



What is the Cultivate Youth Forum?

The Cultivate Youth Forum is a sub-group of Halton's Local Cultural Educational Partnership. The youth forum will help to support the design and delivery of cultural activities in the Halton Borough, as part of Halton being appointed Borough of Culture for 2021. It is anticipated that this youth forum will help to develop and deliver a cultural summer programme in 2021 as part of the Borough of Culture programme.

Who can get involved?

We are looking to recruit 12 young people aged 10-15 to come together weekly throughout December & January. We hope for this to be in person, but we have a digital back up plan. We have funding to reimburse some travel expenses.

What will participants of this project be involved in?

Those who wish to engage with the Cultivate Youth Forum will be involved in increasing engagement with cultural activities within Halton Borough, and helping to develop projects that introduce art and culture to young people, such as a cultural summer programme. The youth forum will aim to provide the space to explore and open opportunities for young people to participate in and promote a multitude of cultural activities across Halton and in particular, to promote the positive personal benefits of participating in such activities, such as improved health and wellbeing and inspiring creativity to name a few. Sessions will be youth-led, and will focus around exploring the idea of culture and how it is represented across Halton, as well as working to design and develop ways of engaging young people with culture in the borough.

How can a young person get involved in the Cultivate Youth Forum?

Young people can express their interest in this project by making contact with Hannah (h.mcmullan@youthfocusnw.org.uk), text 07395 793 108 or by messaging the team on Instagram @cultivatehalton