



**WREXHAM
PARTICIPATION
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The Wrexham young people's Participation Team is part of Wrexham Play and Youth Service and has responsibility for overseeing the Senedd yr Ifanc and providing participation opportunities for young people within Wrexham.

This information booklet will give an overview of the services that we can provide for young people and projects within Wrexham.

TRAINING

DECISION MAKING TRAINING

Agored Cymru - Level 1

- FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Decision making training focuses on

- the process of making decisions
- team working to make decisions
- understanding the effects of decision making

INTERVIEW TECHNIQUES TRAINING

Agored Cymru - Level 1

- FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Interview Techniques Training focuses on

- skills needed to sit on an interview panel
- understanding job descriptions and person specifications

CHILDREN RIGHTS

UNCRC AND PARTICIPATION TRAINING

- FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

This training focuses on:

- the UNCRC (United Nations Convention on the Rights of Child)
- understanding children rights
- young people participation and youth voice

SCHOOL COUNCIL TRAINING

- FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

This training focuses on:

- understanding the role of school council representative
- understanding the role of a school council
- understand the role of a school council in wider decision making

ASSOCIATED PUPIL GOVERNORS*

- GOVERNOR INDUCTION TRAINING:

This training focuses on:

- the different types of governors and the role of the Chair and Clerk
- key roles and responsibilities of governing bodies
- what makes an effective governing body and the governor's role in school improvement

* This training is provided by Wrexham County Borough Council

UNDERSTANDING THE LEVELS OF DEMOCRACY**

- FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

This training focuses on:

- understanding the role and power of a County Council, Welsh Assembly and UK Parliament
- understanding who represents them at each level.
- understanding what it means to vote and myth busting.

** This session is not concerned with any political landscape

PARTICIPATION AND UNGRC TRAINING

- FOR PROFESSIONALS

Training aims to:

- define participation
- outline Hart's Ladder of participation and encourage thinking about what Participation is
- provide information about participation opportunities here in Wrexham and how young people can get involved
- summarise the United Nations Convention of the Rights of the Child
- provide examples of participation activities that can be used with young people

GRANTS

The Participation Team facilitates youth grant schemes, for more information on the grants available contact the team on youngvoices@wrexham.gov.uk or 01978 317961

VOLUNTEERS INSPIRING WREXHAM

AWARD SCHEME

Wrexham Youth Service Volunteering Award Scheme has been developed by Wrexham Youth Service. The aim of the Award Scheme is to recognise young people's achievements in volunteering within Wrexham Youth Service.

CHILDREN'S COMMISSIONER

SCOUTS & GUIDES: RIGHTS CHALLENGE

The badge enables Scouts and Guides to learn more about Children's Rights and about the Children's Commissioner.

This badge has been developed to inform children and young people about the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC), and the role of the Children's Commissioner for Wales.

The badge has been designed so that young people can lead their own learning.

The Participation Team will deliver the programme.

INFORMATION SESSIONS

These sessions are fun informal sessions perfect for youth groups. Each session can be adapted for the size, ages and needs of an individual group.

Some examples of sessions include:

Children Rights – UNCRC

Youth Voice

Senedd yr Ifanc (Wrexham Youth Parliament)

Decision making

Understand politics

What is a youth forum?

Having a voice on local decision making

If you would like to get in touch with the Participation Team to discuss a session and what that session may include please contact: 01978 317961 or youngvoices@wrexham.gov.uk

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ENGAGEMENT

Is your organisation or project looking to engage young people?

How could you get young people involved in project planning, strategic planning or project delivery?

Would you like to ask young people their thoughts on your project or organisation but don't know where to begin?

Contact the Participation Team to see what support can be offered.

The Participation Team are able to provide training and support to staff and volunteers on how to begin engaging young people into service development and delivery..



SENEDD YR IFANC

The Senedd yr Ifanc is Wrexham Youth Parliament, working with young people aged 11-25. The Senedd yr Ifanc gives young people a voice on issues and decisions that affect young people in Wrexham. The Senedd yr Ifanc works on local and national issues. The Senedd yr Ifanc meet on a monthly basis. If you would like more information on the Senedd yr Ifanc please contact: youngvoices@wrexham.gov.uk

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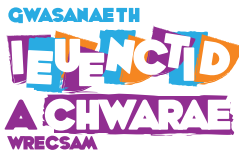
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