

UYC Working Group - Elections

Resolution

In the Elections Working Group, we created a plan to tackle the issue of elections.

We debated the existing structure for elections and have created new guidelines for elections which we intend to send to schools over the summer and coordinate them using in order to fill the ranks of the council. We will be sending a pack to the schools with:

- letter explaining the Youth Council and our aims
- our constitution
- the election guidelines
- and new posters.

This plan has been a work in progress for many months now and all the details can be found in the next few documents of the agenda pack. We hope to debate (and pass!) this resolution at the next meeting. It has been divided into four sections, such that some may be adopted and others returned for redrafting.

1.1

Allocation of a yearly budget of £150 from the Youth Council yearly budget to pay for printing and postage of elections material to relevant groups.

1.2

Adoption of the Youth Council Election Guidelines as official guidelines for UYC regional elections.

1.3

Resolution to send material to schools pertaining to elections (guidelines, constitution, posters) in September of each election year.

1.4

Adoption of the amendments to Version 1.4 of the Constitution, and renaming to 1.5. Resolution to send this version to the council legal department to check it before asking UDC to adopt the amended version.