

A to Z of useful ideas, resources and links

All materials listed are available to schools free of charge.

BBC Schools featuring Citizen X and Student Life

www.bbc.co.uk/schools/citizenx/interneat/index and www.bbc.co.uk/schools/studentlife

British Council www.britishcouncil.org/comenius
www.britishcouncil.org/languageassistants.htm

Comic Relief Education

http://www.rednoseday.com/do_something/school/teach/key_stages

The Electoral Commission's **Democracy Cookbook** - doing politics with young people has sections on the European Union. They also have a pack of cards with information about each member state.

www.dopolitics.org.uk

European Commission representation in the UK
http://europa.eu/teachers-corner/index_en.htm

Up-to-date information about various competitions for young people can be found at

www.europa.eu.int/youth/index.cfm?l_id=en

EU funding is available to take part in a joint curriculum project with schools from other European countries.

www.globalgateway.org.uk/Default.aspx?page=2524

Eurodesk gives young people access to information on Europe and European opportunities.

www.eurodesk.org.uk

Celebrate **Europe Day on 9 May**. During the Milan Summit in 1985, EU leaders decided to celebrate 9 May as Europe Day. Today, Europe Day is an annual celebration of the diversity of cultures within Europe and provides an opportunity to come together and to learn more about the European Union

http://europa.eu/abc/symbols/9-may/euday_en.htm

A specific resource sheet for schools is available
<http://www.europarl.org.uk/outreach/Page03FactSheet03.htm>

EurOpinions: citizens' forum for young people

www.isneducation.org.uk/citizenship/EurOpinions

European Youth Parliament holds debating competitions:

www.eypej.org and www.eypuk.org

eTwinning: link up with a school in another EU country
www.etwinning.net

FCO's Guide to the European Union

www.europe.gov.uk

The Europa Diary produced by **Generation Europe Foundation** and the European Commission is provided free of charge to schools. Order from www.generation-europe.org

The **UK Office of the European Parliament** has various **leaflets, brochures, maps and bookmarks** which can be ordered in bulk.

<http://www.europarl.org.uk/section/infocentre/publications-resources>

Role play the decision making process in Europe on the European Schoolnet website:

decide4europe.eun.org/www/en/pub/roleplay/homepage.htm

The **Scottish European Educational Trust** provides classroom quizzes and runs speaking competitions.

Contact: seet@euromove.org.uk

Go to European Schoolnet site for info on **Spring Day in Europe** and more: www.eun.org

Take a group to Strasbourg to meet up with their counterparts from other EU countries and debate topical issues with the European Parliament's Euroscola programme. Contact pamela.powers@europarl.europa.eu

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