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November 2, 2021 CONFERENCE AGENDA

8:30 – 9:30AM	Conference Registration & Welcome
9:30AM – 12:00PM	Committees of the General Assembly Committee 1 Main Room Committee 2 Room 1 Committee 3 Room 2 Committee 4 Room 3
12:00 – 1:00PM	Lunch
1:00 – 3:45PM	General Assembly
3:45- 4:00PM	Closing Ceremony

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**TENNESSEE YMCA MIDDLE SCHOOL
MODEL UNITED NATIONS**

Dyersburg

DELEGATE ROSTER

Last Name	First Name	School	Country/Position	Comm	Res #
Ables	Emma	Northview	Chile	1	GA/21-1-5
Arnold	Chevy	TCA	Djibouti	3	GA/21-3-3
Baker	Chloe	Dyersburg	Saudi Arabia	3	GA/21-3-2
Binkley	Reagan	Northview	Kazakhstan	3	GA/21-3-5
Boatright	Haleigh	Northview	Kazakhstan	3	GA/21-3-5
Bocanegra	Ivan	Dyersburg	Niger	3	GA/21-3-7
Bohannon	Peyton	Dyersburg	Mexico	2	GA/21-2-6
Bona	Owen	Dyersburg	Greece	4	GA/21-4-3
Borden	Tyler	Dyersburg	Tajikistan	2	GA/21-2-8
Bridges	Mattie	TCA	Djibouti	3	GA/21-3-3
Bruce	Chloe	Dyersburg	Philippines	1	GA/21-1-2
Butler	Chad	Dyersburg	South Africa	4	GA/21-4-4
Carter	Mary Denton	TCA	Israel	4	GA/21-4-2
Climer	Alyssa	Northview	Bangladesh	3	GA/21-3-8
Coltrane	Carter	TCA	Djibouti	3	GA/21-3-3
Cook	Henley	Dyersburg	China	2	GA/21-2-3
Creasy	Jason	Northview	Central African Republic	4	GA/21-4-8
Davis	Brayden	Dyersburg	Japan	1	GA/21-1-9
Duggan	Jackson	Dyersburg	Greece	4	GA/21-4-3
Dwors	Landon	Dyersburg	South Africa	4	GA/21-4-4
Elliot	Logan	TCA	Djibouti	3	GA/21-3-3
Erickson	Caroline	Dyersburg	China	2	GA/21-2-3
Fields	Shamiya	Northview	Pakistan	4	GA/21-4-5
Fite	Brooklyn	Dyersburg	Saudi Arabia	3	GA/21-3-2
Flagg	Lily	Northview	Central African Republic	4	GA/21-4-8
Flores	Noelle	TCA	Chad	2	GA/21-2-7
Ford	Allyson	Northview	Jamaica	2	GA/21-2-4
Forrest	Zayde	Dyersburg	Colombia	3	GA/21-3-6
Forsythe	Grady	Dyersburg	Japan	1	GA/21-1-9
Foster	Erin	Northview	Republic of Korea	1	GA/21-1-1
Frier	Brenee	Northview	Jamaica	2	GA/21-2-4
Frye	Maggie	Dyersburg	Ethiopia	3	GA/21-3-1
Garland	Caitlyn	Northview	Bangladesh	3	GA/21-3-8
Gauldin	Antonio	Dyersburg	Cuba	1	GA/21-1-7
Glass	Lucas	Dyersburg	Uzbekistan	2	GA/21-2-5
Goforth	Makayla	TCA	Israel	4	GA/21-4-2
Gourley	Kendrick	Dyersburg	Afghanistan	1	GA/21-1-3
Gullett	Shelby	Dyersburg	Ethiopia	3	GA/21-3-1
Harrell	Kathleen	Dyersburg	South Sudan	1	GA/21-1-6
Harvey	Sean	Dyersburg	Nigeria	4	GA/21-4-7
Hatch	Ella	Dyersburg	Haiti	2	GA/21-2-9
Haynie	Logan	Dyersburg	DPR of Korea	2	GA/21-2-1
Headtke	David	Northview	Chile	1	GA/21-1-5
Hill	Kennedy	Northview	Kazakhstan	3	GA/21-3-5
Hill	Liliandra	Dyersburg	Cuba	1	GA/21-1-7
Hinson	Avery	Dyersburg	India	3	GA/21-3-4
Horner	Brett	Dyersburg	Tajikistan	2	GA/21-2-8

Last Name	First Name	School	Country/Position	Comm	Res #
Howard	Jiselle	Dyersburg	Philippines	1	GA/21-1-2
Jones	Ron'niya	Northview	Republic of Korea	1	GA/21-1-1
Justice	Judi-Kaye	Dyersburg	Thailand	3	GA/21-3-9
Lallas	Riley	Northview	Pakistan	4	GA/21-4-5
Lemons	Elizabeth	Dyersburg	Ethiopia	3	GA/21-3-1
Littles	Kyleigh	Dyersburg	Colombia	3	GA/21-3-6
Lowery	Ann Thomas	Dyersburg	South Sudan	1	GA/21-1-6
Martinez	Sarah	Dyersburg	Mexico	2	GA/21-2-6
Meadows	Kate	Dyersburg	Costa Rica	4	GA/21-4-6
Morgan	Murphy Mae	Dyersburg	Haiti	2	GA/21-2-9
Myint	Elijah	Dyersburg	Russian Federation	2	GA/21-2-2
Nichols	Brookelyn	Northview	Bangladesh	3	GA/21-3-8
Nolen	Bailey	Dyersburg	Iran	4	GA/21-4-1
Olvera	Erick	Dyersburg	Nigeria	4	GA/21-4-7
Peters	Zoey	Northview	Jamaica	2	GA/21-2-4
Powell	Brayden	Dyersburg	Niger	3	GA/21-3-7
Privett	Zoe	Northview	Kazakhstan	3	GA/21-3-5
Quinn	Bella	TCA	Chad	2	GA/21-2-7
Ramirez	Montana	Northview	Republic of Korea	1	GA/21-1-1
Rea	Jackson	Dyersburg	Uzbekistan	2	GA/21-2-5
Revell	John Walker	Dyersburg	United Republic of Tanzania	1	GA/21-1-4
Robertson	Karley	Northview	Chile	1	GA/21-1-5
Rogers	Keegan	Dyersburg	Iran	4	GA/21-4-1
Rogers	Will	Dyersburg	Macedonia	4	GA/21-4-9
Romero	Jack	Dyersburg	DPR of Korea	2	GA/21-2-1
Roy	Sofia	Dyersburg	Guatemala	1	GA/21-1-8
Sanders	Carlee	Northview	Republic of Korea	1	GA/21-1-1
Sartin	Thomas	Dyersburg	Macedonia	4	GA/21-4-9
Seaton	Ty	Dyersburg	United Republic of Tanzania	1	GA/21-1-4
Seay	Brynlee	Dyersburg	Guatemala	1	GA/21-1-8
Serquina	Clara	Dyersburg	Philippines	1	GA/21-1-2
Smart	Ethan	Dyersburg	Japan	1	GA/21-1-9
Smith	Beaux	Dyersburg	DPR of Korea	2	GA/21-2-1
Stambaugh	Avery	TCA	Israel	4	GA/21-4-2
Stanley	Jake	Dyersburg	Afghanistan	1	GA/21-1-3
Thach	McKoyler	Dyersburg	India	3	GA/21-3-4
Thomas	Isaiah	Dyersburg	DPR of Korea	2	GA/21-2-1
Waldron	Kayleigh	TCA	Chad	2	GA/21-2-7
Walker	Brinkley	Dyersburg	Costa Rica	4	GA/21-4-6
Watson	Mykhia	Northview	Pakistan	4	GA/21-4-5
Wells	Maddie Kate	Dyersburg	Thailand	3	GA/21-3-9
Weng	Owen	Dyersburg	South Africa	4	GA/21-4-4
White	Launa	Dyersburg	Thailand	3	GA/21-3-9
Williams	Holden	Dyersburg	Iran	4	GA/21-4-1
Williams	Isaac	Dyersburg	Russian Federation	2	GA/21-2-2
Wright	Caragh	Northview	Central African Republic	4	GA/21-4-8
Zamzow	Meredith	Dyersburg	India	3	GA/21-3-4

UNITED NATIONS CURRENT MEMBER STATES

Afghanistan	Cuba	Japan
Albania	Cyprus	Jordan
Algeria	Czech Republic	Kazakhstan
Andorra	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	Kenya
Angola	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Kiribati
Antigua & Barbuda	Denmark	Kuwait
Argentina	Djibouti	Kyrgyzstan
Armenia	Dominica	Lao People's Dem. Rep.
Australia	Dominican Republic	Latvia
Austria	Ecuador	Lebanon
Azerbaijan	Egypt	Lesotho
Bahamas	El Salvador	Liberia
Bahrain	Equatorial Guinea	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Bangladesh	Eritrea	Liechtenstein
Barbados	Estonia	Lithuania
Belarus	Ethiopia	Luxembourg
Belgium	Fiji	Madagascar
Belize	Finland	Malawi
Benin	France	Malaysia
Bhutan	Gabon	Maldives
Bolivia	Gambia	Mali
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Georgia	Malta
Botswana	Germany	Marshall Islands
Brazil	Ghana	Mauritania
Brunei Darussalam	Greece	Mauritius
Bulgaria	Grenada	Mexico
Burkina Faso	Guatemala	Micronesia
Burundi	Guinea	Republic of Moldova
Cambodia	Guinea-Bissau	Monaco
Cameroon	Guyana	Mongolia
Canada	Haiti	Montenegro
Cape Verde	Honduras	Morocco
Central African Republic	Hungary	Mozambique
Chad	Iceland	Myanmar
Chile	India	Namibia
China	Indonesia	Nauru
Colombia	Iran	Nepal
Comoros	Iraq	Netherlands
Congo	Ireland	New Zealand
Costa Rica	Israel	Nicaragua
Cote d'Ivoire	Italy	Niger
Croatia	Jamaica	Nigeria

