



**What is the Equality
and Human Rights
Commission?**

The Commission is the leading organisation in Great Britain working to eliminate prejudice and discrimination and building a society based on fairness and respect.

Our work with young people includes the Our Space summer camp, the Young Brits at Art competition, youth debates and other activities. We work directly with young people, the youth sector and others to promote equality and human rights in schools, youth centres and local communities. More information can be found on:

www.equalityhumanrights.com/youth



CAN YOU FILL THIS SPACE?

Apply for a place at **Our Space** summer camp **2009** and become one of our young equality champions.

The closing date for application is **3 July**

Lake District, Sunday 9 August - Thursday 13 August 2009

Visit: www.equalityhumanrights.com/ourspace

‘There’s so much pressure to be what people call perfect. I don’t really understand it because if everyone looked the same it would be odd. It takes all of us to make the world.’

Dakota Blue Richards
Our Space summer camp 2008

What is Our Space?

Our Space is the Equality and Human Rights Commission’s annual summer camp for 14 and 15 year-olds. Its main objective is to give young people like you the skills, confidence and ideas to create a fairer society for all. Every year 100 young people from different backgrounds come together for a week of activities and training to help build their leadership skills and confidence.

This year’s programme includes outdoor activities, such as orienteering, navigation, first aid training, and canoeing and rafting. We will also run modules to discuss diversity, equality and rights and what it takes to be a leader.

Many of last year’s participants are still in touch with each other and take part in the Commission’s projects and events. Some of them will be peer leaders at Our Space 2009. They will work with you during the week to ensure that you enjoy it as much as they did.

Now it’s your turn. If you’re interested in meeting other young people from across Great Britain and the chance to make a real difference in your community, just apply online by **Friday 3 July**. Spaces are limited, so don’t delay!

How to apply

Visit: www.equalityhumanrights.com/ourspace to find out more and apply online.

If you would like to apply in an alternative way, please contact us.

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