

Frequently Asked Questions - EMCCA Youth Committee Application

1. Who can apply to be on the Youth Committee?

Anyone aged roughly 15 to 18 (or up to 25 for those with additional needs) and be based in either Nottinghamshire or Derbyshire, as this comprises the EMCCA region and are passionate about making a difference in their community.

2. What is the purpose of the Youth Committee?

The Youth Committee will help shape decisions that affect young people across the East Midlands. You'll have the chance to share your views, influence policy, and work with local leaders to create positive change.

3. How do I apply?

You can apply in one of the following ways:

- Fill in the attached Word document and email it back to us.
- Complete the online form here: <https://forms.office.com/e/J7qG6hHsnu?origin=IprLink>
- Send us a video or voice recording answering the questions in the application.

4. What should I include in a video or voice application?

Just answer the same questions listed in the application form. Be yourself - we want to hear your ideas, experiences, and why you're interested in joining the committee.

5. When is the deadline to apply?

Please submit your application as soon as possible or by the **20th of August** so that we can plan our first meeting for the end of September.

6. What happens after I apply?

We'll review all applications and get in touch with shortlisted candidates for the next steps. This may include a short informal chat or group session.

7. Who can I contact if I have questions or need help?

Feel free to reach out to Jae Hodgson at jae.hodgson@eastmidlands-cca.org.uk – I'm happy to help!