 <p style="text-align: center;">KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution</p>	Resolution # 1
	Sponsored by Australia
Sponsors: Will Clark, Caroline Blackburn, Keith Rodgers, Mahima Gajawada	Committee: E Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Elkhorn MS	
City: Frankfort	

Deforestation in Australia

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The General Assembly,

Having examined that Australia statistically is shown to have one of the highest rates of deforestation in recent history, ranking at a loss of approximately 3.5 to 7 billion trees per year;

Noting with deep concern, deforestation has affected Australia and many other countries, resulting in the loss of biodiversity and endangerment of many species including plants and animals;

Fully aware of the number of trees that have been removed due to excessive clear-cutting, 0.16% of Australia's forestry is lost annually;

Realizing that 40% of Australia's forest has been lost and the remaining forests are fragmented;


Taking into consideration that if deforestation is continued, it can cause climate change, desertification, soil erosion, fewer crops, flooding, increased greenhouse gases in the atmosphere, and a host of problems for indigenous people;

Emphasizing that soil erosion is augmenting the decline in soil fertility and increasing Australia's greenhouse gas emissions;

Recognizing The New York Declaration on Forests claims that such a dramatic change in a woodland loss could absorb 4.5 and 8.8 billion tons of carbon emissions each year.

Calls upon, The United Nations and the government of Australia, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD);

1. Recommends action begin in Queensland within the first appropriate planting season;
2. Requests companies who are cutting down the trees to replant the cut section with the same type of tree, in a timely fashion, to reduce soil erosion and not further affect the ecosystem.
3. Encourages IFAD to persuade the various companies to "Recycle and buy recycled products, to look for Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certification on wood and wood products."
4. Draws attention to the fact that if IFAD and other agencies take too long to become involved and assist, Australia may experience low and poor air quality which may cause many plants, animals, and humans to suffer and possibly die.

	<p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION</p> <p>KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY</p> <p>United Nations Resolution</p>	<p>Resolution # 2</p>
	<p>Sponsors: Madison Messmer, Anna Samek, Beverly Honnerlaw, Kennedy Ward</p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> <p>Belgium</p>
<p>School: Beechwood ES</p>	<p>Committee: B</p>	<p>Action on Resolution</p> <p>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</p>
<p>City: Ft. Mitchell</p>		

An Act to Invoke Better Prison Conditions in Belgium and Around the World

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The General Assembly,

Conscious of the fact that Belgium is a small country and is very densely populated with an overall population of 11,200,000, and 11,040 of those people being in prisons,


Fully aware that although the people in the prisons are convicts, they still deserve basic humane treatment such as being fed and having proper sleeping arrangements,

Deeply concerned that prisoners in Belgium are not getting ethical treatment, sometimes receiving no food or drink,

Recognizing that the European Court of Human Rights charged Belgium with accusations of inhuman treatment in 2014,


Further insisting these criteria be considered for all countries around the world with the same prisoner treatment.

1. Expresses the hope of betterment in the prisons worldwide to support the values of basic human rights and better judgment of what is considered to be unlawful actions but might be judged unfairly;
2. Further requests extensions be built on to smaller-sized imprisonment buildings and with the intention of avoiding over-crowding;
3. Draws attention to thoroughly reviewing cases breaking the law that might be unfairly judged to reduce overpopulation in the prisons and justice;
4. Requests the support of investing more money into prisons urging better conditions supporting human rights;
5. Further requests that the two genders will be separated to prevent sexual abuse and privacy ensured;
6. Recommends these requests to prisons worldwide.


 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 3
	Sponsored by Cambodia
Sponsors: Allie Hughes, Grace Reilly, Gwen Temple	Committee: B Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: South Oldham MS	
City: Crestwood	

A Convention to Build Schools in the Country of Cambodia

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- 3 The General Assembly,
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- 5 Aware Cambodia’s economy is one of the fastest growing in Asia,
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- 7 Keeping in mind that even if the education rate has improved in the past few years, the conditions of education
- 8 still is intolerable,
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- 10 Recognizing that there is a shortage of schools and classrooms, particularly in rural areas, limiting the number
- 11 of children who have access to basic education,
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- 13 Determined to help the children of Cambodia get the proper education that every child needs,
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- 15 1. Requests to have 2-3 room schools, that will fit 25-30 children in each room, built in the 2 most
 - 16 impoverished areas in Cambodia,
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 - 18 2. Draws the attention to the fact that a 3-room school would cost about \$45,000 which includes the
 - 19 cost of chalkboards, school supplies, and classroom furniture,
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 - 21 3. Request that teachers will have a salary of approximately \$10-12 an hour, which is the average salary
 - 22 in Cambodia for teachers,
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 - 24 4. Calls upon the United Nations to fund this educational project to greater the futures of many children
 - 25 living in Cambodia.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 4
	Sponsored by China
Sponsors: Sydney Leuenberger, Rachel Whelan, Leyla Greene, Sophie Price	Committee: B Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Rowan Co. MS	
City: Morehead	

