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Be

a civic leader! Be a voice for youth and help to transform your school, neighborhood, and community for the better.

High

school youth are invited to join the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Youth Council (CMYC), the official student advisory council for Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools, City of Charlotte, and Mecklenburg County. Sign up: bit.ly/joinCMYC

Through

CMYC, youth regularly collaborate to advise school and community leaders on issues and ideas impacting K-12 students.

CMYC members serve as a voice for young people, learn how to solve civic challenges, develop civic leadership, build social capital, and serve as informed and engaged student representatives for school and community task forces, committees, boards, and projects. After high school, participants remain connected and involved through the alumni network.

CMYC

is a partnership between students, schools, local governments, organizations, and Charlotte K-12 civic leadership education nonprofit GenerationNation.

In

the fall, students in grades 10-11 are eligible to run to be the next Student Advisor to the CMS school board, a project of the CMYC in partnership with CMS and GenerationNation. Students

are also encouraged to participate in GenerationNation's Youth Lead Charlotte-Mecklenburg, a course that helps emerging leaders to build district and community knowledge, explore civic issues, and expand problem-solving, collaboration, and civic leadership skills. This program can be taken prior to or concurrent with CMYC membership. <http://generationnation.org/programs/youth-lead/>

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