



Teachers' Programme

Venue: European Economic and Social Committee
Jacques Delors (JDE) building (rue Belliard 99, 1040 Brussels)

Thursday 13 March

As from 13:30	Registration	JDE building ground floor Welcome desk
14.30 - 15.15	Knowing me, knowing you! (teachers' edition) Getting to know each other <i>moderated by facilitators</i>	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 51
15.15 – 15.45	Welcome and short exchange with EESC representatives	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 51
15.45 – 16.15	Coffee break	JDE building 6 th floor / Atrium 6
16.15 – 16.25	Practical questions, practical answers, Your Europe by Adriaan Vermijs, DG Grow , European Commission	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 51
16.25 - 17.30	Presentation of teaching resources on the EU by the European Commission: The EU Learning Corner by Anne-Sophie Fabry, DG Communication Statistics for teachers and students/Eurostat, by Nina Jere, Eurostat	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 51
17.30 – 17.45	Welcome address by the EESC representatives - EESC Vice-President for Communication, Laurențiu Plosceanu - EESC Secretary-General, Isabelle Le Galo Flores - Vice-President of the EESC Youth Group, Nicoletta Merlo	JDE building 5 th floor / Atrium 5
17.45 - 18.00	Group photo	JDE building 5 th floor / Atrium 5
18.00 – 19.00	Networking	JDE building 6 th floor / Atrium 6
19.00 – 21.00	Dinner	JDE building 6 th floor / Atrium 6

Friday 14 March

8.30 – 9.00	Arrival of participants at the EESC premises	JDE building
9.30 – 10.30	Opening session (interpretation EN/FR – web streaming) Chaired by EESC Member, Cillian Lohan Keynote speakers - Christiana Xenofontos , Youth Expert - Bruno António , Youth Expert	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 52
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break	JDE building 5 th floor / Foyer 5
11.00 – 12.00	Have Your Say: How to be an active participant in shaping European policies • Intro – a few words on <i>Better Regulation as a policy umbrella to HYS</i> (by Barbara Walentynowicz) • European Citizens' Initiative - How to propose or support ideas for new EU rules and <i>EU Democracy in Action</i> toolkit for schools (by Barbara Walentynowicz) • Public Consultation & Feedback - Have a say on upcoming EU policies and on simplifying existing laws (by Corina Pirleci) • Citizens' Engagement Platform - Join the debate and engage with citizens on issues that affect us all (by Izabela Drogoś)	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 53
12.00 – 12.15	Transfer from EESC premises to the HEH/EP on foot	HEH (EP)
12.15 - 13.15	Visit to the House of European History (European Parliament) A guided tour of the House of European History and presentation of the learning offer available to teachers. <i>Hosted and curated by Laurence Bragard, Project manager, Formal Learning.</i>	House of European History (HEH)
13.15 -13.30	Transfer from HEH/EP to the EESC premises on foot	JDE building, 6 th floor
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch break	JDE building 6 th floor / Atrium 6
14.30 – 15.10	European Parliament – Directorate for Liaison Offices • Presentation of European Parliament's Youth Outreach by Sofia Afanasjeva. • Presentation of the Ambassador School programme (EPAS), the European Parliament Youth offer - Session on bringing the EU into classrooms by Federico Rossetto.	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 53
15.10 – 15.30	Their Voices, Our Europe - Involving children in decision-making - (Rights of the child team), by Marta Kuljon and Jane Banham, European Commission, DG JUST	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 53

15.40 – 16.40	Presentation of Learning session for Educators and Youth engagement initiatives - Council of the European Union - DG Communication and Information - Outreach and Engagement Unit , by Silvia Colagiorgio and Gerard Bros Perez	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 53
16.40 – 17.00	Coffee break	JDE building 5 th floor / Foyer 5
17.00– 18.30	Closing Youth Plenary (interpretation EN/FR – web streaming) Chaired by EESC President Oliver Röpke Keynote speaker: Biliana Sirakova , EU Youth Coordinator at the European Commission · Presentation of the recommendations by the YEYS spokespersons · Wrap up of the Youth Workshops	JDE building 5 th floor / Room 52
18.30 - 20.30	Dinner	JDE building 6 th floor / Atrium 6