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Noting the deep concern related to the level of air pollution in the People’s Republic of China. The People’s
6 Republic of China’s air pollution has caused between 350,000 to 400,000 premature deaths.
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8 Recalling this topic has been brought to the attention of the United Nations on multiple occasions. The United
9 Nations warned the People’s Republic of China in 2011 that its’ air pollution “had dire implications” related to
10 its citizens health.
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12 Emphasizing that the Declaration of Human Rights states, In Article 25, Everyone has the right to a standard of
13 living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family, including food, clothing, housing and
14 medical care and necessary social services, and the right to security in the event of unemployment, sickness,
15 disability, widowhood, old age or other lack of livelihood in circumstances beyond control.
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17 Conscious that steps have been taken by the People’s Republic of China to reduce the level of air pollution.
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19 Bearing in mind, that officials with the United Nations environmental agency have hailed the Chinese
20 government efforts in reducing the level of air pollution. China has made significant efforts to reduce drastically
21 the amount of pollutants emitted into the atmosphere.
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23 Determined to reduce the air pollution and improve the quality of life in the People’s Republic of China,
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25 1. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to purchase large air purifiers to reduce air pollution;
26 several of these are being utilize and reducing pollution successfully.
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28 2. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to increase public transportation.
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30 3. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to increase research related to reducing air pollution
31 from passenger vehicles.
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33 4. Calls upon the United Nations to conduct air pollution tests on the current air quality now, as well each
34 year following for 10 years.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 7
	Sponsored by Cuba
	Committee: B
Sponsors: Hope Jordan, Clementine Coomes, Sarah Mattingly, Elle Moses	Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: E.J. Hayes MS	
City: Lexington	

An Act to Eradicate Human Trafficking

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The General Assembly,

Aware that the Government of Cuba does not fully meet the minimum standards for the elimination of human trafficking,


Recognizing that human trafficking is currently a global pandemic and generates an estimated 32 billion dollars annually,

Deeply disturbed that of the estimated 21 million people trafficked yearly, 5.5 million of them are children under the age of 18,

Noting that the United Nations Office of Drugs and Crimes report that the most common form of human trafficking is for sexual exploitation,


Conscious of the direct violation with the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights; Article 4 stating "No one shall be held in slavery or servitude; slavery and the slave trade shall be prohibited in all their forms."; as well as Article 5 stating "No one shall be subjected to torture or to cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment."

1. Calls upon United Nations Human Rights Council to meet with Cuban government officials regarding encouragement and protection of citizens' personal liberties;
2. Encourage the Human Rights Watch, Amnesty International and other NGOs to work with the UN in helping educate the Cuban judicial system along with judicial systems of other countries and advocate for human rights enforcement;
3. Requests UN officials to collaborate with Cuban government officials to develop and enforce harsher laws and punishments for those convicted of human trafficking crimes.

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 8
	Sponsored by Djibouti
Sponsors: Sophia-Kate Long, Janet Mashindi, Lacie Ingle, Jackson Hadaway	Committee: A Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Scott Co. MS	
City: Georgetown	

Poverty to Prosperity in the Horn of Africa

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Alarmed that Djibouti is one of the poorest countries in the world,
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7 Deeply concerned with the lack of essentials accessible to a majority of the population of Djibouti with 42% of
8 it's citizens living in poverty and 23% living in extreme poverty,
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10 Noting with deep concern that 90% of food in Djibouti is imported due to the difficulty in growing food which is
11 attributed to the arid climate,
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13 Bearing in mind the United Nations #1 Sustainable goal is to end poverty in all forms,
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15 1. Calls upon the United Nations Development Programme to work with organizations such as Oxfam and
16 Aid for Africa to help increase entrepreneurship in order to end the cycle of poverty;
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18 2. Urges the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN to work with organizations such as Farm Africa,
19 AGRA and Seawater Greenhouses to increase the production of food produced in Djibouti through the
20 use of greenhouses in order to reduce their dependency on other countries and reduce food costs;
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22 3. Recommends that the World Tourism Organization and UN legal advisers work with the government of
23 Djibouti to create a media campaign to promote tourism and create a tourist tax in order to strengthen
24 the infrastructure within Djibouti.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 9
	Sponsored by Dominican Republic
Sponsors: Grayson Pham, Gabe Fox, Forde Cruse, Cooper Downey	Committee: A Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: E.J. Hayes MS	
City: Lexington	

Resolution to Improve Education Systems and Government Funding

The General Assembly,

Fully aware that an educated population must be the cornerstone of any future plan to improve social, economic and environmental conditions,

Noting further that education is the main means whereby a society constructs its values, and is a key factor in sustainable human development which will enable future generations to properly manage the country's social and natural resources,

