

UK Youth Parliament Elections 2019

THE ROLE OF A MYP

The national UK Youth Parliament provides opportunities for 11-18 year-olds to use their voice in creative ways to bring about social change. Members of Youth Parliament (MYPs) are elected from across the UK and work with MPs, local Councillors, Council Officers and the wider community to ensure the views of young people are heard.

In Stockton-on-Tees this process is facilitated, delivered and coordinated by the Bright Minds Big Futures (BMBF) Committee who represent the collective voice of young people across the Borough.



Maisy Best, Member of Youth Parliament for Stockton 2017-2019

YOUR VOICE, YOUR CHOICE

WHO WILL BE THE VOICE FOR STOCKTON-ON-TEES?

NETANYA ALWIS

I promise to fight: setting the bar higher, daring to be different and to break the mould, with new perspective.



WHY VOTE?

The main aim of the UK Youth Parliament is to enable young people to use their energy and

passion to influence change locally, regionally and nationally. The Government and the Council have offered you the chance to make your voice heard through this election, because they value your views, so please use your vote!

HOW TO VOTE

Voting for the UK Youth Parliament Elections 2019, in the Stockton area, will take place between 25 and 27 February 2019. Ballot papers will be circulated to the schools who have signed up to host the elections. Be sure to read the candidates' election pledges before making your vote. You will vote for one candidate only.

AMELIA COLLINS

My pledge is to introduce politics to young people making them better equipped when they are old enough to vote.



EMILY HILL

Your services.
Your opportunities.

Your voice.
Your future.



PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

- All Saints Academy
- Conyers
- Thornaby Academy
- Egglecliffe
- Grangefield Academy
- Horizons Academy
- Ian Ramsey Academy
- Northfield Academy (Yrs 7&8)
- North Shore Academy
- Our Lady & St Bede Academy
- St Michael's Academy
- Stockton Riverside College
- Stockton Sixth Form College
- Teesside High

USEFUL LINKS

www.stockton.gov.uk/youthelections
www.youthparliament.org.uk

TANISHA ROY

I pledge to increase awareness of mental health and substance abuse to assist those within our community to thrive and prosper.



KAITLYN SEDGEWICK

I want the young people of Stockton to succeed and I believe supporting mental health is key.



Due to unforeseen circumstances, Sam Grogan had to withdraw his candidacy from the running