

Training to Reinvigorate Your School Council

Aims

- Enthuse participants about the possibilities for student voice in their school.
- For the participants to see themselves as a group that can work together effectively.
- To have a clear set of project outlines for students to take forward.

Programme

9.00	Introduction	What the day's going to be about, how it's going to work, what people will get out of it.
9.05	Ice-breakers	Getting to feel comfortable with one another by having a laugh together.
9.35	Where are we now?	Reflect on student voice in the school, and what things pupils want to change.
10.40	Break	
11.00	SMART projects	Choosing projects Creating a pitch and a project plan
12.00	Making it happen	Meetings processes Meetings skills Action teams
13.00	Lunch	Canvassing opinion from your peers
14.00	Shout about it	Communicating your success Getting others involved
15.00	Wrapping it up	Conclusions for the day Ensuring everyone knows their personal action plan
15.15	Finish	

Timings will be adjusted to match your school day.

A framework within which projects fall can be agreed (e.g. to link up with the School Development Plan headings).