Deeply concerned that the Dominican Republic is failing to comply with the requirements of the Education Law of 1997 in Article 197, stating that "the public expenditure for education should be at 4% of the Gross Domestic Product, or GDP," - that rate is currently sitting 1.9%; which is less than half,


Realizing that poor school conditions particularly in rural areas, a shortage of teachers and inadequate lesson material to fill the day also often resulted in students dropping out. Schools and teachers, however, have not had sufficient funds to improve academics,

Observing that the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights; Article 26 (1) states "Everyone has the right to education. Education shall be free, at least in the elementary and fundamental stages. Elementary education shall be compulsory. Technical and professional education shall be made generally available and higher education shall be equally accessible to all on the basis of merit.",

Inspired by many Civil Society Organizations forming the Decent Education Coalition, which are attempting to place demands on the Dominican government to comply with their legal obligations,

Calls upon the United Nations to:

1. Demand Dominican government officials to comply with legislation adopted by the DR;
2. Assist Dominican government officials in establishing a relationship with International Education Organizations, such as NAFSA: Association of International Educators, IIE: Institute of International Education, UNICEF: United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund, among others; to reform the education system in the Dominican Republic, particularly in areas of curriculum, equity, and retention.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 11
	Sponsored by Ethiopia
	Committee: E
	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
Sponsors: Nate Hall, Addison Dascher, Oscar Wright, Abby Smith	
School: Scott Co. MS	
City: Georgetown	

Critical Crisis of Child Labor

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The General Assembly,


Observing that 41.5% of children in Ethiopia are forced into child labor in order to help provide for their families,

Alarmed that Ethiopian law allows children under the age of 16 to perform hazardous work which goes against International laws,

Noting with deep concern that worldwide 218 million children between the ages 5-17 are employed and 73 million are in hazardous work conditions,


Recalling UN resolution 50/153 on the rights of children and the protection of children from performing any work that was likely to be hazardous, to interfere with the child's education, or to be harmful to the child's health or physical, mental, spiritual, or social development,

1. Requests that the International Labor Organization(ILO) send a delegation to work with the Ethiopian government to update their labor laws to comply with the ILO minimum age convention number 138;
2. Calls upon the United Nations Development Programme(UNDP) to work with the Ethiopian government and companies such as Ford and Google who are looking to expand their companies reach into Ethiopia and throughout Africa in order to create jobs and provide stability for the people of Ethiopia;
3. Requests that UNICEF and the World Bank work with organizations such as BuildOn, Uniform+ 1, and Save the Children to help provide schools, uniforms, and support thus providing access and encouragement to continue their education.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 12
	Sponsored by France
Sponsors: Isaac Macke, Walter Nachazel, Patrick Slagle, William Hiner	Committee: D Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Beechwood ES	
City: Ft. Mitchell	


Preserving World War I and II Heritage Sites

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Conscious of the fact that World Wars I and II changed the way our world is for the better,
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7 Recognizing many selflessly gave their time and lives to help the good of the world, Alarmed by the rate that
8 these sites of heritage are being forgotten or carelessly destroyed,
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10 Realizing, as each day passes, this history will no longer be told in the words of the living and will soon become
11 distant,
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13 Concerned if we don't learn from our history, it may repeat itself,
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15 Acknowledging battle sites such as Flanders Fields have already returned to farmland without any indication of
16 its significance, and other sites like the battleground at Vimy Ridge or the Argonne Forest which may soon go
17 down the same forgotten path.
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19 1. Encourages the UN to recognize that WWI and WWII impacted the entire globe, not just Europe, and
20 continues to do so today;
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22 2. Draws the attention to the importance of these sites and the necessity of their protection;
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24 3. Recommends these locations be considered for World Heritage site status;
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26 4. Requests the assistance of the United Nations to seek support in preserving for posterity previously
27 unprotected sites and other locations such as trenches and bomb sites that have not been cleared.


	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 15
		Sponsored by India
Sponsors: Lakyn Stearns, Ali Weaver, Payton Withers		Committee: B
School: Russell Co. MS		Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Russell Springs		

Convention on the Boycott of Indian Exports

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Noting that the Universal Declaration of Human Rights affirms the principle of the inadmissibility of
6 discrimination and proclaims that all human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights and that
7 everyone is entitled to all the rights and freedoms set forth therein, without distinction of any kind, including
8 distinction based on sex,
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10 Recalling that discrimination against women violates the principles of equality of rights and respect for human
11 dignity, is an obstacle to the participation of women, on equal terms with men, in the political, social, economic
12 and cultural life of their countries, hampers the growth of the prosperity of society and the family and makes
13 more difficult the full development of the potentialities of women in the service of their countries and of
14 humanity,
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16 Reminding fellow delegates that the nation state of India signed and ratified the Committee on the Elimination
17 of the Discrimination of All Women (CEDAW),
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19 Declaring the nation state of India has repeatedly not affirmed their commitment to the principles of the
20 CEDAW since the year of ratification,
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22 Noting the Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF) conducted a thorough review of how
23 India is following through on their CEDAW commitment and found it lacking,
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25 Stating the nation state of India has either moderately and even completely rejected the recommendations of
26 the 2014 WILPF review,
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28 1. Calls upon the member states of the UN to support an immediate boycott of Indian exports until a full,
29 favorable WILPF panel review is conducted from July 31, 2019 - Jan 31, 2020.