Norway	Senegal	Togo
Oman	Serbia	Tonga
Pakistan	Seychelles	Trinidad & Tobago
Palau	Sierra Leone	Tunisia
Panama	Singapore	Turkey
Papua New Guinea	Slovakia	Turkmenistan
Paraguay	Slovenia	Tuvalu
Peru	Solomon Islands	Uganda
Philippines	Somalia	Ukraine
Poland	South Africa	United Arab Emirates
Portugal	South Sudan	United Kingdom of Great Britain & Northern Ireland
Qatar	Spain	United Republic of Tanzania
Republic of Korea	Sri Lanka	United States of America
Romania	Sudan	Uruguay
Russian Federation	Suriname	Uzbekistan
Rwanda	Swaziland	Vanuatu
Saint Kitts & Nevis	Sweden	Venezuela
Saint Lucia	Switzerland	Viet Nam
Saint Vincent & the Grenadines**	Syrian Arab Republic	Yemen
Samoa	Tajikistan	Zambia
San Marino	Thailand	Zimbabwe
Sao Tome & Principe	The former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia	
Saudi Arabia	East Timor	

TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

I: General Rules

- A. **AGENDA** – The agenda of the General Assembly is drawn up by the Center for Civic Engagement (CCE) and shall be regarded as adopted at the beginning of the session. There shall be no revisions or additions to the agenda without approval of the CCE staff.
- B. **OFFICERS:** the Presidents of the General Assembly and the Vice-Presidents shall be the presiding officers of the General Assembly and its Plenary session. Other conference officers or delegates may be called on to preside over committee sessions only with direction from the CCE staff.
- C. **RESPONSIBILITIES OF OFFICERS:**
 - a. Declare the opening and closing of each plenary session.
 - b. Moderate the discussion in plenary session.
 - c. Uphold these rules of procedure.
 - d. Uphold the expectations set forth in the Officer Code of Conduct.
- D. **LANGUAGES** – All sessions shall be conducted in English. Any participant wishing to address the session in another language may do so, provided he/she brings his/her own interpreter.
- E. **QUORUM:** Two-thirds (67%) of the assigned delegates shall constitute a quorum of the General Assemblies, Plenary session, and committees. A quorum must be present for any session to conduct the business on its agenda.
- F. **DECORUM:** All delegates are expected to maintain decorum, i.e. appropriate behavior, during all sessions. Delegates behaving inappropriately are subject to disciplinary action by presiding officers and the CCE staff. The Delegate Code of Conduct defines further expectations for appropriate delegate behavior.

II. General Assembly (GA) sessions:

- A. **Docket:** the docket for GA sessions shall be determined by the CCE staff based on rankings of resolutions by committees. The docket for each GA session is only amended in extraordinary circumstances with the permission of the CCE staff and presiding officers (the chairs). Delegates who wish to amend the docket (i.e. reschedule the debate on a resolution) should bring their concerns to the presiding officers before moving to amend the docket.

B. Resolutions:

- a. The content of resolutions should conform to the expectations laid out by the CCE staff in the Delegate Manual.
- b. Resolutions may **only** be amended during committee sessions.

C. Presentations:

- a. The patrons of each resolution are responsible for presenting their resolution to the GA according to the rules of procedure and decorum and the format for debate. Only GA delegates can present resolutions to the GA.
- b. Patrons should not use props of any kind during their presentations or the debate on their resolutions.
- c. Patrons may invoke **Patron's Rights** only when a speaker in debate has offered factually incorrect information about the text of their resolution. Patron's Rights allows the patrons ten seconds of uninterrupted speaking time to correct the factual error. Patrons must wait until the speaker has concluded their remarks before exercising these rights.

D. Debate:

- a. GA Delegates may speak only when recognized by the chair. Delegates' remarks must be relevant to the items on the agenda at any given time.
- b. Delegates may only speak in the GA to which they are assigned.
- c. Once recognized, delegates must identify themselves to the session with their name and the country they represent.
- d. Delegates recognized as speakers in debate have the right to do **two** of the following things with their speaker's time. Speakers must inform the chair of their intentions before continuing to:
 - i. Address the floor/session
 - ii. Ask the patrons of the resolution a series of questions
 - iii. Yield the remainder of their time to another delegate in the session
 - iv. Make a motion. Motions should be made after one of the previous actions.
- e. Speaker's time: unless otherwise indicated by the chair, each speaker shall have one minute to address the floor. Speakers who have been yielded time by another delegate may not yield any further time. Unused speakers' time shall be yielded to the chair.

E. Motions & Incidental Motions: delegates must be recognized by the chair to make motions or incidental motions.

F. Intent Speeches: delegates and members of the Secretariat may submit intent speeches during debate on resolutions during GA and the Plenary sessions.

- a. Intent speeches are limited to 2 minutes and are delivered between the end of technical questions on the resolution and the beginning of debate on the resolution.
- b. Intent speeches may only address the floor/session; intent speakers must identify themselves and request permission to address the floor.
- c. Intent speakers may not yield their time to another delegate, ask the patrons questions, or make a motion.
- d. Intent speeches do not count as rounds of debate.
- e. Delegates may only deliver one intent speech during the conference.

G. Voting:

- a. When voting on GA resolutions, each delegation has one vote, including the delegation presenting the resolution. GA resolutions pass with a simple majority, i.e. more 'ayes' than 'nays.'
- b. Delegations may abstain on resolutions only when the abstention follows current policy positions of their government.
- c. When voting on all other motions, each delegate has one vote. The majority required is found on the Table of Motions in the resolution book and the Delegate Manual.
- d. During voting procedure, delegates may not leave or enter the GA session until the results of the voting have been determined by the chair.

H. Amendments:

- a. GA Delegates may propose, debate, and vote on amendments only in GA committees. Amendments require a simple majority to pass.
- b. Patrons of resolutions may submit simple amendments to their own resolution before beginning their presentation. Such amendments should not change the nature or intent of the resolution, but make simple corrections. Once they have begun their presentation, patrons may not submit amendments to their own resolution.
- c. Any amendments must be written on the appropriate form, be legible, and be germane.
- d. Amendments must be recognized by the chair before the final round of debate, i.e. before the chair has recognized the last "pro" speaker for the debate.
- e. The patrons of the resolution must declare any amendment "friendly" (if they agree with the proposed amendment) or "unfriendly" (if they disagree).
- f. Friendly amendments may be passed without debate through voice acclamation.
- g. Unfriendly amendments are debated in the appropriate format. The amendment's sponsor acts as the patron of the amendment, and the patrons of the resolution have the right to be the first con speaker in the debate.

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TABLE OF MOTIONS

Motion	When Another has the Floor	Second	Debatable	Amendable	Vote	Reconsider
Main Motion (Bill or resolution)	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Majority	Only with permission from CCE staff
Adjourn	No	Yes	No	No	Majority	No
Amend	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Majority	Yes
Appeal	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	2/3	n/a
Postpone to a certain time	No	Yes	Yes	No	Majority	n/a
Previous Question (end debate)	No	Yes	No	No	2/3	No
Recess	No	Yes	No	Yes	Majority	No
Reconsider	No	Yes	Yes	No	2/3	No
Point of Personal Privilege	Yes	No	No	No	No	No
Suspend the Rules	No	Yes	No	Yes	2/3	No
Withdraw Motions	No	No	No	No	Majority	n/a
Point of Information	Yes	No	No	No	No	No
Point of Order/ Parliamentary Inquiry	Yes	No	No	No	No	No

BRIEF DEFINITIONS:

Adjourn: this action ends the session and is only in order with the permission of the CCE staff.

Appeal: a legislative body may appeal a decision of its presiding officer if 2/3 of its members think that the chair has made an incorrect ruling on a procedural matter.

Reconsider: motions to reconsider any motion are only in order with the permission of the CCE staff.

Point of Personal Privilege: this point should be used to address delegates’ comfort or ability to participate in the conference session, i.e. climate control issues, PA volume, etc.

Suspension of the Rules: a successful motion to suspend the rules affects only the main motion at hand. Suspended rules are ‘back’ once voting/ranking procedures are complete.

Point of Information: these points are questions directed to the chair for factual information relevant to the debate at hand. The chair may redirect the question to a delegate who is likely to have an answer.

Point of Order: these points are questions directed to the chair asking for clarification of rules of procedure.

SCRIPT FOR CCE MUN DEBATE

BY TUCKER COWDEN, MHMS

*Outside of this guide, consult additional TN YMCA CCE supplements and Robert's Rules of Order

*Script is written with the assumption of more than one patron for the resolution/bill. If there is only one presenting patron, change statements to the singular (i.e. "Does the Patron" instead of "Do the Patrons").

OVERVIEW

Model UN (MUN) debate should be seen in the context of the actual United Nations General Assembly, where delegates speak directly on behalf of the governments of the nations they represent and the items debated are called **resolutions**. Because of this setting, MUN delegates should know their nation's stance on important world issues and approach them as that country's government would (even if the delegates do not agree with that approach). This applies especially to the resolution that you are presenting. It should address not only an issue that the delegates think is important, but one that the country's government thinks is important and would actually present to the UN. Also, although the event is called "Model UN," speakers referring to the body should not say that "the Model UN" should do such-and-such. You are to be completely in character, acting as if Model UN were the actual United Nations (so refer to the conference as "the UN" or "the United Nations").

