



WARWICKSHIRE YOUTH COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2026

ELECTION INFORMATION FOR SCHOOLS & TEACHERS

Step 1

Your school agrees to host the online Warwickshire Youth Council Elections 2026

Step 2

Promoting the Youth Elections

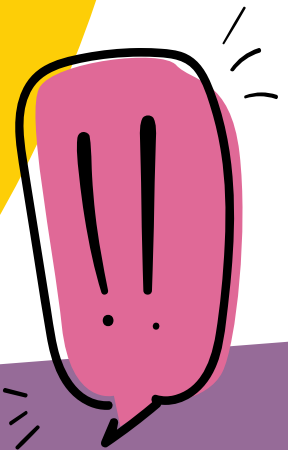
By this stage your school has agreed to host the Warwickshire Youth Council Elections. We will provide information and posters to share in your school to help promote the Youth Council Elections. Schools will start promoting the elections from October 2025.



Step 3

Nominations from young people

- A nomination form will need to be completed by young people who want to stand as a candidate for the Warwickshire Youth Council Elections.
- An electronic nomination form will be available for young people to complete on our webpage.
- Nomination forms can be completed from 13th October 2025 until 12th December 2025
- Support from your school should be provided for young people to complete the nomination form, for example during a PSHE lesson. We will use the information on their nomination form, including their manifesto, to create individual profiles for young people.
- A Manifesto is what young people will see when they are deciding who to vote for during the Youth Council Elections.





Step 4

Voting starts in February 2026

- Voting opens 2nd February 2026
- Voting closes 27th February 2026
- Voting will happen online, via a voting form on our webpage
- Only young people between the ages of 11-17 may vote
- Young people can vote for 3 candidate of their choice
- Voting will take approximately 10 minutes
- Support should be provided to young people by allowing them time during the school day to cast their vote i.e. during a PSHE lesson

Step 5

Election Results & Announcement

- The election results will be announced on 12th March 2026