

## MUN/COP26 Social Media

Day 1:

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The MUN teaches young people and students about diplomacy and international relations, as well as encourages critical thinking, public speaking and debating. Through MUN, students gain awareness of current affairs, politics, and global issues of importance, and develop the necessary skills to become the future world leaders.

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The 26th Conference of Parties (COP26) on Climate Change is currently taking place in Glasgow, from 1 November until 12 November. The Conference of Parties is the annual United Nations climate change conference, where world leaders and various representatives from around the globe attend to address the global climate crisis and discuss solutions for a healthier, greener future.

Day 2:

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Model United Nations (MUN) is a simulation of the United Nations for educational purposes, whereby students enact international conferences and summits, and represent different countries or global representatives. The students engage and discuss world issues in a conference/summit set-up, as it would be done by the United Nations.

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COP26 is a crucial summit as countries unite in battling climate change, especially after the momentous Paris Agreement at the COP21 in 2015 in Paris. This year, the COP needs to be even more decisive in taking action in the coming decade, to limit rising temperatures and curb climate change before 2030.

Day 4:

*Post 1 Copy- COP26 post with trendy hashtag*

This year, the set goals for the COP26 are:

- Secure global net zero by mid-century and keep 1.5 degrees within reach
- Adapt to protect communities and natural habitats
- Mobilise finance
- Work together to deliver

The last goal is essential for the rest of the goals – global nations need to work together. We will be #BetterTogether, because we are #OnePlanetOneFuture, and there is #NoPlanetB!

Day 5

*MUN Generic post*

Did you know? The Model United Nations was based on student-led League of Nations simulations called “international assemblies”, and the first of these was held in 1921 at Oxford University. That means, the concept behind the MUN celebrates its 100-year anniversary this year!

Day 6

*Post 1 - MUN Generic*

Model United Nations assemblies follow strict procedure, as close to that of the real United Nations assemblies as possible. This includes debates, caucuses, speeches, and resolutions. This means delegates have the opportunity to practice real-world diplomacy and discussion for when they are the future leaders of the nation!

*Post 2 - COP26 Generic*

The COP26 summit is being held in Glasgow, United Kingdom, and it is an appropriate setting, because Glasgow is often referred to as “Dear Green Place”, which is the translation of the name ‘Glasgow’ from Gaelic. The city is also renowned for protecting its parks and green spaces, which makes it an ideal setting for a summit to tackle environmental issues!

Day 7  
Poll 1

To save on carbon emissions, (if not both!) would you rather...

Drive less/eat less meat

Poll 2

Do you believe Namibia can achieve carbon neutrality?

Yes/No

Question 1

What are the steps Namibians can take to help lower emissions by 91% over the next 5 years?

Question 2

Where was the historic COP21 in 2015?

- a) London
- b) Paris
- c) Berlin
- d) Geneva

Day 8

*COP26 Acknowledgement Post*

Today is the day! After lots of preparation and anticipation, the MUN conference is happening. We would like to extend our sincerest gratitude to everyone who was involved: MUN, UN Namibia, British High Commission, The Purple Fig Cooking School, Terra Events, Blok Media, and St. Georges. Without all these partners, the conference would not have been possible. Thank you to everyone who has participated and engaged with the conference. We look forward to many more MUN conferences in the future, and to solving the global climate crisis together!

Day 9

*Post COP26 Post*

Now that the COP26 has come to an end, it is time to take action! So, how can we as Namibians work towards achieving our nation's goals as established at the COP26? It is time that we figure out the next steps to create viable solutions. After a successful and informative MUN conference, we are confident that it is possible.