ASKING TECHNICAL QUESTIONS

(after being recognized by the chair)

Speaker: [States Name, States Country, States **One** Question (must be one that merits a response of yes, no, a number, a definition, or a short, expository rather than persuasive answer) (the question is directed to the presenting delegates)]

CON/PRO DEBATE

(after being recognized)

*Delegates may take one or two of the three actions listed below (ask questions, speak to the floor, yield time to another delegate), but may not only yield time to another delegate (you can only ask questions or only speak, but cannot only yield time).

Speaker: (States Name, States Country) and...

- To Ask A Series of Questions

Speaker: Do the Patrons yield to a possible series of questions? (**Not:** “a series of possible questions,” or “a question.”)

Chair: They do so yield

Speaker: (To Patrons) (Asks Questions and receives answers for up to two minutes, depending on the committee/GA/plenary’s time structure).

*It is important to note that questions asked as a Con speech should seek to criticize, or at least show skepticism for, the given resolution. Those asked as a Pro speech should do the opposite, emphasizing the positive aspects of the resolution.

- To Address the Assembly

Speaker: May I address the floor?

Chair: That is your right.

Speaker: (Speaks to fellow delegates, not the patrons, for the allotted amount of time either in favor of (pro speech) or against (con speech) the resolution).

*You should never use the words “Con” or “Pro” in your speech unless referring to “a previous con speaker,” etc. Con and Pro are not nouns or verbs that can be used to show your support or dislike of a resolution (so **do not** say “I con this resolution”).

- To Yield Remaining time after one of the above to a fellow delegate:

Speaker: May I yield the remainder of my time to a fellow delegate?

Chair: That is your right. Please specify a delegate.

Speaker: [Names the delegate to be yielded to (refer to him/her by country)] (Takes first action)

*Delegates being yielded to should have the same opinion (pro or con) on the resolution as the speakers that yield to them.

MOTIONS

(must be made before the last con speech)

Speaker: (Shouts) Motion!

Chair: Rise and state your motion.

Speaker: (States Name, States Country, States Motion—see table of motions in delegate manual)

Chair: [Takes it from there (decides if the motion is in order or not, asks for a second to the motion, and conducts a vote, usually by voice acclamation)]

FORMAT FOR DEBATE

I. Committee

- Two minutes - Introduction**
- Two minutes - Technical Questions**
- Five minutes - Con/pro/con/pro/con debate**
- One minute - Summation**

Amendments

- One minute - Introduction**
- Three minutes - Con/pro/con debate**
- One minute - Summation**

II. General Assembly/Plenary

- Two minutes - Introduction**
- Two minutes - Technical Questions**
- Four minutes - Con & Pro Intent Speeches**
- Five minutes - Con/pro/con/pro/con debate**
- One minute - Summation**

SAMPLE COMMITTEE RANKING FORM

Best 1...2...3...4...5 Worst

	Resolution #	Character	Innovation	Fiscal Feasibility	Content & Research	Significant Impact	Total
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COMMITTEE 1



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Republic of Korea

Delegates: Carlee Sanders, Ron'niya Jones, Montana Ramirez-Nieto, Erin Foster

School: Northview Middle School

A RESOLUTION TO IMPROVE EDUCATION IN SOUTH KOREA

1 To the General Assembly:
2

3 Mindful of the number of kids not being able to go to school at a younger age than 6,
4

5 Acknowledging that South Korea should build more schools that are affordable and that
6 that allows children younger than 6 go to school so that they can get their education
7 early,
8

9 Fully alarmed that most parents do not get to go to work because their children are not
10 of age to go to school,
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12 Aware that most adults can't acquire money as easily having to take care of their
13 children for six years,
14

15 Keeping in mind that some families struggle because of this issue, since they are not
16 able to send their kids to school under the age of six,
17

18 Concerned that 22.4% of the country have the struggles of this and the problems of
19 childbirth, and marriage,
20

21 We, the delegation of South Korea, do hereby:
22

23 Call upon the United Nations (UN) to address the solution of our problem by sending
24 money to South Korea so that they are able to build schools that are more affordable
25 for everyone that can not afford it for their children;
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27 Further recommends that the UN solve this issue by providing schools for children so
28 that they can get a early education and so that the parents can also go to work and get
29 jobs;
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31 Considers that they also help create extra room in schools to add preschools and
32 kindergarten classes in South Korea to help parents go to work.



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GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Philippines

Delegates: Chloe Bruce, Clara Serquina, Jiselle Howard

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Poverty in the Philippines

1 To the General Assembly;

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3 Deeply concerned that Filipino people are suffering from poverty and the residents of
 4 other countries may be subjected to poverty as well. We the delegates of the
 5 Philippines are deeply concerned of the unfortunate situations.

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7 Fully aware that 17.6% of the population in the Philippines, or about 18 million people,
 8 live in poverty in 2021. They struggle to pay for their basic needs and they rely on
 9 agriculture to get money. 64% of their households struggle with food insecurity.

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11 Noting with concern that racial discrimination is used against some groups of people so
 12 they have a harder time or can not even get jobs or education.

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14 Taking into consideration low moderate economic growth for the past 40 years is
 15 affecting people by making hunger a normal problem in the Philippines.

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17 Keeping in mind that when people do not have access to education they are less likely
 18 to get good jobs to make money and support their families.

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20 Taking note that the United Nations passed the resolution 75/231, the "Implementation
 21 of the Third United Nations Decade of Eradication of Poverty 2018-2027."

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23 Concerned that the Global Pandemic caused by COVID-19 has contributed to poverty
 24 and relief efforts around the world which increased the problem.

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26 We, the delegates of the Philippines, do hereby:

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28 Further recommend to make affording everyday needs more accessible and affordable
 29 by helping build homes, classrooms, libraries, other stores needed to help people, by
 30 providing a good education at a lower cost, and raising money for donations.

31

32 Urges to reduce the number of people in poverty by making jobs and education more
 33 accessible by creating a vocational volunteer system where volunteers teach Filipino
 34 people to do jobs in facilities that we build for them;

35

36 Seeks to stop racial discrimination and to allow every color of skin to work and get education
 37 in any shape or form and to make everyone equal to access all types of education and work;

38

39 Considers that wealth needs to be distributed evenly amongst all to make food and
 40 everyday items more affordable.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Afghanistan
Delegates: Kendrick Gourley, Jake Stanley
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Stop Terrorism in Afghanistan

1 To the General Assembly
2
3 Alarmed that over 100 westerners have been kidnapped in Afghanistan since 2001, a
4 number of them have been British nationals.
5
6 Disturbed that in January 2020, an international commercial contractor was kidnapped
7 in Kabul and the victim remains missing. Additionally in August 2018, 3 international
8 workers were killed shortly after being kidnapped in Kabul.
9
10 Concerned that attacks include bombings (roadside and other), suicide bombs (either
11 on foot or by vehicle), indirect fire (rockets and mortars), direct fire (shootings and
12 rocket propelled grenades), kidnappings and violent crime.
13
14 Deeply concerned that hotels used by the former government of Afghanistan and
15 western nationals, ministries, military establishments, airports (including Kabul
16 International) and religious sites have been attacked and further attacks are possible.
17 13 people were killed by an attack from the Taliban in recent times.
18
19 We the delegates of Afghanistan do hereby
20
21 Call upon the United Nations to send peacekeeping troops to Afghanistan.
22
23 Urge the United Nations and its member states to put restrictions on the Taliban's
24 power in Afghanistan, and try to negotiate deals to decrease the power the Taliban has
25 in Afghanistan.



**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



**Sponsor: United Republic of Tanzania
Delegates: John Revell, Ty Seaton
School: Dyersburg Middle School**

A Resolution to End Deforestation in Tanzania

1 To the General Assembly
2
3 Confirms that the main causes of deforestation are agricultural expansion, wood
4 extraction and infrastructure expansion such as road building and urbanization, while
5 most often, several processes work simultaneously to cause deforestation.
6
7 Alarmed at deforestation rates in Tanzania, in eastern Usambara the Amani forest has
8 been reduced by about 50% while in western Usambara, an estimated average of about
9 7,000 hectares of forest has been cleared yearly between 1960 and 1980.
10
11 Disturbed that between 1990 and 2010 Tanzania lost over 19% of its forested land,
12 about 8 million hectares.
13
14 Reminded that the loss of trees and other plants can cause climate change,
15 desertification, soil erosion, fewer crops, flooding, increased greenhouse gases in the
16 atmosphere, and a lot more dire situations for people in Tanzania.
17
18 Aware that deforestation threatens air quality and other natural necessities.
19
20 Considering that over 137 species go extinct due to deforestation each day globally.
21
22 Acknowledging that 92% of total energy is derived directly from biomass, a large part
23 of which is wood.
24
25 Concerned that 2.47 million trees are cut down globally each day.
26
27 Deeply concerned that deforestation increases extinction of species, which can then
28 lead to the food chain being altered.
29
30 We the delegation of Tanzania do hereby
31
32 Call upon the United Nations to create a global initiative to reduce deforestation to
33 prevent further extinction and environmental damage.
34
35 Urge nations to create policies to reduce use of wood to at least 30 percent less than
36 what it previously was.
37
38 Encourages member states to require lumber mills to plant at least two trees for every
39 one that they cut down.

40

41 Pleads for the United Nations to create a campaign to encourage single-use packaging,
42 eating sustainable food, and choosing recycled or responsibly-produced wood products.

43

44 Recommends that there is at least a 131,900,000 Tanzanian shilling (60,000 US
45 dollars) fee for any case of unauthorized tree cutting.

