



FAQs

2ND AFRICA CHILDREN'S SUMMIT HOSTED BY SOUTH AFRICA

1. What is the Africa Children Summit?

The Africa Children's Summit (ACS) is a three-day child-led Pan-African conference that unites children aged between 10 and 17 from all over the continent to facilitate dialogue between policymakers and children.

2. What are the objectives of the summit?

- To dialogue on what needs to be done to make the Africa Children want.
- Generate and share evidence – based child rights concerns and challenges in Africa.
- Propose key policy recommendations on how Africa can address child protection challenges.
- Documentation and packaging of key issues, advocacy asks and recommendations into an outcome statement
- To recognize State parties, organizations and individuals contributing to the wellbeing of children in Africa; and
- To come up with a children's action plan on making the Africa they want.

3. When and where is it happening?

The summit will take place on August 9-12, 2024, at St John's College and Roedean School for Girls in Johannesburg, South Africa.

4. What is the tagline of the 2024 ACS summit?

The tagline of the 2024 ACS is - Seen, Heard and Engaged in Education.

5. What is the theme for the 2024 ACS summit?

The theme for the 2024 ACS is Child Health, and the subthemes are physical health, mental health, social determinants, preventative care, environmental health, and access to health care.



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6. Where can children register to participate?

Children aged 10-17 can register at <https://acs.nelsonmandelachildrensfund.com/> and space is limited to 200 in person and 300 online.

7. How can adults register to participate? TBA

8. When does registration for children close? 31 July 2024

9. What are the official hashtags for the ACS? #SeenHeardEngaged #ACF24

10. Which social media accounts can we tag?

Facebook: Nelson Mandela Childrens Fund

Instagram: @NMCF_SA

X/Twitter: @nmcf_sa

LinkedIn: Nelson Mandela Children's Fund

11. Who can I contact if I have questions?

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