

**Delegates that do not submit position papers will not be eligible for awards!!**

**BASIC RULES:**

- Copying and pasting from websites, books, or other sources, counts as plagiarism and will be easily detected
- Use Footnotes for your sources
- Font: Times New Roman.
- Font size: 12
- Line spacing: 1,5
- Provide information in a logical order by zooming gradually in on the aspect (within the topic) you are considering; write a position paper that follows this process.
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- In order to highlight important information, use subheadings and numbered lists to break down the instructions into concise, single-task chunks.

# Position Paper



**Name and Surname**

**Country**

**Committee**

**School**

## **Titlr of the topic**

### **Topic overview**

In the overview you should give an outline about the topic, the research report will also help you with this. Considering these questions might also be helpful:

- What is the current situation concerning the topic?
- Can the problem escalate to the neighboring countries, the region or the whole world?
- Why exactly is it important for your country to contribute to the solution finding process?

### **Your country's position**

In this part, you should gather more information about your country's involvement in this topic. Consider the following questions:

- How is your country affected by this issue on a national level?
- How is your country affected or involved on an international level, including resolutions, conventions, declarations that your country supports and what your country's most important goals regarding the issue.
- When lobbying, defining possible allies beforehand will make your job so much easier.
- In this section, you can insert graphs and statistics: doing this kind of research will be very helpful in the debate. A timeline of events can also be helpful to keep information organized
- Quotes taken from speeches made by heads of the government and / or government representatives, statistics regarding the issue can also be included

<b>Solutions</b>
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This part is for the solutions you should come up with for the debate. Putting them in a logical order of importance can help throughout the debate. Consider following questions:

- What actions have been taking by the UN, your country or other United Nations member states or Non Government Organizations?
- What actions have been successful?
- What actions have been proven to be unsuccessful?

If needed you can also include a few operative phrases

**Reuse this template for the other issues.**