## Kentucky Youth Assembly Education Fair & Tri-fold Purpose and Criteria

## Purpose

- To learn about the diverse topical issues that affect the Commonwealth of Kentucky and its political sphere
- To provide an authentic audience for peer-to-peer dialogue in an exchange of research
- To think critically and ask questions, so as to prepare fellow students to make informed opinions
- To grow in empathy, compassion, and understanding by providing a non-charged humanizing political experience
- To give students the opportunity to learn about the topics they will be debating in their committees

## Criteria

- Trifolds should be succinct, legible, and well-organized with clear content
- Students should place a copy of their bill in a visible place on the trifold
- Students must have one section dedicated to Works Cited to prove their knowledge of neutral supporting facts (Government Websites, Medical Journals, Scholarly Articles, etc.)
- Students should illustrate their topic in some manner (Photos, drawings, etc.)
- Handouts should <u>NOT</u> be included; all information should be on the trifold
- Trifolds should <u>NOT</u> have electronic components, even if battery operated, such as lights, music, iPads
- Bill authors should be prepared to have an authentic, knowledgeable dialogue about their topic
- Delegates should be prepared to engage with one another regarding new topics by asking meaningful, insightful questions