	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 16
		Sponsored by Ireland
Sponsors: Rylan Woosley, Wyatt Shannonhouse, Gavin Tiesing		Committee: C
School: South Oldham MS		Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Crestwood		

1 A Convention to lower the gap between higher and lower class in Ireland
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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Alarmed by the gap created by the higher and lower classes due to 20% of the higher class earning five times
6 more than the lower class. Note that the economy is quickly rising, and that gap is still a prominent issue that is
7 lacking a fix where 1 out of every 6 people live in poverty.
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9 Deeply concerned that there is an abundance of poverty, and not enough banks and workers.
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11 Keeping in mind , that Ireland has a total of 87 banks opposed their neighboring country, France, that has 400
12 banks in total
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14 Fully aware, that the Irish government contributes and agrees to place one bank in each of the five least
15 financial parts of Ireland and that this could help not just to eliminate the financial gap, just by allowing the
16 people to open savings accounts, etc., but offering more job opportunities for impoverished people, such as
17 accountants and bank workers.
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19 Convinced that it will cost \$120 per square foot with a total of \$120,000 in total for all 5 banks.
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21 1. Calls upon the UN Development program for \$120,000 fund for all of the banks.
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23 2. Further resolves lack of accountants/jobs and the gap between high and low classes
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25 3. Designated to those who makes less than \$218.90 a week or less, or \$11,422.81 or less annually.
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27 4. Reminded that there will be no cost to civilians.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 18
	Sponsored by Italy
	Committee: D
Sponsors: Ty Clayton, Jonah Punnett	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: South Oldham MS	
City: Crestwood	

1 A Convention to Enable The UNODC To Help Decrease Drug Crime Rates

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3 The General Assembly,

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5 Deeply Disturbed that Italy’s drug crime rates are at an all time high,

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7 Recalling that the UNODC has already worked in other countries such as Cambodia, Indonesia, and Myanmar,

8 with outstanding success.

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10 Emphasizing that the UN charter on Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs enforces this on many other countries,

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12 Conscious of the efforts made by the Italian police in order to try and help their drug epidemic,

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14 Aware that 20.7% of young adults ages 15-34 are addicted to some form of drug,

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16 Seeing that 205,200 people in Italy are high risk opioid users due to the readily available supply, from the lack

17 of law enforcement,

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19 Deeply Disturbed that only 62,868 opioid addicts in Italy are seeking rehabilitation,

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21 1. Calls Upon the UN Office on Drugs and Crimes to set up an organization to stop drug crime in Italy.


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23 2. Requests the UNODC report drug crime rates every year to the UN

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25 3. Urge UNODC officials to provide helpful rehabilitation plans to previously and newly incarcerated

26 citizens.

	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 19
	Sponsors: Emily Delk, Holly Higgs, Kaitlyn Zocklein, Joseph Randolph	Sponsored by Kenya
School: St. Athanasius ES	Committee: C	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Louisville		

1 Assistance for Mental Health Treatment and Awareness in Kenya

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The General Assembly,

Convinced that mental illness affects one out of every four people in Kenya,

Fully aware that the neglect of mental illness sufferers goes against Article I of the U.N. Universal Declaration of Human Rights,


Realizing that because of all the physical diseases and illnesses, mental health has been long ignored in Kenya and other African countries in the region,

Conscious that there has been little to no effort to prevent the abuse of the mentally ill within Kenya,


Deeply concerned that millions of Kenyans are currently suffering from schizophrenia, depression, and more mental health conditions with no access to care or treatment,

Keeping in mind that depression is the leading cause of suicide in Kenya, and 550 citizens took their lives in 2017,

1. Calls upon the UN to provide funding for mental health clinics to diagnose and treat mental illnesses in Kenya;
2. Recommends that mental illness awareness becomes apart of the curriculum of schools in Kenya to make recognizing the symptoms easier;
3. Further requests that the UN set up classes for volunteers taught by professionals to work in clinics to help spread mental health awareness.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 21
	Sponsored by Mexico
	Committee: A
Sponsors: Rheagan Lindsey, Sloan Hampton, Sophi Park	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: University Heights Academy MS	
City: Hopkinsville	

