

# Forum for Young Canadians

**Forum is now accepting applications for the 2018 sessions!**

Would you like to contribute to the future of your community and country? Are you interested in decision-making and politics? **Forum for Young Canadians** is for **YOU!** Take part in a week long youth conference, giving you a behind the scenes look into the world of Canadian Parliamentary Democracy! You will learn to communicate, collaborate and transform your ideas into meaningful community action!

**Meeting decision-makers where the decisions get made.**

**This includes:**

- Visits to the House of Commons and Senate with the Speakers of each House as well as Clerks and pages. They show you how the institution works before getting to see Question Period live in action.
- A reception where MPs are invited to come meet and chat with participants. All MPs are invited and last year over 100 MPs came to at least one reception. The Prime Minister came to two events in 2016.
- A breakfast at the Senate with Senators hosted by the Speaker of the Senate. It's a chance to ask them what they do.
- A visit to Rideau Hall, residence of the Governor General, which is a great opportunity learn about his role and responsibilities. In 2017, some participants met the Governor General His Excellency The Right Honourable David Johnston during their tour of Rideau Hall.

The total cost for the **entire** week is \$895.00 per student including G.S.T. (Accommodation, Airfare, Meals, and Program fees included). Students are responsible for travel to and from Edmonton to the airport. [Forum for Young Canadians Website](#)

**If you are in grades 10-12 and are interested in this once in a lifetime opportunity, please see Mrs. Keay prior to [JUNE 25, 2017](#)**