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Position to apply (1 <sup>st</sup> Choice)	President
Position to apply (2 <sup>nd</sup> Choice)	Vice President

## **AYLUS Leadership Application Form**

Parents and volunteers of AYLUS,

My name is Colin Xie. I am a rising senior at Canyon Crest Academy in San Diego, an active AYLUS volunteer since 2019, the Committee Chair of English for the Elderly since 2023, and Vice President of the San Diego branch since 2025. I have worked alongside other members in a broad range of activities, including volunteering at the San Diego Food Bank and Computers 2 Kids, donation drives, monthly recycling and neighborhood clean-ups, and especially tutoring English, math, and science in programs such as English for the Elderly and Solution for Hope, which I have consistently attended every week. By participating in these events over several years, I have built strong collaboration and communication skills.

I am now applying for the positions of President and Vice President. As the current Chair of English for the Elderly and branch Vice President, I am experienced in management and leadership, as well as dedicated to our mission, with over 650 total volunteer hours. I co-founded and am an officer of the CCA InnoEco Club, which is dedicated to environmental protection and increasing recognition of lesser-known health risks caused by environmental issues such as the spread of microplastics. I am also responsible and a hard worker, having challenged myself to some of the hardest classes at school with a weighted GPA of 4.92 on a 5.0 scale in my junior year, achieved a score of 1580 on the SAT, and done research on subjects such as AI writing and its distinguishability from student-written papers. I have tutored peers in multiple STEM subjects, including calculus, physics, statistics, and computer science. As an AYLUS leader, I hope to be a positive role model for other volunteers in our organization, and share my passion for STEM with underprivileged students through opportunities with existing and new programs.