46

47 Stresses the need for large farms to be encouraged and get incentives to produce paper
48 substitutes made from alternative materials that do not require virgin forest resources,
49 such as bagasse (sugar cane), walnut, orange, grape, olive, and more.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Chile

Delegates: Emma Ables, David Headtke, Karley Robertson

School: Northview Middle School

A Resolution to Solve Abuse By Security Forces in Chile

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Noting with concern 345 people have suffered eye trauma and 4 people have been
- 4 unlawfully killed by state agents,
- 5
- 6 Taking into consideration a report by the UN human rights office said official Chilean
- 7 figures of more than 4,900 people injured in demonstrations,
- 8
- 9 Fully alarmed that the United Nations has intervened with this problem before, nothing
- 10 has helped to stop security forces from abusing their authority,
- 11
- 12 Deeply concerned that the UN team noted the "unnecessary and disproportionate use of
- 13 less lethal weapons",
- 14
- 15 The Delegation of Chile hereby:
- 16
- 17 Calls upon the United Nations General Assembly to provide reinforcements to reduce
- 18 injuries and deaths by security forces in Chile;
- 19
- 20 Encourages the United Nations to send military officials to retrain and control security
- 21 forces in Chile;
- 22
- 23 Request funding in order to transfer militia into Chile to provide protection for innocent
- 24 citizens and to train existing security forces;
- 25
- 26 Proclaims that this issue is handled quickly and efficiently by the UN.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: South Sudan

Delegates: Kathleen Harrell, Ann Thomas Lowery

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce the Amount of Child Soldiers in South Sudan

1 To the General Assembly,

2

3 Noting that there are still 19,000 children in the armed forces in South Sudan.

4

5 Deeply concerned that sometimes, as part of their recruitment, child soldiers are forced
6 to kill family members or neighbors to desensitize them and make it so the children
7 cannot go back to their homes and communities.

8

9 Alarmed that many children in armed groups carry weapons, but some are also used as
10 cleaners, porters, cooks and watchmen.

11

12 Acknowledging that children who are used in these wars are likely to suffer from PTSD,
13 major depression, sadness, and inability to cope with daily life.

14

15 Emphasizing the fact that children are often used to man checkpoints when there is no
16 active combat taking place. The soldiers will stand several meters back so if anyone
17 starts to fire a weapon, the child soldiers will be the first ones to get hit.

18

19 We the delegates of South Sudan do hereby:

20

21 Call upon the United Nations to provide food, shelter, and education in order to keep
22 the children from joining the soldiers.

23

24 Urging the United Nations to set up houses and camps for the children, and provide
25 them with food and water.

26

27 Proclaims that this shall go into effect by October 5, 2022.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Cuba

Delegates: Antonio Gauldin, LiliAndra Hill

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Solve the Hunger Problem Globally

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Alarmed that 6,690,411 people have died this year from hunger globally as of Sept. 29,
 4 2021 and this number increases every few seconds, according to theworldcounts.com.

5

6 Noting that Cuba has a GHI (Global Hunger Index) score of 5, which is low, but we are
 7 also concerned about other countries that have a higher GHI.

8

9 Deeply concerned that 8.8 % of the world's population are undernourished, which
 10 means they don't eat enough calories to meet their basic energy requirements.

11

12 Disturbed that 22 % of children under the age of 5 are "stunted" which means that
 13 they are much shorter and smaller for their age than average due to malnutrition.

14

15 Aware that the UN in 2016 passed resolution 70/259 to help solve the hunger problem,
 16 in which it was proclaimed that 2016 - 2025 is the "United Nations Decade of Action on
 17 Nutrition."

18

19 We the delegates of Cuba do hereby:

20

21 Call upon the United Nations to help provide vegetables and fruits in order to give
 22 enough nutrition for children a day.

23

24 The UN can solve this issue by sending care packages full of nutritious meals every
 25 month. This could help the countries that have high hunger levels.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Guatemala
Delegates: Sofia Roy, Brynlee Seay
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Improve Water Purification

- 1 To the General Assembly
- 2
- 3 Noting with concern that the population of Guatemala is 16.6 million people and every
- 4 single person is affected by water pollution.
- 5
- 6 Concerned that 59.3% of the Guatemalan population lives below the poverty line and
- 7 with the water pollution, 39 out of 1000 people die because of hunger and waterborne
- 8 diseases.
- 9
- 10 Aware that those numbers are dangerously high and the fact that everyone is affected
- 11 by water pollution further intensifies the circumstances.
- 12
- 13 Deeply conscious that water is important for survival of every living thing, and that
- 14 Guatemala has lost 16 people per day due to dehydration.
- 15
- 16 Alarmed by the fact that it only takes 10 days to die of dehydration.
- 17
- 18 We the delegates of Guatemala do hereby
- 19
- 20 Propose that we provide Guatemala a way to make water filters using a plastic bottle,
- 21 crushed up charcoal, and sand.
- 22
- 23 Request that the United Nations take plastic bottles and put them through a cleansing
- 24 process and give them to poor countries throughout the world as well as give those
- 25 countries the knowledge to create these water filters.
- 26
- 27 Encourage that this will not only help stop dehydration, but will also help prevent
- 28 plastics in the ocean or polluting other bodies of water.
- 29
- 30 Recommend that they are given to a family every 6 months.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Japan

Delegates: Brayden Davis, Grady Forsythe, Ethan Smart

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Help Reduce Plastic Waste

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Concerned that many countries are experiencing tons of waste floating around the
 4 ocean.

5

6 Deploring that 2019 had approximately 8.5 million tons of waste in Japan.

7

8 Deeply concerned that in 2011, Japan had approximately 9.5 million tons of plastic
 9 waste.

10

11 Alarmed by the fact that in 2020, 453 major cases of ocean pollution were recorded.

12

13 Disturbed that in 2020, a total of 453 major cases of ocean pollution were recorded in
 14 Japan. In 2019 there was approximately 8.5 million tons of waste in the ocean. Around
 15 55% of the plastic waste in the country was generated in households.

16

17 We the delegates of Japan do hereby

18

19 Call upon the United Nations to make their best attempt to ban all forms of pollution in
 20 the ocean, including all plastic.

21

22 Urge the United Nations to firstly attempt to clean most, if not all, plastic in the ocean,
 23 and then make a law to ban all forms of marine pollution. Alarmed by the fact that this
 24 problem can kill lots of marine wildlife.

25

26 Take note of the fact that this pollution problem has decreased (9.5 million tons in
 27 2011), we would like to boost this reduction. Although the United Nations are
 28 attempting to reduce plastic waste, they haven't been as successful due to the citizens
 29 of Japan not cooperating.

30

31 Further recommends that there should be much more public recycling programs. At the
 32 end of day, recyclables should be brought to facilities to remake products. There should
 33 be a charge if recycling isn't used.

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COMMITTEE 2



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea
Delegates: Jack Romero, Logan Haynie, Beaux Smith, Isaiah Thomas
School: Dyersburg Middle School

**A Resolution to Decommission the Democratic People's Republic of
 North Korea's Prison Camps**

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Aware that in 2014 the UN Commission of Inquiry on Human Rights in North Korea
 4 found that the government committed gross, systematic, and widespread rights abuses,
 5 including extermination, murder, enslavement, torture, imprisonment, rape, forced
 6 abortions, and other sexual violence.

7

8 Alarmed that the Democratic People's Republic of North Korea is persecuting and
 9 unlawfully punishing its people, with the consent of Supreme Leader Kim Jong Un.

10

11 Astonished that the people of The Democratic People's Republic of Korea can be
 12 imprisoned and sent to concentration camps where they are forced to do hard labor
 13 without pay, food, or water for many days.

14

15 Concerned that The Democratic People's Republic of Korea, one of the world's most
 16 centrally directed and least open economies, faces chronic economic problems.
 17 Industrial capital stock is nearly beyond repair as a result of years of underinvestment,
 18 shortages of spare parts, and poor maintenance.

19

20 In the Democratic People's Republic of North Korea executions are mostly carried out
 21 by firing squad, hanging or decapitation in public. Kaechon Internment Camp is a labor
 22 camp in The People's Republic of North Korea for political prisoners and descendants of
 23 alleged criminals. The official name for the camp is Kwan-li-so (Penal-labor colony) No.
 24 14. The camp is commonly known as Camp 14.

25

26 We the delegation of The Democratic People's Republic of Korea do hereby

27

28 Call upon the United Nations to perform a newer investigation of North Korean prison
 29 camps and to take economic and possibly military action against The Democratic
 30 People's Republic of Korea should they continue to violate human rights despite
 31 warnings from the United Nations and other world leaders.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Russian Federation
Delegates: Isaac Williams, Elijah Myint
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Solve the Water Pollution Problem

1 To the General Assembly
2
3 We the delegates of the Federation of Russia are
4
5 Deeply concerned that about fifty percent of the Federation of Russia water is
6 contaminated which can cause many types of diseases and some of which could be
7 fatal;
8
9 Alarmed by the sheer amount of chemical waste, nuclear waste, and oil in the
10 Federation of Russia's water supply that could harm them;
11
12 Determined to lower the amount of people who don't have access to clean water in
13 Russia from eleven million to zero;
14
15 Deeply concerned that 3.575 million people die from water pollution a year and in
16 2020, 785,000,000 people did not have access to clean water;
17
18 We the delegation of the Federation of Russia do hereby
19
20 Call upon the United Nations to help provide designated places so one can wash
21 themselves and get clean water to drink in areas that need clean water,
22
23 Requests that in order to provide them with clean water the UN could make more water
24 treatment plants in any areas that need clean water. This would create jobs as well as
25 sanitize water.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: China

Delegates: Henley Cook, Caroline Erickson

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Increase Air Quality in China

1 To the General Assembly,

2

3 Fully concerned with the problems of polluted air that affect the lives of residents in
 4 China because of the giant production of carbon dioxide.

