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Dear Teacher / Youth Worker

Bristol Youth Vote 2024 – Polling Station Registration

We are writing to ask your School, College or Youth Project to sign up as a polling station for the Bristol Youth Vote Elections 2024. Nominations open from the 2nd to the 31st October. The voting period runs from 15th to 26th January 2024 inclusive.

Young people in Bristol will elect representatives (aged 11-18 on the day of the election) to the Bristol City Youth Council (BCYC) and UK Youth Parliament (UKYP). We have enclosed the 'Election Guidelines' which explains how to run the election, and a 'Polling station Participation Form' (next page) for you to return to us by Friday 27th October 2023 to register.

As a reminder you will have received another email to ask for your help in promoting the Bristol Youth Vote nominations to young people aged 11 to 18. You will have received poster and application forms in the email however you can also download all the information documents at www.bristol.gov.uk/youthelections.

The Participation team would like to offer support to promote nominations either through an assembly, workshop or visit with information stand. Please contact us to make a request. The deadline for young people to nominate themselves as a candidate is Tuesday 31st October 2023.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or requests.

Yours sincerely

Claire and Nick

Participation Team

**Bristol Youth Vote 2024
Polling Station participation form**

Please return this form to the address below by Friday **27th October 2023**
or if it is more convenient please email your responses to
ywparticipation@bristol.gov.uk.

Name of School/College/Youth Project		
Name of key contact person		
Job Title		
Telephone Number		
Email Address		
We would like our School / College / Youth Project to act as a polling station (Please tick as appropriate)	Yes	No
Number of students at your School/ Youth Group This will enable us to provide you with the right amount of ballot papers		
Additional notes / questions / support required		

Thank you!

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