

What to expect **before** the conference:
Teachers/Parents/Club leaders

Will be provided (by IC 21):

- Eight lesson suggestions providing a template for teaching students the most important components of Model UN
- Country and committee assignments for all students
- Resources to help both teachers and students prepare for conference
- Tips for transportation & lodging if appropriate
- Contact information for those organizing Model UN

Will be expected to:

- Prepare students for conference, using any resources seen fit
- Assign countries and committees to students
- Arrange transportation & lodging for their students
- Read students' position papers and decide which delegate deserves the best position paper award

What to expect **during** the conference: **Teachers/Parents/Club leaders**

Will be provided:

- Schedule for the day
- Access to committee sessions, where students will be debating/demonstrating knowledge
- Refreshments & lunches

Will be expected to:

- Provide feedback on how to improve next year's conference

What to expect **before** the conference: **Students**

Will be provided:

- Country and committee assignments. Committees will focus on three topics that relate to one global issue, such as health, the environment, or security
- A background guide that gives an in-depth overview of all topics
- Resource suggestions that will help with research, writing, and preparation for the conference
- Lessons that will prepare students to write position papers, resolutions and to make speeches in committee

Will be expected to:

- Read background guides and then research their country's stance on each of the three topics explored in the background guides
- Write a position paper as a final product that explains their country's position on each topic and be prepared to speak about these positions

What to expect **during** the conference: **Students**

Will be provided:

- During registration the morning of the first day: credentials (placard, name card, schedule, etc.)
- Lunch
- Room assignments where all committee sessions will take place
- A chair and co-chair who will facilitate debate in committee, answer questions, and decide who deserves awards

Will be expected to:

- Be dressed in appropriate Western Business attire
- Bring their position papers to conference
- Engage in debate during committee
- Work with fellow delegates to write resolutions
- Listen to chairs and co-chairs
- Provide feedback on how to improve next year's conference