

Global Youth Leaders Conference (GYLC)

Wadebridge School was selected to join an elite group of outstanding educators worldwide who nominate 10 of their most exceptional students to attend the Global Young Leaders Conference held in the USA, Europe and China each year. This was a golden opportunity for some of our students to take their rightful place on the national and world stage as future leaders:

- Explore Washington DC and New York City where they will visit international embassies, evaluate world trade and economics and study the art of conflict resolution in Washington and engage with a UN speaker, draft policy proposals, debate issues and work to pass resolutions in New York.
- Explore Vienna, Prague and Berlin where they will discuss issues of the day at the UN in Vienna; examine the role of global diplomacy in Prague and participate in a case study on human rights in Berlin.
- Explore China where they will debate diplomatic and contemporary issues with Foreign Affairs Diplomats and be immersed in China's ancient commerce and culture as well as witness the new China and the booming new capitalism.

Thankfully two of our Key Stage 4 students decided to take this opportunity: Daisy Brown (attended GYLC conference in New York 2013) and Livvi Bishop (will be attending the GYLC conference in New York summer 2014).



Throughout their program of choice the students expand and cultivate their inherent leadership skills by examining and discussing various global issues with distinguished diplomats. By attending the conference students also receive college credit through George Mason University.

Daisy Brown agreed to create a power-point presentation for the Year 7 PLTS workshops so that she could stress to the younger students how important it is for them to take every opportunity offered to them and to strive to be the best they can; to raise their aspirations and believe that they can do whatever they put their mind to.

“EDUCATION IS THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPON WHICH YOU CAN USE TO CHANGE THE WORLD” – NELSON MANDELA

“IF THE DOOR CLOSES GO THROUGH A WINDOW” - ALWAYS PERSEVERE
JANINE DI GIOVANNI (A WAR ZONE JOURNALIST)

Daisy participated in a mock global summit at the United Nations Headquarters in New York;



learned about different religions and cultures from all over the world; visited historical sites and made new friends.

