



United Nations Association of Australia Victorian Division



SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

ITALIAN LANGUAGE MODEL UNITED NATIONS IN 2023



Department of Education



United Nations Association of Australia, Victoria (UNAAV) and the Languages Unit - Department of Education invite VCE Italian students to participate in the Italian Language Model United Nations being held on Tuesday 1 August. The assembly is supported by the Victorian Association of Teachers of Italian (VATI) and will discuss the important topic of *Climate Action*.

A UNAAV Model UN simulates a full-day session of the United Nations General Assembly. The day is conducted entirely in the Italian language and through role-play and debate students have the opportunity to step into the shoes of country ambassadors and use their negotiation and diplomacy skills to express the views of their allocated country. Students present their country's position to the General Assembly, interact with other delegates during the caucus sessions, and move amendments to a Draft Resolution.

Information packs developed by UNAAV and translated by VATI, provide options to implement key learning areas of the VCE Italian common areas of study, including links to themes related to the changing world and Italian-speaking communities. This unique language immersion event is an opportunity for students to learn about international relations, the UN system and global issues in an engaging, dynamic environment, while developing their language skills.

Date: Tuesday August 1, 2023

Topic: *Combating Climate Change: Committing to Global Action*

Location: Victorian Academy of Teaching and Leadership, 603 Queensberry St, North Melbourne, 3051.

Cost: No registration fee

Catering: Lunch is generously provided by VATI for students and teachers. BYO morning tea and drink bottles.

Registration is simple – (no student names at this stage just desired number of students)

Click here to attend: <https://unaavic.wufoo.com/forms/z1irc5401pi0f7t/>

Places fill very quickly so please register as soon as possible

Registrations Close Friday 17 March or when full

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