1 Creating a Safer Environment to Report and Address Enforced Disappearances in Mexico
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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Deeply concerned 37,435 individuals in the country of Mexico have been unaccounted for as of April 2018, and
6 that number persistently increasing,
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8 Recalling the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances article 5,
9 "The widespread or systematic practice of enforced disappearances contributes a crime against humanity as
10 defined in applicable international law and shall attract the consequences proved for under such applicable
11 international law,"
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13 Emphasizing resolution 47/133 article 2 section 2, "States shall act at the national and regional levels and in
14 cooperation with the United Nations to contribute by all means to the prevention and eradication of enforced
15 disappearances,"
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17 Guided by the efforts of the International Commission on Missing Persons which provides assistance to
18 governments and or local organizations in identifying and recovering any missing persons,
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20 Welcoming the statement made by the United Nations Secretary General calling for an end to the atrocious
21 amount of disappearances in Mexico,
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23 1. Requests the government of Mexico to cease their forced disappearances of their citizens;
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25 2. Calls upon the United Nations Human Rights Council [UNHRC] to enforce Mexico's government acts
26 accordingly International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances;
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28 3. Further requests an annual report of all missing persons be submitted to UNHRC
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30 4. Encourages the government of Mexico and UNHRC to work closely with each other to eradicate this
31 issue;
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33 5. Urges any other countries with this problem to take action with this resolution.


 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 22
	Sponsored by Morocco
Sponsors: Jessica Przybysz, Ashley Stephens	Committee: C Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: North Oldham MS	
City: Goshen	

Resolution on gender equality

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Recognizing that Morocco needs to adjust its current laws involving women's rights to comply with international
6 human rights agreements,
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8 Convinced that Morocco, and other countries where child marriage as well as gender inequality for inheritance,
9 employment and parenting are allowed, would like to change their current laws,
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11 Deeply disturbed by the number of women who across the globe are not treated fairly,
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13 Emphasizing the gender inequalities we are currently wanting to address are those where young girls are forced
14 to marry, women are not allowed to have children out of wedlock, women are not allowed to accept an
15 inheritance and women are either not allowed to work outside the home or if they are, are paid substantially
16 less,
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18 Recalling that in 2017, the Moroccan government rejected 44 of the UN recommendations filed by the UN
19 Human Rights Council but are now in agreement that they would like to take a second look at the UN
20 recommendations.

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- 22 1. Calls upon the UN to provide a list of recommendations to Morocco and other governments that have
- 23 laws that are in violation of the UN human rights council on gender equality;
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- 25 2. Requests that the UN allow these governments to seek advice from the UN on how to best implement
- 26 and educate their citizens on the new laws they create.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 23
	Sponsored by Netherlands
	Committee: C
Sponsors: Miles Yelton, Kaelen Perkins, Nora Middendorf, Sarah Grunkemeyer	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Beechwood ES	
City: Ft. Mitchell	

The Effects of Air and Water Pollution in the Netherlands

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The General Assembly,

Deeply convinced pollution is causing major respiratory diseases in the Netherlands and across Europe,


Fully aware pollution is contributing to increasing bladder cancer and lung cancer rates,

Taking into consideration the carbon-dioxide emissions have risen by 15% between 1990 and 2010,

Deeply concerned by the fact that air pollution is the third leading cause in death in the Netherlands following smoking and obesity,

Further deploring the fact that pollution is taking over the Netherlands and Europe and efforts must be made eliminate it.

1. Calls upon the UN to promote more solar/air/water-operating materials/machines and electrically powered cars;
2. Requests each country member provide twenty-five college student volunteers to assist in clearing pollution and form initiatives with the intent of teaching communities about the harmful effects of pollution to human health;
3. Encourages the UN to recommend strict regulations and possible fines on offending nations.

	<p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION</p> <p>KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY</p> <p>United Nations Resolution</p>	<p>Resolution # 24</p>
	<p>Sponsors: Cohen Miller, Ella Nash, Haley Bradshaw, Luke Beaver</p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> <p>New Zealand</p>
<p>School: Daviess Co. MS</p>	<p>Committee: D</p>	<p>Action on Resolution</p> <p>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</p>
<p>City: Owensboro</p>		

Adequate Funding for Emergency Medical Services

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The General Assembly,


Taking into consideration that many towns and areas of New Zealand only have one or two ambulances ready for duty at any given time. This causes the service to be more expensive, and less people can be saved in life threatening situations,

Bearing in mind the emergency medical services are only 70% funded by the government, as the rest comes from donations, charities, and fundraising. The medical emergency services are then acting as a charity rather than a government service. Since these emergency services are so underfunded, there is not equal access. Plus, some of the elderly population is unwilling to call emergency medical services because they know they may not be reached in time,


Regrets that New Zealand has wasted millions of dollars on trivial, unimportant, and non-essential items, Noting with deep concern that this is common around the world, and in some cases, much worse,

Recalling the Universal Declaration of Human Rights in Article 21, Section 2. It states, "Everyone has the right of equal access to public service in his country."

