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## **HAVING YOUTH PARLIAMENT ELECTION MONDAY 22 JANUARY – MONDAY 12 FEBRUARY 2024**

**Nominate yourself to become a Youth Parliament candidate.**

**You must be aged between 11 and 17 and passionate about representing the view of young people in Havering. The role is for 2 years, so your commitment to the post is essential.**

**Please make sure you read the back page for important information and key dates for the election process.**

**Please email if you need more information:**

**[participation@haverling.gov.uk](mailto:participation@haverling.gov.uk)**

**You can also visit the UK Youth Parliament and British Youth Council site:**

**<https://www.byc.org.uk/uk/uk-youth-parliament>**



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Name

Date of Birth

Address

Postcode

School/College (if applicable)

Contact Tel No

Email

**Please outline why you would like to be a member of the youth parliament for Havering, what skills and attributes you would bring to the role and what you hope to achieve.**

**Closing date is Friday 20 October. See back page for key dates.  
Please scan and email to [participation@haverling.gov.uk](mailto:participation@haverling.gov.uk)  
and [kim.hills@haverling.gov.uk](mailto:kim.hills@haverling.gov.uk)**

**Your name**

**is nominating themselves for the Havering Youth Parliament Elections 2024.**

**We, the undersigned, being young people aged 11-18 years, who live, study or work in Havering, support the above named person for the election.**

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date of Birth</b>	<b>Postcode</b>
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**Parent/Carer consent form:**

**Your child has nominated themselves as a candidate in the Havering Youth Parliament Election 2024. If elected they will become the Havering Member of Youth Parliament.**

- I consent for my child to nominate themselves as a candidate for the Havering Youth Parliament Election 2024.**
- I consent for their full name to be used on the ballot papers and any campaign material produced by themselves or Havering Council during the Youth Election period.**
- If they are elected I consent for their photo, full name and school name to be used on posters that will be circulated within schools, youth projects and other agencies used by young people to enhance the contact and communication with young people and the MYPs.**

**Name**

**Date**

**I am parent/carers of**

**Signature**

**All nominees will be expected to attend a workshop to support writing a manifesto for the Youth Parliament Elections. During the workshop you will be required to attend a brief interview with a panel of Youth Council and Youth Parliament members. The panel will select 6 candidates for the Youth Parliament Elections based on the interview and manifesto.**

**The 6 candidates will be invited to attend a public speaking and campaigning workshop to help them develop their skills in the run up to the Youth Parliament Elections 2024.**

**Two members will be elected to be members of Youth Parliament.**

**Applications open:  
Monday 25 September**

**Applications close:  
Friday 20 October**

**Inform applicants:  
week of 30 October**

**Invitation to Manifesto and Interview workshop:  
Thursday 16 November**

**Submit Manifesto:  
Monday 20 November**

**Successful applicants informed:  
Monday 27 November**

**Public Speaking/Social Media Workshop:  
Thursday 7 December**

**Social Media and Video Workshop:  
Thursday 14 December**

**Campaigning and Elections open:  
Monday 22 January - Monday 12 February**

**Results Night:  
to be confirmed February 2024**

**Start of Term:  
Friday 1 March 2024 - February 2026**

**Email: [Participation@havering.gov.uk](mailto:Participation@havering.gov.uk)**

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