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NORFOLK YOUTH SUMMIT 2022

Following a successful inaugural event in 2021, the Norfolk Youth Summit is relaunching for 2022 and we are seeking Norfolk's most engaged pupils to take part as ambassadors.

Last year's summit brought together pupils from 8 Norfolk schools in a series of discussions and seminars based on the most topical issues affecting young people today.

For 2022 we are working in partnership with the Eastern branch of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award who have a presence in 62 schools in Norfolk and have a long-held commitment to promoting the voice of young people through their work.

We are looking for 4-6 pupils in Year 10 and 12 to take part on behalf of their school to share their views with peers in online group events, culminating in a final session onsite at a city venue in the summer term.

The proposed dates for the sessions are:

Tuesday March 3rd – Introductory Session (Virtual)
Tuesday March 24th – 1st Discussion Group (Virtual)
Tuesday April 28th – 2nd Discussion Group (Virtual)
Tuesday May 19th – 3rd Discussion Group and Plenary Session (in person)

The topics for discussion will be drawn from the DofE's recent Youth Manifesto which centre around the following themes:

Environment & Climate Change
Employment & Training
Health & Wellbeing
Social Justice & Inequality
Politics, Public Life & Decision Making
Youth Communities

Speakers for each topic will be confirmed in the coming weeks.

Pupils and schools interested in being a part of the Norfolk Youth Summit should register via partnerships@norwich-school.org.uk.

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