The Know Your Government (KYG) Conference is designed for youth in grades 8 to 9 to learn how government decision making works, how the judicial system works, and meet teens from across the state and more!

**Conference Changes for 2021**

We will **Reunite at KYG in 2021 in a new and exciting way**! Steering Committee (SC) youth will be hosting a hybrid conference from Boise, ID. Youth delegates and chaperones will join from their homes via Zoom on February 13th and travel to a face-to-face district location on February 14 for committee hearings and mock trials. District sites will be hosted by Steering Committee adults, locations to be announced on the registration materials available November 20. Lunch and breaks will be provided on February 14.

If you have questions or need further information about KYG please contact Donna R. Gillespie at donna@uidaho.edu or 208-312-4109

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**PROPOSED SCHEDULE:**

Friday, February 12 – SC prepares for conference in Boise, ID

Saturday, February 13 – SC Youth host KYG conference via Zoom for delegates from Boise, ID

Sunday, February 14 – KYG delegates and chaperones travel to district sites to participate in committee hearings (legislative) and mock trials (judicial). Keynote will speak during lunch. 2022 KYG SC applications are due, interviews to be held after conference, via Zoom.

Monday, February 15 – SC will host Legislative Breakfast (restricted to less than 50 attending) in Boise, ID.

**REGISTRATION:**

Nov. 20 - Jan. 6 - KYG open in 4-H Online. Please note: youth and adults must be enrolled in the appropriate project, and active status in 4-H Online in order to register for the KYG Conference as either delegates, chaperones, or steering committee.

Registration fees will be reduced and will be announced on the registration materials available November 20. Registration is limited to 40 youth delegates and 4 adult chaperones for each UI Extension district.

More information about the Know Your Government Conference is posted on our website at: https://www.uidaho.edu/extension/4h/events/know-your-government