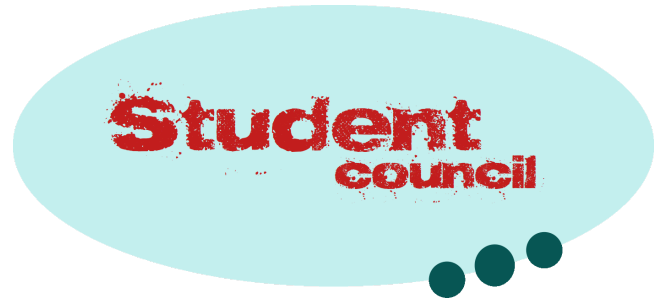


Student council – make a difference!

A student council (also known as a student union or associated student body) is a curricular or extracurricular activity for students within elementary and secondary schools around the world. These councils are present in most public and private schools across the United States, Canada, Australia and Asia. Student councils often serve to engage students in learning about democracy and leadership.

The student council helps share students' ideas, interests, and concerns with teachers and school principals. They often also help raise funds for school-wide activities, including social events, community projects, helping people in need and school reform. Most schools participate in food drives, fundraisers and parties. Many members learn skills that were an extension of their formal education.



While watching the video, answer the following questions:

What was last year's project?

What is this year's project?

After watching the video, match the sentence halves:

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| A The „Centipede Project“ | came up with the idea for the „Friendship bench“ | 1 |
| B The student council team | helps orphanages in Romania. | 2 |
| C A student | collects things and money for charity. | 3 |

Our projects for student council