attendance at monthly sessions (8 hours each) is mandatory. ***Class dates will be September 4, 2025; October 2, 2025; November 6, 2025; December 4, 2025; January 8, 2026; February 5, 2026; March 5, 2026; April 2, 2026, and Graduation will be on May 7, 2026.***
- 5) Timeliness. This requirement is not only a demonstration of proper business etiquette; it will allow all participants to gain the most benefit from the program.
- 6) **Tuition for the program is \$800.** A \$400 deposit is required by August 8, 2025. Payment in full is due by August 27, 2025.

Any program participant who is absent from the retreat or from more than 12 hours of class meetings will not graduate (we reserve the right to make exceptions in special circumstances). Tuition refunds must be requested in writing by September 1, 2025. No tuition refunds will be considered after that date. A \$50 processing fee will be deducted from each tuition refund.

I understand the above commitments and agree to be bound by them, by signing this application.

Applicant's signature

Return completed applications to: Leadership Grand Prairie
c/o Grand Prairie Chamber of Commerce
900 Conover Drive
Grand Prairie, TX 75051
(972) 264-1558
Email: brian@grandprairiechamber.org
www.grandprairiechamber.org

LEADERSHIP GRAND PRAIRIE LIABILITY RELEASE FORM

DISCLOSURE: Leadership Grand Prairie's monthly programs typically involve a variety of different components and trips to different locations (including, for example, a jail, one or more area hospitals, and one or more area schools) at which individual and group activities or tours will occur. Because of the activities involved and the locations visited, a risk exists and must be assumed by each participant that there is potential for physical or emotional injury. To assist Leadership Grand Prairie in providing a safe experience, participants are asked to provide us with information regarding any limitations, conditions or disabilities you may have that could affect your safety or the safety of class situations.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY: I have read and understand the disclosure statement above. I understand that Leadership Grand Prairie's program may be physically or emotionally demanding. I recognize the inherent risks of injury or disability inherent in my participation in Leadership Grand Prairie's program and I assume the risk of injury that could result from any of the class activities.

I RELEASE LEADERSHIP GRAND PRAIRIE, ITS STAFF MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, REPRESENTATIVES, AGENTS AND AFFILIATES FROM ALL LIABILITY FOR ANY INJURY (INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PERMANENT AND FATAL INJURY) TO ME AND OR DAMAGES TO OR LOSS OF MY PROPERTY RESULTING FROM MY PARTICIPATION IN THE LEADERSHIP GRAND PRAIRIE PROGRAM AND ACCEPT ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MY PERSONAL SAFETY.

Applicant Signature

Date

Applicant printed name _____

Witness signature (cannot be related by blood)

Date

Witness printed name: _____

In case of emergency contact: _____

Phone number: _____ Relationship: _____

Any conditions that we should be aware of, in case of emergency? This information will remain confidential.

Please attach a copy of your health insurance card front and back. We will take it with us on trips for safety reasons.

If you do not have health insurance, please check here: ☐