1. Requests that the United Nations ask all countries of the world to examine their government spending, and reduce the amount of money wasted on items that are not important, and shifting those funds to the underfunded medical emergency services,
2. Hopeful that New Zealand will become a model nation to the rest of the world in correcting this problem.

	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 28
	Sponsors: Zayn Ingram-Farris, Daryl Turner, Arianna Hopper	Sponsored by Republic of Korea
School: Holmes MS	Committee: D	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Covington		

1 A resolution to establish restrictions on activities causing pollution affecting South Korea
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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Observing the vast difference of air Quality from American Cities to that of Asia cities, including South Korea’s
6 capital Seoul,
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8 Recognizing that South Korea is continuing to suffer from smog that has a national average of roughly 100
9 micrograms of pollutants per cubic meter,
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11 Confident that that much of the pollution is coming from mainland Asian countries such as China and India,
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13 Alarmed by this excessive level of pollution in South Korea’s air, it is of dire need that this assembly demand a
14 quick and effective solution,
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16 Well aware that South Korea also needs to invest in cleaner energy and manufacturing means,
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18 Determined to mimic the standards of air quality in America,
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20 1. Calls Upon the United Nations Environment Assembly to assist South Korea and the whole of Southeast
21 Asia to develop a smooth and effective transition to cleaner and more environmentally friendly
22 standards;
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24 2. Expresses its hope that this agreement will allow for clearer air in South Korea and all Southeastern
25 Asian countries.

	<p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION</p> <p>KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY</p> <p>United Nations Resolution</p>	<p>Resolution # 29</p>
	<p>Sponsors: Nhu Lau, Paige Heselschwerdt, Taya Bunch, Mia Hardy</p> <p>School: Farnsley MS</p> <p>City: Louisville</p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> <p>Russian Federation</p> <p>Committee: C</p> <p>Action on Resolution</p> <p>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</p>

1 Preserving the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty between Russia and the United States

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3 The General Assembly,

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5 Deeply concerned that the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty (INF) is being violated,

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7 Considering that the United States and Russia have two of the largest nuclear weapon stockpiles,

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9 Reaffirming that any nuclear weapon that is in launching distance of 300 to 3,420 miles is in violation of the

10 INF Treaty,

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12 Fully aware of the past nuclear tension that has taken place leading to an arms race between the United States

13 and Russia,

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15 Keeping in mind if the integrity of this treaty is not preserved, it could result in a nuclear war, and would not

16 only affect Russia and the United States, but would ensure the downfall of global stability,

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18 1. Calls upon the United Nations to act as a mediator for the United States and Russia in diplomatic peace

19 conferences

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21 2. Calls upon the United Nations to monitor that both country’s nuclear weapons are within the guidelines

22 of the INF treaty

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24 3. Calls upon the United Nations to help update the INF treaty to accommodate new technologies, such as

25 Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs)

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27 4. Calls upon the United Nations to preserve the INF treaty between Russia and the United States in

28 perpetuity.


 <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution</p>	Resolution # 32
	Sponsored by South Sudan
Sponsors: Pierce Proctor, Levi Lucas	Committee: D Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: North Oldham MS	
City: Goshen	

Resolution on humanitarian aid needed in South Sudan

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Convinced that more than 6 million South Sudanese, more than half of the country's population, didn't have
6 enough food to sustain themselves in 2018,
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8 Bearing in mind, that more than 4 million people are displaced because of hunger, including 2.2. million who
9 have fled to neighboring countries,
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11 Recalling that article 25 in the Declaration of Human Rights, everyone has the right to an adequate standard of
12 living, including food,
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14 Recognizing that many organizations are already helping South Sudan but still millions are without adequate
15 food daily,
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17 Realizing that humanitarian assistance alone cannot solve the problems. Only a political solution can provide
18 the peace that is needed for people to rebuild lives and livelihoods.
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20 1. Calls upon the UN to increase their aid to South Sudan in order to temporarily help the people have
21 enough food;
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23 2. Requests the UN work with the South Sudanese government to come up with a political solution to
24 rebuilding the lives of the Sudanese people who are displaced.

