



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba



Working in partnership

SYP supporting the work of the SP in reaching greater numbers of young people

Objective 1

To grow the representation of the views of young people in the work of SP Committees and in wider parliamentary business. A baseline will be established by the SP during 2018/19 before targets for growth are set.

Objective 2

To support requests for working together by SYP and SP Committees to strengthen each other's work with young people by trialling different ways of working, holding inter-organisation quarterly staff catch ups to share learning and ensuring this learning is shared with Members of both Parliaments.

Improving links between MSYPs and their constituency and regional MSP counterparts

Objective 3

To support improved relationships and understanding between MSPs and MSYPs by continuing to offer opportunities to meet and work together. This will include a SYP Member sponsored exhibition in the SP within 5 months after each SP election.

SYP Sitings at Scottish Parliament

Objective 4

SP hosts once every 2 years in the March following the SYP elections with the agreement of SYP partners and future SPCBs.

Building relationships between staff in the organisations

Objective 5

To grow positive working relationships between both organisation's staff to enable continuous improvement and proactive workload management, through an agreed and shared delivery plan.

Training and development for MSYPs

Objective 6

To enhance the knowledge of MSYPs on how to engage with the SP and its Committees, and ensure those MSYPs are better equipped to represent the views of their constituents in the SP in line with the SYP Skills Audit.

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