

# KYCC Meeting Summary – April 2019

At the April KYCC meeting 55 members were present.

## Campaign updates – Kent BIG issues

### Anti-bullying

- Group decided to work on 3 videos and 8 blogs for social media for the campaign this year and continued the work on these scripts.
- A social media rep was elected – congratulations to Nathan
- Group discussed how they would define bullying

### Curriculum for life

- Group split into the 3 sub-groups of Content for schools' resources, survey group and outreach group.
- Outreach group started to create an email to schools to inform them of the group's resources created so far and brainstormed ideas for future ideas
- Survey group decided they wanted to get their survey put online to open it to a wider audience and also analysed the results of surveys collated to date.
- Content group worked on politics lesson plans / resources for schools

### Mental health

- Group identified a list of mental health conditions, started to collate a calendar of awareness days through the year and started work on social media posts for these awareness days and mental health awareness week.

### Developing resilience in young people

- Group worked on storyboarding the PowerPoint resource they are producing and also ranked the top tips for building resilience for mental health.

## Morning choice sessions

**Debating in the chamber** - Group debated the fun topic of the value of freddo frog chocolates and then came up with a list of further debate suggestions for future meetings.

**Exam stress session** – Group spent time discussing techniques to cope with exam stress and shared best practice with each other.

**Art & crafts** – Group painted and decorated glass jars as an art exercise

## Project time

**Period Poverty** – Group worked on writing a letter to MP's and companies to gain support for supplying sanitary products for young people that struggle to afford them and looked at the facts and statistics surrounding this issue.

**Equality** – Group discussed Pride event and possible KYCC member attendance.

- Group also worked on disability leaflets and ethics PowerPoint.

**Public Transport** – Group worked on poster designs for buses and created a hashtag for social media use #behaveonbuses

**UKYP** – Group elected a chair & vice chair for group congratulations to Poppy & Alice

- Group discussed forthcoming residential 12-14 April and further dates for UKYP events in 2019

## **KYCC specific time - UK Youth parliament elections**

Group discussed the progress of the 4 campaign groups from the morning session and what each group was working on.

## **Headstart Speakout specific time (HP)**

Group discussed the venue of future residential and decided on Bewl Water as a location. Group looked at the success and activities of Headstart in various areas across Kent and then worked on creating a Headstart wordle.

## **Evaluations (46 returned)**

<b>Ranking 1-4 (1 is best)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Kent big issues (campaign time)</b>	0	1	13	14	19
<b>Project work time</b> 1 x N/A	0	2	11	22	11
<b>Debate</b> 7 x N/A	1	6	10	13	10
<b>Overall day</b>	1	0	8	27	11