5

6 Alarmed by the growing deaths in China that reach up to 2 million losses per year. The issue
 7 has gotten significantly worse. As China is the largest greenhouse gas creator, it's no surprise
 8 that the United Nations has set a goal of China having carbon neutrality by the year 2060.

9

10 Noting that long term health effects include heart disease, lung cancer, and respiratory
 11 diseases such as emphysema. Air pollution can cause substantial damage to the nerves,
 12 liver, brain, kidneys, and other organs and can also lead to premature death. Many
 13 residents of China wear masks to avoid breathing in polluted air.

14

15 Acknowledging that half a million deaths in China are from PM2, which can be credited
 16 to industrial and residential coal burning.

17

18 Taking note that air pollution levels dropped in 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic,
 19 but have risen again.

20

21 Further recalling that coal burning was almost 70% of energy consumption in China at
 22 the starting of the decade, the coal consumption percentage has decreased to about
 23 56.8% as of 2020. While this is satisfactory, it is still a major crisis.

24

25 Aware of China being a main contributor to coal consumption, the main cause of the
 26 country's severe air pollution.

27

28 We the delegation of China do hereby:

29

30 Emphasize that the United Nations has taken some steps to give China a better source of air;
 31 we know that the UN has begun trying out innovative low-emission technologies to save the air.

32

33 Seek low-emission technologies to save the environment and cut costs.

34

35 Considers that wind and solar energy will make the costs of appliances and clean
 36 technology decrease. These devices will help sustain the economy and the quality of life.

37

38 Authorizes that the cost for technology would be about 330 million dollars.

39

40 Proclaims that this shall go into effect on April 6, 2022 the public welfare requiring it.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Jamaica

Delegates: Zoey Peters, Allyson Ford, Brenee Frier

School: Northview Middle School

A Resolution to Improve Education in Jamaica

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Acknowledging the lack of education in Jamaica,
- 4
- 5 Taking into consideration that over half of Jamaica's population does not have access to
- 6 secondary school,
- 7
- 8 Keeping in mind that the amount of Jamaica's population that does not go to secondary
- 9 school is increasing by the day,
- 10
- 11 Alarmed by the fact that almost half of the population live in Kingston Jamaica and
- 12 most of the family's there can not afford to go to secondary school,
- 13
- 14 Aware that Jamaica's education problem is due to high tuition fees,
- 15
- 16 Confirms that another reason being is that people with Jamaican jobs do not get paid
- 17 enough for their children to go to secondary school,
- 18
- 19 We, the delegation of Jamaica, do hereby:
- 20
- 21 Call upon the United Nations (UN) to help this education crisis by providing funding to
- 22 help pay teacher salaries and purchase school-related supplies;
- 23
- 24 Further requests that the UN also provide any other schooling necessities;
- 25
- 26 Urges the creation of a way for people to donate money to help this problem if
- 27 interested.



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GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Uzbekistan

Delegates: Lucas Glass, Jackson Rea

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Prohibit Forced Labor in Uzbekistan

- 1 To the General Assembly
- 2
- 3 Alarmed that the government of Uzbekistan forces over a million citizens to pick cotton
- 4 and deliver harvest quotas under the threat of penalty, including expulsion.
- 5
- 6 Aware that the forced-labor system claimed the lives of several Uzbek citizens.
- 7
- 8 Deeply concerned that the workers are exposed to unknown chemicals in the fields,
- 9 lack of safe drinking water, and unsanitary housing.
- 10
- 11 Taking into consideration that there have been failed attempts to solve this problem.
- 12
- 13 We, the delegation of Uzbekistan, do hereby;
- 14
- 15 Call upon the United Nations to impose a sanction upon Uzbekistan until this issue is
- 16 resolved.
- 17
- 18 Ask the United Nation to send a party to Uzbekistan to confront the group responsible
- 19 for the issue, and guide the government to a solution.
- 20
- 21 We proclaim that this shall go into effect July 17, 2022.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Mexico

Delegates: Peyton Bohannon, Sarah Martinez

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Acknowledge Inhumane Endeavors

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Noting with concern that the 36,661 recorded murders in 2019 has not fluctuated
 4 despite the pandemic limiting most activities.

5

6 Bearing in mind, the participation of the UN as of 2016, with varying success.

7

8 Well aware of the increased amount of federal power and how that has affected recent
 9 events in Mexico.

10

11 Concerned with the estimated 32,000 disappearances in Mexico, possibly caused by
 12 corrupt federal abuse in 2017.

13

14 Reaffirming the Declaration of Human Rights recognizes the entitlement of being born
 15 free and equal in dignity and rights. Acknowledging the inhumane conditions of Mexican
 16 citizens including the entirety of the global community.

17

18 Recognizing federal police involvement in executions and massacres of civilians as of
 19 August 2016. Recalling the federal assassinations over unmasked citizens continuing
 20 through 2020.

21

22 Noting with concern more than 26,000 bodies remain unidentified after lethal incidents
 23 of 2019.

24

25 We the delegates of Mexico do hereby

26

27 Conclude that a law shall be instituted so that federal police may not be permitted to
 28 physically harm citizens without proper reasoning.

29

30 Encouraging the UN to provide committees to observe the state of the law enforcement
 31 in Mexico.

32

33 Further recommends that the government provide safety for journalists and human
 34 rights activists.

35

36 Urge that the Declaration of Human Rights be followed and people's rights be protected.

37

38 Encourages the President to provide closure for the families of missing persons.



**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



Sponsor: Chad

Delegates: Noelle Flores, Bella Quinn, Kayleigh Waldron

School: Tipton Christian Academy

A Resolution to Remove Principle Factors of Terrorist Attacks

1 The General Assembly:

2

3 Acknowledging the 170,000 terrorist incidents for the period between 1970 and 2019,
4 which continue to escalate in Chad,

5

6 Concerned that poverty is rife, and health and social conditions compare unfavorably
7 with those elsewhere in the region,

8

9 Noting that some of these conditions are caused by the aftermath of various attacks,

10

11 Alarmed by the fact that 53.39% of firearms have been used in terrorist attacks, and
12 34.63% of explosives have been likewise utilized,

13

14 The delegation of Chad:

15

16 Urges that Chad's armed forces, l'Armee National du Tchad (ANT), to take away
17 firearms, gun powder, explosives, and/or ammunition from the regular civilian,

18

19 If the regular civilian is caught with a firearm, gunpowder, and/or explosives they must
20 serve at least two years in prison for every firearm found. This does not apply for when
21 Chad's armed forces remove the firearms, gunpowder, explosives, and/or ammo.

22

23 If the civilian has a valid purpose for having a firearm, they must have a license,
24 training, monthly payments for the license, and submit to the authority and observation
25 of the government of Chad's armed forces,

26

27 The monthly payment will be \$10,000USD dollars.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Tajikistan

Delegates: Tyler Borden, Brett Horner

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Drug Trafficking

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Alarmed that 75-80 metric tons of heroin and 15-40 metric tons of opium are illegally
 4 smuggled into the country every year for consumption or transfer to Russia or Europe.

5

6 Concerned that only less than 5 percent of the drugs are taken by law enforcements,
 7 which is why barely any major traffickers get caught.

8

9 Recognizing that drug trafficking is such a problem that 30 percent of Tajikistan's GDP
 10 is from this illegal activity.

11

12 Aware that drug use has steadily increased over the years, an estimate of 20,000-
 13 30,000 people inject drugs in Tajikistan.

14

15 Taking into consideration that due to poverty, many young children are looking up to
 16 major traffickers because they want to have as much money as them.

17

18 Deeply disturbed by the political corruption in Tajikistan. If the government is weak
 19 then little can be done about the trafficking.

20

21 We the delegates of Tajikistan do here by

22

23 Calls upon the United Nations to help develop a prevention campaign for drug abuse as
 24 well as a strategy to discourage drug trafficking.

25

26 Requests the United Nations respond with quick actions and generous support for the
 27 campaigns to discourage drug abuse and reduce drug trafficking.

28

29 Urge for more security at borders and airports.

30

31 Encourages more thorough investigations of politicians for less corruption within the
 32 government.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Haiti

Delegates: Murphy Mae Morgan, Ella Grace Hatch

School: Dyersburg Middle School

**A Resolution to Decrease the Severity of Displacement After Natural
 Disasters in Haiti**

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Alarmed that more than 1.5 million Haitians were forced to live in makeshift homes after
 4 the earthquake on January 12, 2010. They were forced to live in Displacement Camps
 5 with little water, food, and shelter. After the earthquake in 2021, there were 12,000
 6 people that were left homeless. 30,000 families were left homeless after this earthquake.

7

8 Noted with deep concern that in the last nine months, rising violence and criminal acts
 9 has led to the displacement of more than 13,900 Haitians. About 6,500 girls and 6,500
 10 boys were displaced.

11

12 Deeply disturbed that about 250,000 people lost their lives due to the major
 13 displacement. Many lives have been taken due to the scarce amount of relief
 14 opportunities for the displaced Haitians.

15

16 Reaffirming that nearly 15% of Haiti and Port-au-Prince's population is living in displacement as
 17 of June 2021. Haitians have lost their lives due to the lack of resources at displacement camps.

18

19 Concerned that the displacement of the Haitians has affected the US and other
 20 countries. They are seeking refuge as illegal immigrants.

21

22 We the delegates of Haiti do hereby

23

24 Call upon the United Nations to provide funds for a short amount of time so the displacement
 25 camps can get better resources to help the refugees. They can use these funds to build
 26 better camps, make food more widespread across the camps, and have better protection.

