SYRACUSE YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

WHAT IS SYRACUSE YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL?

The Syracuse Common Council has created a Youth Advisory Council (YAC) to increase civic education and engage Syracuse young people in local and state government. In collaboration with the Syracuse City School District, the Council has created a four-day hands-on experience where students will learn about local and state government and engage with community and elected leaders. As a final task, students will identify issues in the City of Syracuse and develop a plan to host a city forum of elected officials. Students demonstrate their understanding of the issues through participation in the city forum with city and community leaders.



MAY 20-23 2024



Syracuse Youth Advisory Council 2024 Agenda at a Glance

	Monday 5/20	Tuesday 5/21	Wednesday 5/22	Thursday 5/23
Location	City Hall	City Hall	City Hall	Community Foundation
10: 00 AM	What is local city	What are the issues facing	Syracuse Youth	Syracuse Youth Advisory
	government and why	our city? Students explore	Advisory Council	Council Forum
	should you care?	the issues facing our city	Forum Planning Day	
11: 00 AM	Lunch & Meet the	with the Community		
	Common Council and	Foundation and other		
	Mayor	relevant partners.		
12: 00 PM	Observe a Study	Lunch & Chat with	Lunch	Lunch and Civics
	Session with the	Community Partners		Celebration
	Common Council			



