**Bristol Culture Young Collective Application Information**

Gain insight and experience in cultural projects and events.

We are looking for 10 young people who are passionate about making culture more inclusive to become a paid member of our youth advisory board. We welcome applications from those from Global Majority ethnicity groups, low income households and who are Disabled or Neurodivergent.

**Who can apply:**

* + 18-25 year olds, or 18-30 year olds with a Learning Difficulty or Disability living in the Bristol City Council area

**The details:**

* Deadline for applications - 9am Wednesday 6th December 2023
* First session - 6-8pm Wednesday 3rd January 2024
	+ We will meet on the first Wednesday of every month from 6-8pm, at Bristol Museum & Art Gallery or M Shed
* We ask for a minimum commitment of 6 months
* Participants will be paid £11.81 per hour for their time (£141.72 for 6 months of two hour meetings)
* Participants will need to be set up as a freelancer in order to be paid (we can support you with this)

**What to expect:**

* **Collaborate** with a range of departments in Bristol Culture to bring a fresh perspective and create new narratives
* Work with Bristol Culture to **ensure representation in exhibitions, events and new projects** to make it more inclusive, engaging, authentic and real for young people
* **Inspire other young people** across Bristol to engage with Bristol Culture through acting as ambassadors through outreach and projects
* **Behind the scenes** out of hours access to the museum and gallery collections
* **Additional opportunities** such as one off engagement projects or sitting on a Bristol Culture steering group

**To apply:**

* Online: [www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/youngcollective](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/youngcollective)
* Email/hand written version: use the application form on the next page
* Video/voice recording: answer the questions on the next page and send to annette.dodd-johns@bristol.gov.uk

**For more information or to apply please contact Annette:**

Email - annette.dodd-johns@bristol.gov.uk

Call/text/WhatsApp - 07741 099 367

(Please note working days are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday so we will get back to you as soon as possible)

**Bristol Culture Young Collective Application Form**

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| **Name:**  |
| **Date of birth:**  |
| **Phone number:**  |
| **Email address:**  |
| **Postcode:**  |
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| **Do any of the following apply to you?** |
| I am from a low income household |
| I am from a Global Majority ethnicity group |
| I have a Disability |
| I am Neurodivergent |
| None |
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| **What interests you about taking part in the Young Collective?** |
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| **Why are you passionate about making culture more inclusive?** |
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| **Have you been on an advisory board or similar before? If yes, please let us know what you did with the group** |
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| **Can you meet from 6-8pm on the first Wednesday of every month?** |
| Yes / No |
| **Can you commit to taking part for a minimum of 6 months?** |
| Yes / No |
| **Have you been involved with Bristol Museums before? If yes, please let us know which project** |
| Yes: |
| No |
| **How did you find out about the Bristol Culture Young Collective?** |
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Please send your written or recorded application to Annette Dodd-Johns by 9am 6th Dec:

**Email:** annette.dodd-johns@bristol.gov.uk

**Post:** Bristol Museum & Art Gallery, Queens Road, Bristol, BS8 1RL

**Thank you for taking the time to apply. We will be in touch soon after the application deadline to let you know if you have a place on the Young Collective.**

**If we have more suitable applications than spaces, we may ask to have an informal chat just to find out a bit more about you to help us decide who to offer a place to. If you are not successful this time and you would like us to, we can put you on the waiting list for the next time a space becomes available.**