27

28 Urge the United Nations to provide \$150,000,000 per year for four years. If a natural
 29 disaster occurs the funds would go up due to the high demand of resources for
 30 refugees. With the pandemic, agencies have stopped providing as many resources.

31

32 Take note that this displacement has started to harm other countries. The refugees are
 33 trying to escape the poor countries' displacement camps and get to safety and freedom
 34 in the US. Haitians are hurting and living in despair because of the lack of funding and
 35 good resources from the United Nations.

36

37 Requests the United Nations fund will have to be able to make sure that the people of Haiti will
 38 have enough shelter and resources to sustain themselves and live for a good amount of time.

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COMMITTEE 3



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Ethiopia

Delegates: Maggie Frye, Shelby Gullett, Elizabeth Lemons

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Human Trafficking in Ethiopia

- 1 To the General Assembly
- 2
- 3 Noting with concern that human trafficking includes sex trafficking and labor trafficking.
- 4
- 5 Acknowledging that 1 in 184 people in the world are victims of human trafficking, which
- 6 results in 27,877 victims overall in the country.
- 7
- 8 Aware of the fact that tight quarters spread different diseases such as HIV/AIDS, pelvic
- 9 pain, rectal trauma and urinary difficulties and smallpox.
- 10
- 11 Keeping in mind that this problem is continually growing and the numbers are
- 12 increasing every day.
- 13
- 14 Recalling that many people are forced into human trafficking because they and their
- 15 families are being threatened.
- 16
- 17 We the delegates of Ethiopia do hereby:
- 18
- 19 Call upon the United Nations to help decrease human trafficking in Ethiopia.
- 20
- 21 Request that the United Nations increase the years of imprisonment for human
- 22 trafficking.
- 23
- 24 Strongly encourage citizens of Ethiopia to report cases of human trafficking.
- 25
- 26 Ask that the United Nations increase social and legal protection.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Saudi Arabia
Delegates: Brooklyn Fite, Chloe Baker
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Decrease Violations Against Women's Rights

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Noting with concern that at least one third of women in Saudi Arabia is a victim of
4 abuse.

5

6 Alarmed by that globally there is an estimated of 736 million women -almost one in
7 three- have been subjected to sexual violence. 30% of these women were 15 or
8 younger.

9

10 Deeply concerned that 43% of married women reported their husband having done
11 some act of violence towards them.

12

13 Recalling that Women and girls remain subject to discrimination in law and practice,
14 with laws that that ensure they are subordinate citizens to men, particularly in relation
15 to family matters such as marriage, divorce, and child custody.

16

17 Bearing in mind that according to Amnesty International, several activists of women's
18 rights have been detained without charge in Dhahban Prison and are enduring torture
19 by electrocution, flogging, hanging from the ceiling, and sexual assault.

20

21 We the delegates of Saudi Arabia, do hereby:

22

23 Request the United Nations create more guidelines to help protect and reinforce women
24 rights.

25

26 Further request that the United Nations send in members of the council to Saudi Arabia
27 to protect and reinforce women's rights.

28

29 Further proclaim that the United Nations secure the health and protection for activists
30 of civil and women's rights.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Djibouti

Delegates: Carter Coltrane, Mattie Bridges, Chevy Arnold, Logan Elliot

School: Tipton Christian Academy

A Resolution to Form an NGO to Monitor and Combat Trafficking

1 To the General Assembly:

2

3 Acknowledging the fact that Djibouti has been tier-two in trafficking worldwide over the
 4 last five years,

5

6 Noting that woman, men, and children are forced into labor and sex trafficking,

7

8 Concerned that prostitution and labor trafficking is a worldwide problem,

9

10 Take into consideration that trafficking can have immense affect on people worldwide,

11

12 We the delegation of Djibouti hereby:

13

14 Urge a resolution to form an NGO to monitor and combat trafficking in Djibouti,

15

16 Recommending hiring professionals to track down trafficking programs and combat
 17 them in the most peaceful way possible,

18

19 Calling upon Allies of Djibouti to help form this NGO,

20

21 Request that the UN support this proposal of a NGO being formed to help Djibouti with
 22 their tier-two trafficking problem.

23

24 Definitions:

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26 NGO- Non Governmental Organization

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28 Tier Two- Countries and territories whose governments do not fully comply with the
 29 Trafficking Victims Protection Act minimum standards but are making significant efforts
 30 to bring themselves into compliance with those standards.



**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



Sponsor: India

Delegates: Meredith Zamzow, Avery Hinson, McKoyler Thach

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Increase Basic Hygiene and Sanitation in India

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Taking into consideration that research shows that only a little over 50% of India's
4 population washes their hands after defecation, only 38% of people wash their hands
5 before eating, and as little as 30% wash their hands prior to handling food. Proper hand
6 washing with soap and water can reduce diarrhea cases by an average of 35%.

7

8 Noting that millions of tons of sludge and fecal matter are dredged from open-air pits,
9 which lead to substantial health hazards for communities without the means to safely
10 dispose of this waste. According to UNICEF, poor sanitation in India is partially
11 responsible for the prevention of proper development of more than 65 million children.
12 In fact, poor hygiene for children can actually lead to death. Across the globe, 800
13 children are killed every day from preventable diseases caused by lack of basic
14 sanitation and/or hygienic practices.

15

16 Appreciating that the water supply and sanitation in India has improved greatly from
17 1980 to present. However, many people lack access to clean water, toilets, and sewage
18 infrastructure. In 1980, rural sanitation coverage was estimated at 1% and it reached
19 95% in 2018.

20

21 Cognizant that about 160 million people- more than the population of Russia- of India's
22 1.3 billion people don't have access to clean water. Recently, UNICEF stated that almost
23 20% of urban Indians do not have facilities with water and soap at home.

24

25 Concerned that India, one of the most populated countries, has the highest number of
26 people without access to toilets. According to an article created by WaterAid, over 355
27 million females and children are unable to access the necessary hygienic resources
28 needed. Millions of people in India are forced to defecate in public, due to the reduced
29 amount of facilities. Defecation in public not only increases COVID-19 cases, but also
30 majorly spreads other deadly diseases such as cholera, typhoid, hepatitis, etc.

31

32 Aware that around 80% of India's water is severely polluted because people dump raw
33 sewage, silt and garbage into the country's rivers and lakes. This has led to water being
34 undrinkable and forcing the population to rely on illegal and expensive sources. Cities
35 across India have been facing acute water shortages due to massive population growth
36 and rapid, unplanned urbanization. A 2018 study published in Nature projected that by
37 2050, Jaipur would have the second-highest water deficit in the world.

38

39 We the delegates of India do hereby

40

41 Call upon the United Nations to provide \$5,000,000 to build local restrooms for the
42 people of India to use. The approved budget for the 2021-2022 United Nations is \$6.37
43 billion and is more than able to donate this amount of money for India. Instead of
44 building bathrooms in houses, people could use local ones so it would be less money.
45 Before the Clean India campaign started, only 39% of households had access to a
46 toilet.

47

48 Encourage volunteers to help clean their towns and restrooms for more usage. A group
49 of people can be delegated each week to clean and maybe receive a small reward of
50 food or water.

51

52 Request that the UN member states provide donations of toothbrushes, floss, combs,
53 toothpaste, blankets, pillows and other items people can donate for people of India.
54 Most countries can spare these necessities and should try to give more to the less
55 fortunate.

56

57 Urges India to employ agricultural practices such as planting crops that require less
58 water, setting up irrigation systems without leakages, and developing farm-based water
59 conservation structures. This is very important and can aid in the protection of forests
60 and development of horticulture. Recycling water and showing support can help the
61 people of India.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Kazakhstan

Delegates: Haleigh Boatright, Zoe Privett, Kennedy Hill, Reagan Binkley

School: Northview Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Radiation from Nuclear Testing Sites

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Deeply concerned that increased radiation is killing many of the Kazakhstan people,
- 4
- 5 Recognizing that the Aral Sea is shrinking because of the radiation,
- 6
- 7 Having examined that the World Health Organization declared the air quality in
- 8 Kazakhstan to be moderately unsafe,
- 9
- 10 We, the delegation of Kazakhstan, do hereby:
- 11
- 12 Call upon the United Nation to fund a committee to help devolved a strategy of air
- 13 monitoring, and come with ways of reducing radiation,
- 14
- 15 Request that the UN fund radiation farms to keep them in one place and stop the
- 16 spreading of radiation,
- 17
- 18 Express its hope that by eliminating the testing of radiation, both the sickness of the
- 19 Kazakhstan people and the shrinking of the Aral Sea would decrease immensely.



**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



Sponsor: Colombia

Delegates: Kyleigh Littles, Zayde Forrest

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Poverty

1 To the General Assembly,
2

3 Alarmed that between 18.9 to 23.9 million Colombians live in poverty and 5.5% are
4 malnourished according to statistics from 2020.
5

6 Concerned about the poverty rate since poverty can cause tons of health risks such as
7 elevated heart disease, mental illness, diabetes, hypertension, cancer, infant mortality,
8 undernutrition, lead poisoning, asthma, and dental problems.
9

10 Taking into consideration that in 2020, 3.6 million Colombians slipped into poverty due
11 to Covid, medical bills, and costs during the pandemic.
12

13 Bearing in mind that the major cause of poverty is because of the unequal distribution
14 of the country's wealth and welfare resources.
15

16 Observing in Colombia the Choco Region is the most remote and has the most poverty
17 in Colombia.
18

19 Acknowledging that the United Nations passed resolution 72/233 proclaiming the "Third
20 United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2018-2027) but more efforts
21 need to be made, especially due to the pandemic.
22

23 We the delegates of Colombia hereby
24

25 Call upon the United Nations to help reduce the number of people in poverty in
26 Colombia.
27

28 Consider Colombia could possibly equally distribute money and welfare resources
29 between the Colombians that have jobs so less people are in poverty.
30

31 Encourage Colombia to build more affordable hospitals for the people with less money.
32

33 Request the United Nations to provide funds to help finance programs to alleviate this
34 problem.
35

36 Recommends nonprofit organizations assist people in poverty, or malnourished people,
37 with food and other necessities.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Niger

Delegates: Brayden Powell, Ivan Bocanegra

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution To Increase Accessibility to Drinking Water

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Alarmed that only 56% of the population has access to a source of drinking water.

