

# Calendar of Youth Voice Activities for Doncaster 2016 - 17

**September 2016 - Launch of Make Your Mark (MYM), the biggest national consultation for 11-18yrs in all Secondary Schools.**

**October – Make Your Mark voting ends 5th October  
LADDER Celebration and Information Event**

**November – Take Over Challenge** opportunities for children and young people to work with services during the month of November. Check out the Take Over Challenge information pack.

**December – Promotion of the Youth Council elections** in schools, any young person wanting to stand as a youth councillor can submit their manifesto statement to the Partnership & Engagement Team.

**January 2017 – Take Over Challenge Celebration Event – Celebrating Doncaster’s Offer to Children and Young People**

**February 2017 – Youth Council Elections Results**

**March – Primary Youth Voice Summit**

**April – Secondary Youth Voice Summit**

**May – SEND Youth Voice Summit**

**June – Recognition & Awards Event** for Children & young people across the borough

**July - Voice Partnership Summit ‘Beyond Collaboration’**  
Exploring the potential for collective impact in the Children’s Sector

**Youth  
In  
Action**

**Make  
Your Mark**

Top 3 issues identified by young people, 2015 saw 8702 young people take part in the ballot across the borough. Voting for 2016 ends October 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Takeover Challenge offer**



Services across Doncaster are providing work shadow opportunities for children and young people during the

**LADDER Event**  
**YES I CAN-** a positive celebration and information event run by the LADDER forum to bring young people and services for disabilities and additional needs

**Youth Voice Summit**  
Children and young people will be able to meet with key decision makers at their annual youth voice summit to discuss key issues of importance and services provided across the borough.



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