## INVITATION

# The 'AEHT Youth Parliament' from Tuesday 03.05.2016 to Saturday 07.05.2016 at Docklands Academy, London

#### Dear AEHT members,

The AEHT invites students from all member schools to participate in its Youth Parliament, which will be held in London this year. This event is similar to the *Model United Nations* (see <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Model\_United\_Nations">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Model\_United\_Nations</a>). The aim is for young people to learn about diplomacy and international relations, to develop the skills of effective international communication and promote greater global awareness of contemporary issues in travel and tourism. Participants will play roles as members of the simulated European parliament (MEPs) and take part in debates over 3-4 days. They will be required to carry out research on the topic of debate, and try to develop solutions to major issues identified. Additionally, participants will be able to take full advantage of being in London by participating in the social and cultural events organised by the Academy.

This year the main topic of debate will be "The impact of immigration on the travel and tourism industry in Europe".



The AEHT Youth Parliament will be organized as follows:

Date: Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016 to Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Place: Docklands Academy, London

Organisation: DAL AEHT Committee

Target group: Students

Transfer:

Requirements: 18 years or older

English level B1 minimum

Students from AEHT member schools

Costs: AEHT Youth Parliament is **free** with all the following costs fully covered by AEHT:

transfer from Heathrow, Stansted, Luton or Gatwick Airport, accommodation in student

rooms, all meals, a farewell dinner in one of our partner restaurants

Only flights to the Airport are at the participants' own expense (as well as expenses for

activities not included in the Academy schedule and social programme calendar). Airport transfers are free. Students will be met at airports by Docklands Academy,

London staff holding AEHT signs

Minimum attendance: 12 participants from 6 AEHT Member Countries

Maximum attendance: 20 participants Registration deadline: 31 March 2016 Very

1. Do not book any flight tickets before receiving written confirmation by the organizers!!

Important: 2. Participants are required to bring their school uniforms or a traditional costume for official items of the agenda.

## Programme:

Tuesday 03.05.2016

Arrival of participants and transfer Check in at the accommodation:



Via Hostels 73 Maygrove Road London NW6 2EG www.viahostels.com

Then we go on to our restaruant, Hazev



#### Wednesday 04.05.2016

- Opening of the AEHT Youth Parliament at Docklands Academy, London
- 1<sup>st</sup> session of Parliament
- Visit local landmarks



Docklands Academy, London



Greenwich maritime museum

- Thursday 05.05.2016
  2<sup>nd</sup> session of Parliament
  - Visit sites in London

- Friday 06.05. 2016
  3<sup>rd</sup> and final session of Parliament
  - Houses of Parliament



Farewell dinner at Ev Restaurant, Southwark, London

## Saturday 07.05.2016

Departure of participants

The attached application form should be completed, signed and sent to:

**Docklands Academy, London** 

11 Selsdon Way City harbour London E14 9GL

E-mail <a href="mailto:enquiries@docklandsacademy.co.uk">enquiries@docklandsacademy.co.uk</a>

Web: docklandsacademy.co.uk

Deadline to submit your application: 31 March 2016

If you have any questions, please contact Aysegul Yesildaglar (aysegul.y@docklandsacademy.co.uk).

We look forward to seeing you in London.

#### THIS EVENT IS SUBSIDIZED BY THE AEHT

Registration deadline: 31 March 2016