**2023 Membership Application**

Please attach this application\* with your signed Parent/Caregiver and Teacher/Principal Permission form (over page) and return to Youth Environment Council South Australia by **9am on Thursday 2nd March 2023** by email or post:

Email: [info@yecsa.net.au](mailto:info@yecsa.net.au)

Youth Environment Council SA

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Flinders Park SA 5025

Alternatively, an online application can be completed at: <https://greenadelaide.wufoo.com/forms/qo7s5xr03cdncp/>

\*Remember that you don’t have to submit your application in written format; it can be verbal (e.g. a video or audio file), but it must address all the questions in this application. Maximum of 5MB attachments for email (video and audio), if larger please burn to disc and post. Remember that when posting your application, delivery may take up to 7 days. If you do post your application, please email us to let us know you have done so.

Please visit [www.yecsa.net.au](http://www.yecsa.net.au) for more information about the YEC and to view activities from previous years. If you have any questions about your application, please contact the YEC team on 8234 7255 or via info@yecsa.net.au from 9 Jan 2023 onwards.

Contact Information: Please complete all fields below

NAME:

SCHOOL:       SCHOOL SUBURB:        
AGE:       YR LEVEL:       GENDER:        
Do you identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander?

HOME POSTAL ADDRESS:        
SUBURB:       POST CODE:        
1st PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME AND PHONE(S):              
2nd PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME AND PHONE(S):      

STUDENT E-MAIL(S):        
PARENT/HOME E-MAIL(S):

CONTACT TEACHER’S NAME:        
CONTACT TEACHER’S EMAIL:      

1. Did you apply for the YEC last year?
2. Were you a YEC member last year?
3. Why do you want to apply for the YEC?

1. What do you think are the environmental issues or concerns in your school or local community and why?

1. If you could change one thing about any of these issues in your school and/or community, what would you change and how?

1. How could YEC staff and your school support you to make these changes?

1. Is there anything you would like to tell us about previous involvement in environmental projects or activities in your school/community? How did you involve others?

1. If there was the opportunity to be on a representative group to advise the government on various environmental issues, would you like to be involved? (Y/N)

**Parent/Guardian and Teacher/Principal Permission**

**Parent/Guardian Permission:**

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have read and understood the [Information for Families](https://www.yecsa.net.au/information-for-families.html). I support my child,

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , applying for YEC membership. I understand this does not necessarily mean they will be selected. I understand that membership will involve my child attending all forums and overnight camps and that it will be my responsibility for organising transport to these events. I am happy to support my child should they be successful.

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**School Endorsement:**

I have read and understood the [Information for teachers and school support staff](https://www.yecsa.net.au/information-for-teachers.html). I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

support this student \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in applying for YEC membership. I understand this does not necessarily mean they will be selected. I acknowledge this student has parent/guardian permission. Should this student be selected, I understand that this will involve them participating in events during school hours. I am also happy to be a support person for this student and to be contacted by YEC staff in relation to this student.

Teacher/school representative signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ contact phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Student Declaration:**

I the student:

* have read and understand the expectations of the [Role of YEC Representatives](https://www.yecsa.net.au/how-can-i-join.html)
* have completed all my contact information (above)
* have sought permission from my parent(s)/ guardians(s)
* have sought school endorsement
* can commit to attending all compulsory [YEC 2023 events](https://www.yecsa.net.au/2023-program.html)

Please accept this as my application in nominating to be part of the 2023 Youth Environment Council SA.

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_\_\_