	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 33
		Sponsored by Spain
Sponsors: Jordan Wonka, Josie York, Mara Passmore, Layla Raczynski		Committee: E
School: North Oldham MS		Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Goshen		

1 Providing international aid to prevent the further decentralization of the Spanish government
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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Reminding all nations of Spain’s local government being more powerful than it’s central.
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7 Reaffirming that Spain values equality and that Spanish citizens, wherever they live, must be treated equally. With the rise
8 in autonomous regions inequality and discrimination prevails among Spanish citizens.
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10 Recalling that this is a large problem globally seeing that 80-100% of countries worldwide have experimented with some
11 form of decentralization.
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13 Stressing the fact that Spain’s government issues have impacted not only other countries but the equality in it’s
14 autonomous regions, we would like to ask the United Nations (UN) for aid in centralizing the Spanish Government.
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16 Encourages all relevant agencies of the UN to collaborate more closely with Spain’s federal and local governments.
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18 Additionally confirming the importance of reinforcing public administration for development and emphasized the need for
19 cooperation among United Nations departments and agencies in the government.
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21 Demanding that, efforts must be taken to centralize Spain’s government, so that Spain as a nation can have the same
22 equality’s.
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24 Reaffirming that this will be used as a model for other countries facing similar issues with autonomous regions and
25 decentralized governments.
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27 1. Encourages all relevant agencies of the UN to collaborate more closely with Spain’s federal and local governments.
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29 2. Additionally confirming the importance of reinforcing public administration for development and emphasized the
30 need for cooperation among United Nations departments and agencies in the government.
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32 3. Demanding that, efforts must be taken to centralize Spain’s government, so that Spain as a nation can have the
33 same equality’s.
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35 4. Reaffirming that this will be used as a model for other countries facing similar issues with autonomous regions and
36 decentralized governments.

	<p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION</p> <p>KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY</p> <p>United Nations Resolution</p>	<p>Resolution # 34</p>
		<p>Sponsored by Sudan</p>
<p>Sponsors: Elysia Jackson, Brooke Satterly, Connor Price, Catherine Schilder</p>		<p>Committee: C</p>
<p>School: Scott Co. MS</p>		<p>Action on Resolution</p>
<p>City: Georgetown</p>		<p>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</p>

Devastating Floods of Sudan

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The General Assembly,

Alarmed by horrific effects of flooding in Sudan including contamination of drinking water which results in illness and death,


Deeply concerned that Sudan is facing the worst floods in over 25 years, destroying more than 19,000 homes and affecting people in 15 of its 18 states,

Emphasizing the fact that according to the Government Humanitarian Aid Commission over 250,000 people in Sudan have been affected by the flooding which is more than double the number of people in previous years,

1. Urges the UN Human Settlements Program to work with Habitat for Humanity to build stable homes providing adequate shelter from floods in Sudan;
2. Calls upon the United Nations Industrial Development Organization(UNIDO) to assist with the construction of water drainage systems directed to reservoirs to be used for the production of potable water;
3. Requests the World Health Organization to work with organizations such as the Water Project in order to provide filtration systems at public water sources;
4. Supports the Sudan's government in building hydroelectric dams in order to help control water flooding while also creating jobs and generating power.

	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 35
	Sponsors: Mia Carver, Kinsey Utterback	Sponsored by Taiwan
School: Rowan Co. MS	Committee: E	Action on Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
City: Morehead		

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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Noting the deep concern related to the level of air pollution in Taiwan
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7 Recalling this topic has been brought to the attention of the United Nations on multiple occasions.
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9 Emphasizing that the Declaration of Human Rights states, In Article 25, Everyone has the right to a standard of
10 living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family, including food, clothing, housing and
11 medical care and necessary social services, and the right to security in the event of unemployment, sickness,
12 disability, widowhood, old age or other lack of livelihood in circumstances beyond control.
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14 Conscious that steps have been taken by Taiwan to reduce the level of air pollution.
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16 Bearing in mind, that Taiwan has significantly reduced many of the most prevalent and dangerous pollutants,
17 but the situation appears due almost as much to the polluted air sweeping across the Taiwan Strait from China
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19 Determined to reduce the air pollution and improve the quality of life in the Taiwan,
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21 1. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to purchase large air purifiers to reduce air pollution.
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23 2. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to increase public transportation.
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25 3. Calls upon the United Nations to provide funding to increase research related to reducing air pollution
26 from passenger vehicles.
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28 4. Calls upon the United Nations to conduct air pollution tests on the current air quality now, as well each
29 year following for 10 years.
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31 5. Calls upon the United Nations to implement sanctions the People’s Republic of China to encourage them
32 to reduce the air pollutants that they are emitting on the mainland. [This is increasing the air pollution
33 in Taiwan]

	<p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION</p> <p>KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY</p> <p>United Nations Resolution</p>	<p>Resolution # 37</p>
	<p>Sponsors: Molly Barker, Maddie Brother, Caitlyn Kiper</p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> <p>Turkey</p>
<p>School: McNabb MS</p>	<p>Committee: A</p>	<p>Action on Resolution</p> <p>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</p>
<p>City: Mt. Sterling</p>		

1 A proposal to create RAINN task force to protect Turkish children from child sexual abuse.

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3 The General Assembly,

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5 Deeply concerned about the percentage of Turkey affected by child sexual abuse.