4

5 Shocked that only 13% of the population has access to basic sanitation services.

6

7 Concerned that 80% of Niger's land is the Sahara desert causing the fact that it makes
 8 it difficult to have access to water.

9

10 Deeply concerned that water-related diseases and poor hygiene and sanitation
 11 practices are one of the leading causes of death among children under five. The
 12 population has an alarmingly low poverty level. It ranked last in HDI development.

13

14 Aware that about 70 percent of Nigerians are reported to have access to basic water
 15 services, more than half of these water sources are contaminated. And although 73 per
 16 cent of the country's population have access to a water source, only nine litres of water
 17 on average is available to a Nigerian daily.

18

19 We the delegates of Niger do hereby

20

21 Call upon the United Nations General Assembly to ask surrounding areas with
 22 abundance of water to help transport water to Niger.

23

24 Notes water could be collected during the two months period of rainfall; they can collect
 25 the rain in cisterns.

26

27 Further recommendations more wells can be made in places with underground rivers or
 28 with underground lakes to use for water so they have access to more water.

29

30 We ask that the United Nations support more funding to the World Water Council, a
 31 French organization that raises the awareness of global water issues.

32

33 Expresses its hope that the United Nations focus more on global water issues and
 34 funding for water security and sustainability.

35

36 Expressing its hope of funding to build more wells in Niger we believe the overall cost to
 37 be around 1,000,000 usd or 922670.10 francs.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Bangladesh

Delegates: Caitlyn Garland, Alyssa Climer, Brookelyn Nichols

School: Northview Middle School

A Resolution to Improve the Issue of Abuse in Bangladesh

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Aware of the problem that 80% percent of women in Bangladesh are abused,
- 4
- 5 Emphasizing that Bangladesh loses over 20% of their female population a year due to
- 6 domestic violence,
- 7
- 8 Deeply concerned that the death rate is steadily increasing because of abuse in
- 9 Bangladesh,
- 10
- 11 Determined that women need a safe place to escape from their abusers,
- 12
- 13 Welcoming a new solution to solving Bangladesh's problem,
- 14
- 15 We, the delegation of Bangladesh do hereby;
- 16
- 17 Call upon the United Nations to help solve the issue of abuse in Bangladesh;
- 18
- 19 Considering that it may be difficult for women to find somewhere they break free from
- 20 the abuse this is what inspired our solution;
- 21
- 22 Requesting that Bangladesh builds "Safe Havens" in other words a shelter for women to
- 23 flee from their abusers;
- 24
- 25 Taking note of the fact that they will need necessities such as food and clean water and
- 26 a place to sleep;
- 27
- 28 Encouraging that the government send around 1 million Takas to build shelters and
- 29 provide the women with their basic necessities so they can live an undisrupted life.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Thailand

Delegates: Launa White, Judi-Kaye Justice, Madeline Wells

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Provide Assistance to Victims of Sex Trafficking

1 To the General Assembly,
 2

3 Aware that in Thailand close to 40,000 children under the age of 16 are believed to be
 4 involved in sex trade.
 5

6 Acknowledging that UNICEF has been particularly active in calling attention to child
 7 exploitation, yet only 900 victims were rescued.
 8

9 Deeply concerned that most of these victims come from neighboring states with
 10 significantly poorer populations. Facilitated by long and off road, or discrete, borders,
 11 irregular migration is a common trend in meeting the labor demands of low-skilled
 12 employment sectors.
 13

14 Noting that credible reports indicate some corrupt officials protect brothels, and other
 15 commercial sex venues from raids, inspections, and prosecutions, and collude with
 16 traffickers. Some local police reportedly withhold information from prosecutors to
 17 protect traffickers.
 18

19 Keeping in mind that labor and sex traffickers exploit women, men, and children from
 20 Thailand and other Southeast Asian countries.
 21

22 We the delegates of Thailand do hereby
 23

24 Call upon the United Nations to assist by providing lawyers to help protect victims of
 25 sex trafficking in Thailand.
 26

27 Also requesting the United Nations to provide approximately 3.5 million dollars to hire
 28 therapists to treat victims for psychological damages.

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TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Iran

Delegates: Keegan Rogers, Bailey Nolen, Holden Williams

School: Dyersburg Middle School

**A Resolution to Prohibit Legislature to Base Laws Off the Codes and
 Morals of a Religious Group**

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Concerned that people in Iran are being involuntarily required to follow the dress code
 4 illustrated by the Islamic codes and beliefs. Many other countries, mainly in the Middle
 5 East, follow this pattern of requirements.

6

7 Fully alarmed that citizens of Iran are being abnegated the basic human right to have
 8 religious freedom. Roughly all of the 82,000,000 people in Iran practice the Islamic
 9 religion. The limited amount of people who do not are facing major discrimination.

10

11 Realizing that, in Iran, certain groups of people are discriminated against and denied
 12 basic human rights. The people of Iran are denied protection from harsh punishments
 13 and are punished for victimless crimes, such as fornication and homosexuality.

14

15 Mindful that public displays of affection amongst certain groups of people in
 16 relationships, such as unwedded women and homosexuals, is prohibited.

17

18 Taking into consideration that it is unlawful to partake in many activities, including the
 19 purchasing and manufacturing of Western CDs and alcohol, due to the beliefs of the Islamic
 20 religion.

21

22 We the delegates of Iran do hereby:

23

24 Declare a requirement for laws to be modified as to not encompass material based on
 25 religious beliefs. This would allow for many activities, relationships, and articles of
 26 clothing to be allowed that were previously prohibited.

27

28 Urge the United Nations to prohibit new laws to be made regarding religious beliefs. If
 29 new laws were allowed to contain material based on religious beliefs or codes,
 30 governments would continue making these laws.

31

32 Call upon potential military assistance. Our country of Iran has one of the strongest
 33 militaries in the world with over half a million soldiers in active duty. We are unsure
 34 how our current government will react to our proposing of this bill. Military assistance
 35 would ensure the safety of our people.

36

37 Further request the United Nations to provide supervision over lawmaking in countries that
 38 have a history of laws based on religious belief. Supervision would guarantee that modified
 39 laws would not be based on religious beliefs or codes, allowing religious freedom for all citizens.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Israel

Delegates: Makayla Goforth, Avery Stambaugh, Mary Denton Carter

School: Tipton Christian Academy

**A Resolution to Resolve Israel's Water Crisis Through Improvement of
the Purification Systems and Facilities**

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Concerned that lot of Israel's water has raw sewage flowing into it,
- 4
- 5 Aware that 97% of Israel's water IS NOT consumable for any living creature,
- 6
- 7 Many people are dying from drinking the polluted water. They also no choice but to
- 8 drink it because it's the only water they have,
- 9
- 10 Only 10% out of the 2 million people in Israel are drinking safe water,
- 11
- 12 Some people had to drink contaminated water until someone brought them fresh water.
- 13 In which drinking contaminated water could make you very sick,
- 14
- 15 The delegation of Israel:
- 16
- 17 Urges the United Nations to assist in funding geared toward the construction and
- 18 maintenance of permanent water purification facilities,
- 19
- 20 Assisting numerous International Aid Agencies who are engaged in the present effort.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Greece

Delegates: Jackson Duggan, Owen Bona

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Reduce Global Warming

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Aware of a decrease in rainfall by 25 percent in the summer and 10 percent in the
 4 winter. Times of no rainfall will also increase as more time passes.

5

6 Concerned by climatic studies that predict that in 2100, Greece will have 250 percent
 7 more greenhouse gases. A strong heat dome is also to blame for the heatwave going
 8 over Greece.

9

10 Fully alarmed that the yields of crops in Greece will decrease significantly because of
 11 climate change. The whole southern Mediterranean will actually see a large reduction in
 12 crop yields.

13

14 Bearing in mind that the summers of Greece are very hot and very dry, while the
 15 winters are freezing and wet.

16

17 Very concerned about the fires happening in Greece due to the extreme heat. Most fires
 18 happen in the summer since that is when it is most hot.

19

20 We need to take note of the farming issue in Greece. The soil in Greece is not good
 21 because it is dry from the drought and heat waves. The people in Greece have trouble
 22 farming because there is barely any good soil.

23

24 We the delegates of Greece do hereby

25

26 Urge the Government to try to solve these problems. Suggestions could be to
 27 encourage riding bikes instead of cars for less greenhouse gases that damage the
 28 ozone layer, or people can buy more groceries locally, or from markets close to them.
 29 Also suggesting more buses to be used so less gas is coming from cars.

30

31 Considering that they could use more renewable energy, wind, solar, etc. We also
 32 suggest encouraging living a close perimeter to your work building or workspace to
 33 make less gas emissions and encourage more people to walk.

34

35 Take note of eliminating more fossil fuels in modern society. The fossil fuels are
 36 extremely harmful to the environment, so we think people should try to walk or run to
 37 avoid air pollution and global warming from the gas in cars.

38

39 Note that the Mediterranean is very vulnerable to climate change because it is very
40 sensitive to drought and rising temperatures. Something that the government of Greece
41 should do about this is try to make the country one again. One of the reasons that
42 Greece has more droughts, floods, and shocks is because they have been divided into
43 many different sub-regions.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: South Africa

Delegates: Chad Butler, Landon Dwors, Owen Weng

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Stop High Rates of Water Pollution in South Africa

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Acknowledging that there is not a lot of fresh water which is decreasing in quality.

