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Youth Press Gallery Application Form

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To apply to be a Youth Press Gallery member, you will need to complete this application form and provide all the following details:

Full Legal Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Preferred pronoun(s): _____

Postal Address:

Home phone number: _____

Mobile phone number: _____

Email: _____

Name of school, university or training provider or workplace: _____

Parent/Guardian Information and consent

Young people who are aged 17 years or under as at Friday 28 February 2025 are required to obtain consent from a parent or legal guardian to apply for a role as a Youth Press Gallery member.

Please complete the following section if you are aged 17 years or under as at Friday 28 February 2025. Your Parent/Guardian will be contacted if your application is successful.

Name of parent or guardian: _____

Email Address: _____

Home phone number: _____

Mobile phone number: _____

Applicants need to answer these questions:

Why have you applied to become a member of the Youth Press Gallery 2025? (maximum of 250 words)

Why do you believe you are a good candidate for the role? (maximum of 250 words)

Applicants need to supply the supporting evidence below:

1. A current Curriculum Vitae (CV), including full contact details for two referees.
2. At least two examples of their work, with at least one of these being a written piece.
3. An opinion piece, submitted either in written form (maximum of 500 words) or a video or radio clip (one-two minutes in length), on one of the following topics:

What is an issue affecting young people that members of Parliament (MPs) need to take more notice of and why?

How well do you think MPs are tackling issues that are important to young people? Do they need to be doing more?

End of Youth Press Gallery Application Form