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7 We are fully aware that child sexual abuse affects more than just our country of Turkey, however in this country

8 alone sexual child abuse rates have risen over 700% in the past ten years, and 18 out of every 100 people who

9 get married were sexually abused as a child.

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11 Noting further, the number of cases reported for sexual child abuse worldwide is 90,000 a year.

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13 Knowing out of these 90,000 cases world wide 1/9 of them are found in turkey can be concerning.

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15 We plan to create a task force with RAINN that will help to further the prevention of sexual child abuse in

16 turkey and better the safety of all kids, and our future generations. We would also like to extend the prison


17 sentence from 15 years to a life sentence.

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19 The RAINN will send in officials to turkey to observe and punish any signs of any sexual child abuse.

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21 This task force will go into effect May, 2023.

 <p style="text-align: center;"> KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution </p>	Resolution # 38
	Sponsored by Uganda
	Committee: D
Sponsors: Emily Clark, Lauren Dinunzi, Landon Akers, Henry McDowell	Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: St. Athanasius ES	
City: Louisville	

Assistance to Fund Child Labor Reform in Uganda

The General Assembly,

Fully aware that in 2017, Uganda made moderate advancements in efforts to eliminate child labor, however, it is not enough because children in Uganda engage in the worst forms of child labor in commercial sexual exploitation, as well as dangerous manual labor,


Approving that approximately \$9 million was set aside by the Ugandan government to a program that aims to reduce youth unemployment through enterprise development, job creation, and business skills training,

Recognizing that more funding is needed, to train law enforcement agencies to conduct child labor inspections and investigations,

Taking into consideration, gaps in the legal framework persist that contradict laws regulating the minimum age for employment,

Deeply concerned that existing programs are inadequate to address child labor in the country, "Child Labor - Uganda." United States Department of Labor, 19 Sept. 2018, www.dol.gov/agencies/ilab/explore-our-resources/reports/child-labor/uganda.

1. Calling for the assistance of UNICEF, the United Nation Children's Fund that is already present in Uganda to help fund continuing efforts in the country to protect children and prevent dangerous child labor;
2. Asking the UN to contribute funds to the Ugandan government to pay for law enforcement to conduct child labor inspections and investigations.

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 39
	Sponsored by United Kingdom
Sponsors: Caleb Gargus, Gabe Neves, Hakeem Kalik, Leah Zimmerman	Committee: C Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: Daviess Co. MS	
City: Owensboro	

Combating Human Trafficking

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The General Assembly,


Convinced that human trafficking has reached the level of an epidemic, not only in the United Kingdom, but around the world,

Deeply Disturbed that the 24.9 million people are currently being trafficked for modern day slavery, and only 9,000 traffickers were convicted in courts around the world,

Alarmed by the insensitivity of world governments by not prioritizing the effort to end this and spend adequate money in doing so. Currently, traffickers make \$150 billion per year, and the world is vastly behind in spending to try to stop it. Even the United States only spends \$120 million per year, less than 1% of the profits made by criminals. The city of London's police force, one of the largest cities in the world, only spends \$3 million per year, and only 2 out of 45 British police departments reported spending an adequate amount of money to combat trafficking,

Bearing in mind that the United Nations "Trafficking Victims Protection Act" only gives minimal suggestions to stop trafficking, Recalling that the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights, Article 4, states: No one shall be held in slavery or servitude; slavery and the slave trade shall be prohibited in all their forms.

1. Requests that the world as a whole spends and adequate amount of money to combat trafficking. Each country shall spend according to their GDP,
2. Further requests that an international database be readily available for all nations to use at their border crossings and ports of entry, and make it an international crime to fail to report any activity that has anything to do with trafficking. That includes using known trafficked workers, or knowingly aiding a trafficker,
3. Recommends that medical or mental care be more easily accessible for victims of human trafficking regardless of their legal status in that country.

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution # 40
	Sponsored by United States
Sponsors: Kali Gross, Gabby Wang, Harper Larkin, Riley Pace	Committee: B Action on Resolution ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed ___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
School: South Oldham MS	
City: Crestwood	

1 A Convention to Provide More Funding for Foster Parents in the United States
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3 The General Assembly,
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5 Bearing in mind that in 2016, there were over 687,000 children who spent time in foster care. On any given
6 day, there are nearly 438,000 kids in foster care,
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8 Alarmed by the fact that foster parents only get paid around \$700 a month per child, which is not enough to
9 properly care for the child,
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11 Aware that it costs over \$1,100 on average to properly care for a child every month,
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13 Determined to give foster children equal opportunities as children who are not in the foster care system,
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15 1. Therefore taking \$160,000,000 from the UNCIEF and giving it to the United States foster system.
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17 2. Expecting to start a new fund for foster participants so we will not be seriously damaging the UNCIEF
18 funds.
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