

2025/26 Youth Advisory Panel

The UK Cyber Security Council is excited to announce we are recruiting members to join our second Youth Advisory Panel. The Panel will continue to provide a youth voice across every part of the Council, lead projects, and raise awareness of routes into the profession.

So far, the Panel has

- o Led careers webinars inspiring other young people
- o Advised the Council on establishing entry-level cyber pathways
- Represented young people in decision-making across the Council in committees and working groups
- o Created and maintained an Instagram account (@uk_cybersecuritycouncil).

Panel members have

- o Received support to enhance their personal and professional development
- o Influenced the Council's decision-making
- o Joined a new cyber security community.

Who can apply?

16 to 25-year-olds based in the UK with a passion for cyber security.

Expected commitment

Successful candidates will serve a voluntary position on the Panel from April 2025 to April 2026 with the opportunity to be re-appointed at the end of the term. The role will include meetings and project work, and we expect it to be approximately 4-6 hours of their time per month. The Council will also cover the cost of a Basic disclosure check for all Panel members.

Key dates

Applications go live on Monday 20 January and close on Sunday 9 February. We will invite shortlisted candidates for a video call for the week commencing 17 February.

How to apply

If you would like to apply, complete the application form available here: **https://wkf.ms/3PLUMXP** by 17:00 on Sunday 9 February. We may close applications early if we receive a very high number of applications.

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