4

5 Alarmed by the rise of waste from buildings getting discharged into rivers and lakes.

6

7 Fully aware that water pollution is also caused by urbanization, deforestation, damming
 8 of rivers, destruction of wetlands, industry, mining, and so on. that needs to stop. It is
 9 killing people and animals.

10

11 Noting with concern that water pollution is killing people by giving them diseases

12

13 Taking into consideration that water pollution, deforestation and damming water
 14 sources contribute to the problem

15

16 Bearing in mind that more than 315,000 children die due to unclean water in Africa.

17

18 Acknowledging unclean water is giving them diarrheal disease. Diarrheal disease is the
 19 second leading cause of death in children under five years old. Each year diarrhea kills
 20 around 525 000 children under five years old globally.

21

22 Noting that the United Nations has a Sustainable Development Goal of ensuring access
 23 to clean water and sanitation for all people around the world by 2030.

24

25 We the delegates of South Africa do hereby

26

27 Call upon the United Nations to create a team to study the problem to reduce water
 28 pollution.

29

30 Strongly recommends that we can direct rain gutters and downspouts into cisterns to
 31 collect for use.

32

33 Further requests we can use indigenous plants because they need less water which
 34 costs less to maintain.

35

36 Taking into consideration help South Africa generate clean water through water
 37 purification systems.

38

39 Desiring for people and doctors to help the children of South Africa to reduce diarrheal
40 diseases.
41
42 Further recommends that the United Nations continue to put resources into solving the
43 water pollution problem in South Africa so we can save as many people as possible.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Pakistan

Delegates: Riley Lallas, Shamiya Fields, Mykhia Watson

School: Northview Middle School

A resolution to reduce the water crisis in Pakistan

1 To the General Assembly:

2

3 Alarmed by the lack of water in Pakistan,

4

5 Takes note of how multiple Pakistani districts have around 90% more people at or
6 below the poverty line than their own capital concerns many,

7

8 Emphasizing how the lack of water affects the lives and overall health in Pakistan,

9

10 Having determined that of the 216 million population around 21.7 million people have
11 little to no access to water,

12

13 We, the delegation of Pakistan, do hereby:

14

15 Call upon the United Nations to place 15 water wells to be placed in Pakistan to help
16 some of Pakistani districts and population;

17

18 Confident that the placement of these wells will create a decrease in situations and
19 sicknesses caused by stagnant water;

20

21 Mindful this would create better living conditions for the poor in Pakistan.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Costa Rica
Delegates: Brinkley Walker, Kate Meadows
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Improve Children's Rights in Costa Rica

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Concerned that children aren't receiving proper education in Costa Rica after primary
 4 school. The teachers who are teaching them have not had a proper education
 5 themselves. These students are not able to support themselves and their families when
 6 they are older because they don't have an adequate education. If you aren't well
 7 educated, you aren't as likely to get a job. And when they get a job, it might not pay
 8 enough to support their families.

9

10 Disturbed that in Costa Rican children are having to work in order to support their
 11 families. Children should not have to work until they are at least 16. Children need to
 12 be able to live their childhood, and they need to get an education so that they can
 13 support themselves when they are older. Again, if they are not able to do this, the cycle
 14 of poverty and the teachers not being able to teach them properly will continue. This
 15 will lead to poverty getting worse than it already is. We need improvement.

16

17 Alarmed that 30% of children don't have access to education. If children could get the
 18 education they need then the next generation could be better and could improve the
 19 economy. This would lower the poverty rates across Costa Rica and potentially create
 20 better living conditions for these people.

21

22 Noting with concern that poverty is having an effect on children not being able to
 23 receive the proper education that they need for them to be successful in the future. We
 24 need these children to look forward to life in the future, so we can improve the
 25 economy and make Costa Rica a better place to live and visit.

26

27 Acknowledging that children in Costa Rica have alarming child labor such as agriculture
 28 and commercial child exploitation resulting in human trafficking. Children shouldn't
 29 have to go through this at a young age. Costa Rican children are subjected to child
 30 trafficking within the country, with those living in the north and central Pacific coastal
 31 zones being particularly vulnerable. Adults are using children to transport or sell drugs;
 32 some of these children may be trafficking victims.

33

34 We the delegates of Costa Rica do hereby

35

36 Call upon the United Nations to provide funds to help buy land and build free schools to
 37 help children who can't afford education. We can pay the teachers the minimum wage
 38 in Costa Rica of 1,200,000 CRC. (This is a yearly average) We will gradually increase
 39 the teachers' wages if the teachers are passionate about it. First, we will educate adults

40 that are willing to help the economy. If they are passionate about their job, and making
41 things better, they will get a raise.

42

43 Expresses hope that child labor can be reduced with the free education, for children will
44 be in school instead of working, therefore free education has many positive factors.
45 Also, when children get older their own children won't have to be in child labor for
46 having a free education would help them provide for their family with a good job
47 without their child input.

48

49 Aware that most children don't know what to do in the situation of human trafficking.
50 We urge the United Nations to publish articles and create TV commercials on what
51 human trafficking is and what to do in the situation of it. Children need to be warned of
52 the seriousness of this issue and how to stay safe.

53

54 Therefore, these issues need to be resolved immediately. Thank you for taking these
55 issues seriously.



**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



Sponsor: Nigeria

Delegates: Sean Harvey, Erick Olvera

School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Improve Women Rights in Nigeria

1 To the General Assembly

2

3 Deeply concerned that as of today 30% of girls and women between the ages of 15 to
4 49 are being abused in Nigeria.

5

6 Alarmed that Domestic Violence takes place in many different forms such as physical,
7 sexual, emotional, and mental.

8

9 Aware that females in Nigeria have basic human rights to be educated, and this right
10 has been recognized since the 1948 adoption of the UDHR (Universal Declaration on
11 Human Rights).

12

13 Noting that we are all entitled to human rights, including the right to live free from
14 violence and discrimination, to enjoy physical and mental health, to be educated, to
15 own property, to vote, and to earn an equal wage.

16

17 Concerned that despite these rights, many places across the globe women still face
18 discrimination on the basis of gender and this gender inequality contributes to problems
19 such as physical and sexual abuse, lower pay and lack of access to education.

20

21 Acknowledging that UN Women is already trying to help women in Nigeria by working to
22 improve conditions for women and improve gender equality in the following areas:
23 "Expanding Women's Voice; Women's economic empowerment, Preventing violence
24 against women and girls; and Increasing women's leadership," however more work is
25 needed.

26

27 We the delegates of Nigeria do hereby

28

29 Call upon the United Nations to set up a fund to support abused women across Nigeria.

30

31 Encourage Nigeria to pass a law that will enforce the safety of women by ensuring that
32 the sentence for a first offense of this said law will result in 2 years in prison.

33

34 Support other organizations and operations against women abuse by funding their
35 operations and marches for women's rights.

36

37 Persuade Nigerian leaders to build schools for underprivileged, uneducated girls and
38 women across Nigeria.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: Central African Republic
Delegates: Jason Creasy, Lily Flagg, Caragh Wright
School: Northview Middle School

A Resolution To Free The Children In The Central African Republic

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Acknowledging the fact that children in the Central African Republic are being forced to
- 4 fight under age by armed groups,
- 5
- 6 Taking into consideration that the Central African Republic already has a signed a peace
- 7 agreement addressing the child soldiers but it failed,
- 8
- 9 Fully aware that the United Nations states that using and recruiting soldiers under the
- 10 age of 15 is prohibited under international humanitarian law and is defined as a war
- 11 crime by the International Criminal Court,
- 12
- 13 We, the delegation of the Central African Republic hereby:
- 14
- 15 Request that the United Nations send 8,000 peace keeping soldiers to take action
- 16 against the armed forces who are capturing or using children to fight in violent
- 17 conflicts;
- 18
- 19 Calls upon the partnering countries of the UN to help resolve the crisis happening in the
- 20 Central African Republic;
- 21
- 22 Further recommends that the selected soldiers capture the leaders who are responsible
- 23 for targeting children and using them as child soldiers;
- 24
- 25 Urges United Nations to spend 2 million dollars to send 8,000 soldiers for one mission
- 26 and for supplies to help the children;
- 27
- 28 Further resolves the issue of children fighters if the soldiers go over there and regulate
- 29 who is fighting and hopefully stop all of the violence of the armed groups;
- 30
- 31 Recommends the children who have family to be sent with their family but the children
- 32 with no family be relocated to a safer and better environment.



TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Sponsor: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
Delegates: Will Rogers, Thomas Sartin
School: Dyersburg Middle School

A Resolution to Create Jobs in Macedonia

1 To the General Assembly
2
3 Concerned by the fact that the unemployment rate is 16% in Macedonia that means 1
4 out of every 7 people can't find a job,
5
6 Alarmed that 150 thousand Macedonians don't have a job,
7
8 Dumbfounded that 18% percent of women above 15 are unemployed,
9
10 Shocked that the unemployment rate in Macedonia has not changed largely in 3 years,
11
12 Aware of the fact that major politicians don't seem to think this is a problem,
13
14 We the delegates of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia do hereby
15
16 Call upon the United Nations to send in a team to help formulate a plan to help with
17 unemployment and this plan can be a prototype for other countries to use to assist with
18 the unemployment rates there,
19
20 Request that the UN also assist our government in creating jobs by implementing
21 infrastructure projects,
22
23 Urge the United Nations to provide funds for the implementation of the above
24 mentioned projects.
25
26 This resolution should take effect as soon as possible.
27