STRUCTURED DEBATE "YOUTH AND POLITICS"

REGULATION

1. Each school proposes several topics for debate and the topics to be discussed are chosen.

 2. Students are divided into multinational teams of 3 elements.

3. Randomly, each team is assigned a topic and a political position to be defended by the group.

4. Each team has 5 minutes to present 3 arguments in favor of its political position.

5. In each topic, the teams can discuss directly (3 minutes max.)

6. At the end of the presentation of the arguments, the public will vote by electronic vote.

6. The conclusions of the debate will be recorded in writing and will form part of the Recommendation.

Debate bureau: Carolina Gonçalves (president), Mariana Costa and Filipa Araújo (secretaires)

TÓPICS

1\*Should the European Union react to and get involved in the situation between Ukraine and Russia?

**Team 1- 3 ARGUMENTS FOR YES!**

IRAIA SOLAS PÉREZ

Simão Costa

Álvaro Castro

**Team 2- 3 ARGUMENTS FOR NO!**

JANIRE LEZAMETA POZO

Sara Alves

Eduardo Domingos

2\*Should citizens be given the right to vote starting from age 16 rather than 18?

**Team 3-3 ARGUMENTS FOR YES!**

ANE LARRAÑAGA CERECEDA

Mariana Pereira

Inês Costa

**Team 4-3 ARGUMENTS FOR NO!**

IRATI VELA BARRAGÁN

Urtė Pauliukėnaitė

Ana Beatriz Teixeira

3\*Should the European Union react to Poland and Hungary's human rights violations? (Regarding LGBTQ+, abortion)

**Team 5-3 ARGUMENTS FOR YES!**

LEIRE CRESPO BARRENA

Gerda Andriulytė

Rita Silva

**Team 6-3 ARGUMENTS FOR NO!**

AITOR MUÑOZ VEJA

Nerija Ričkutė

Joana Costa

4\*Should civic education programs be implemented in schools?

**Team 7-3 ARGUMENTS FOR YES!**

ALAN RODERO PARDO

Viktorija Jonuškaitė

Letícia ..

**Team 8-3 ARGUMENTS FOR NO!**

EHARI RODRÍGUEZ CEHARENCE

Aida Ridikaitė

Eduardo Sousa

5\*Is there currently the death of politics among young people?

**Equipa 9-3 ARGUMENTS FOR YES!**

Emilija Najulytė

Clara Martins

Sara Pereira

**Equipa 10-3 ARGUMENTS FOR NO!**

Smiltė Gesaitytė

Maria João Barbosa

Rafaela

- Debate Club:

Preparation and voting of a final recommendation project, that aggregates the most relevant information and conclusions of the project and the structured debate "youth and politics" as well as presenting concrete ideas to foster the political participation of young people and citizens in general, at school, in the local environment, in the country, in Europe, in the world, to send to policy makers in each country at the various levels presented.