

## MMUN CONNECTS YEAR-ROUND! AT NO ADDITIONAL COST!



MMUN has expanded its program to grow international connections throughout the school year through dedicated working sessions and group activities for student participants. In addition, we are providing additional scaffolding to support teachers throughout the entire process of preparing students from the point of country selection to the actual committee sessions and beyond... all in one complete program which is included with conference registrations. Now delegates, teachers, and parents can come together to learn, share, and exchange ideas at no additional extra cost! Our goal is to ensure that our participants stay connected as a global community, whether or not we are able to meet in person.

# The MMUN Conference Package now includes optional support and activities to accompany the preparation process and the sense of belonging to a larger community:

## FOR TEACHERS AND PARENTS

live interactive discussions about preparations and procedures with teacher exchanges on best practices for MMUN in the classroom

## FOR STUDENTS

Working sessions where students apply committee protocol to pressing societal questions with their peers, engaging them to think creatively about global issues that specifically affect young people. Community meet-ups with informal exchanges and social activities to strengthen the sense of belonging to a larger community beyond their classroom

### FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS

A library of informative webinars and documents

### FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

new resources to support our international community members who have the challenging task of preparing for MMUN when English is a foreign language.

## All of these events are available to registered teachers, parents, and delegates free of charge.

You will find all of the links to register for the free online Working Sessions and Meet-ups included in the MMUN Connects Year-round program on the MMUN Eventbrite Organizer page.

If you are a Chinese Delegations and you would like to join us for the **Meet-ups and Working Sessions** please contact us at *mmunconnects@montessori-mun.org* 

## 2020-2021 MMUN Teacher/ Parents Meet-ups

Open to all registered teachers and parents, these meet-ups will include short presentations on specific topics helpful for preparing students for the MMUN experience, as well as opportunities for Q&A and discussions with each other.

#### **SCHEDULE**

Saturday December 5<sup>TH</sup> I<sup>ST</sup> Meet-up for Certified/Registered Teachers & Parents – All Conferences RESEARCH/POSITION PAPERS II am ET

Saturday January 9<sup>TH</sup> 2<sup>ND</sup> Meet-up for Certified/Registered Teachers & Parents – All Conferences **NEW COMMITTEE PROCEDURES** II am ET

## MMUN Delegate Community Meet-ups

Open to all registered MMUN student participants, these meet-ups offer a chance for students to get to know each other in an informal way during the months preceding the culminating conference events. During each meet-up, delegates will participate in games, activities, and informal discussions geared toward connecting them with peers outside of their own communities.

SCHEDULE Sunday December 6<sup>TH</sup> STUDENT MEET-UP 12 pm ET UE, 1 pm ET MS

Sunday January 10<sup>TH</sup> STUDENT MEET-UP 8 am ET UE, 9 am ET MS

Sunday February 28<sup>TH</sup> STUDENT MEET-UP 12 pm ET UE, 1 pm ET MS

**Sunday April II<sup>TH</sup> STUDENT MEET-UP** 8 am ET UE, 9 am ET MS

# MMUN Student Working Sessions

Live 3.5 hour working sessions where students address current hot topics facing the world's youth today by applying committee procedures to facilitate consensus building. (No independent work is required in advance.) Each session will focus on creating a short resolution by consensus. For these sessions, delegates will represent their personal perspectives on the issue at hand, and work to create agreeable solutions for everyone. The students will choose an NGO of their choice, real or self-created, which they will represent during the session.

#### **SCHEDULE**

**Friday November 6<sup>TH</sup> COVID-19 AND MISINFORMATION** 11 am – 2:30 pm ET

**Friday December 11<sup>TH</sup> STUDENT MENTAL HEALTH** 11 am – 2:30 pm ET

Friday January 22<sup>ND</sup> HOW DO WE CREATE INCLUSIVE CLASSROOMS II am – 2:30 pm ET

Friday April 16<sup>TH</sup> FOOD INSECURITY DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

8:00 AM – 11:30 AM China Standard Time 8:00 AM – 11:30 AM Central Daylight Time US

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