



March 2 & 3, 2023

**Southeast
Alabama
Model
United
Nations**

**Co-Sponsored by: Wiregrass Writing Project &
Southeast Alabama Regional Inservice Center**

Model United Nations

The Wiregrass Writing Project and the Southeast Alabama Regional Inservice Center at Troy University will host the Southeast Alabama Model United Nations Assembly (SAMUN), March 2 & 3, 2023. Students will have the opportunity to experience the United Nations first-hand. Each delegation, limited to 7 **students**, will represent a different nation and decide important issues that affect the world.

Native Dress

All delegates are expected to dress in native dress of their nation.

Nation's Flag

Each nation's delegates shall make their own nation's flag. The flag must be made out of fabric, foam or felt, and the dimensions are to be precisely 9 inches by 11 inches. The flag is to be attached to a stick that is 18 inches long. A holder should also be prepared that will enable the flag to sit on the desk of the nation's delegation.

NOTE: The flag will be used by all nations' delegates to gain recognition in the General Assembly and will be used in the opening Roll Call of Nations.

Roll Call of Nations

At the opening session, a roll call will be made of every nation present. One member of each nation's delegation will give a 30-second welcome in the native tongue of the nation; a second delegate will interpret in English (more on this in the confirmation packet).

Number of Delegations

The number of delegations will be limited to 30. Delegations must be accompanied by a teacher, but can also have parents assist the advisor.

**ALL DEADLINES WILL BE STRICTLY
ENFORCED TO GIVE TEAMS ADEQUATE TIME
TO PREPARE FOR SAMUN.**

Special Recognition

Special recognition will be given to the following:

- Outstanding Native Dress
- Outstanding Delegates (Boy & Girl)
- Outstanding Resolution
- Outstanding Delegation
- Outstanding Flag/Presentations

Eligibility & Cost

- Any student in grades 6, 7, or 8
 - Nation fee **\$40.00** per nation
 - Students **\$40.00**
 - Advisors & Parents **\$40.00** each (**On-site Parents \$55.00**)
- Cost includes materials, badges, placard, and lunches.

Pre-Registration

A request for a nation will be made by completing the attached PRE-REGISTRATION sheet. **The deadline for the pre-registration requesting a nation is October 21, 2022. Upon receipt, the SAMUN Committee will notify each advisor their assigned nation(s) via email the following week.** The Delegate Registration Form is included with this flier, along with a sample resolution and instructions for writing a resolution. The United Nations Charter can be found online at:

<http://www.un.org/en/documents/charter/index.shtml>.

Resolutions & Registrations

Each advisor must submit a Delegate Registration Form by **December 2, 2022** and Resolution for each nation by **December 2, 2022**. **Resolution Book:** After all Resolutions and registration forms listing all delegates' names are received, the SAMUN Committee will distribute one copy of the Resolution Book to each registered delegate and advisor. We will also provide a Resolution Book for the number of parents listed on the Delegate Registration Form. The Resolution Book will contain all Resolutions, plus other information to be used in preparing a delegation to attend SAMUN.



Checklist for Preparing and Attending SAMUN

- _____ Send in the Pre-registration and Nation Selection form by **October 21, 2022**. Include \$40.00 per nation (i.e. \$40.00 per group of up to 6 requesting a nation). Confirmation of nation will be emailed to you the following week.
- _____ After receiving your nation, begin studying your nation. Complete the Delegate Registration form and postmark/email by **December 2, 2022**.
- _____ Prepare a Resolution and postmark/email by **December 2, 2022**. Send all fees at this time. **Please do not fax resolutions.**
- _____ Make your nation's flag (9 in x 11 in). (Commercially-made and purchased flags are unacceptable.)
- _____ Prepare native dress for each delegate that represents your nation.
- _____ Designate someone to give the welcome in native tongue and in English at the Roll Call of Nations at the opening assembly of SAMUN.
- _____ Hold practice sessions following procedure outlined in the information you will receive.
- _____ Attend SAMUN **March 2 & 3, 2023**.

Contact the SAMUN Committee at Troy University if you need additional help.

Phone: (334) 670-3495

**SAMUN Committee
Southeast Alabama Regional Inservice Center
025 Hawkins Hall
Troy University
Troy, AL 36082**

What Youth Gain From Participation

- New awareness of the world and international affairs
- Experiences with communication, compromise and consensus building skills
- Insight into the relationships of the United States and other nations
- Knowledge of other nations' history, cultural traditions, national interests, and international policies
- New friends from other schools and communities
- Fun, fellowship and a good time with a purpose
- Self-confidence, and an opportunity to learn by doing

March 2, 2023

8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Registration
8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	Opening Assembly
9:30 – 9:40 a.m.	Training Session
9:40 – 9:50 a.m.	Break
9:50 – 11:10 a.m.	Committee Meetings
11:20 a.m. – 12:40 p.m.	Lunch (Dining Hall)
12:40 – 2:20 p.m.	General Assembly
2:20 – 2:30 p.m.	Break
2:30 – 4:00 p.m.	General Assembly
4:00 – 4:15 p.m.	Break
4:15 p.m.	World Hunger Presentation

March 3, 2023

8:00 – 9:30 a.m.	General Assembly
9:30 – 9:40 a.m.	Break
9:40 – 10:50 a.m.	General Assembly
10:50 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.	Bloc Nations Meetings
11:20 a.m. – 12:40 p.m.	Lunch (Dining Hall)
12:40 – 1:20 p.m.	Security Council
1:20 – 2:00 p.m.	Awards Ceremony

2023 SAMUN Tentative Schedule



Pre-Registration and Nation Selection Form

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Pre-Registration Form Due: October 21, 2022

_____	_____	_____
Name of School	School Telephone	School Fax Number
_____	_____	_____
Teacher/Advisor (Contact Person)	Cell Phone Number	Home Telephone
_____	_____	_____
School Mailing Address	E-mail Address	
_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code

Number of Nations: _____
(A Nation must have at least 5 but no more than 7 students)

The Pre-registration fee is \$40.00 per nation: x \$40.00

Equals Total amount due: _____

Make checks payable to: Troy University

List in order of preference your three choices for the nations you would like to represent (Nation assignments are made on a first-come first-serve basis). The Security Council has 15 members. Those nations serving as permanent members are China, France, United Kingdom, Russia, and the United States; these have veto power. For the purpose of SAMUN, 10 additional nations will be considered members of the Security Council. The additional members of the Security Council will be selected by the SAMUN Advisory Committee.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

United Nations Member States

Afghanistan	Greece	Peru
Albania	Grenada	Philippines
Algeria	Guatemala	Poland
Andorra	Guinea	Portugal
Angola	Guinea Bissau	Qatar
Antigua and Barbuda	Guyana	Republic of Korea
Argentina	Haiti	Republic of Moldova
Armenia	Honduras	Romania
Australia	Hungary	RUSSIAN FEDERATION
Austria	Iceland	Rwanda
Azerbaijan	India	Saint Kitts and Nevis
Bahamas	Indonesia	Saint Lucia
Bahrain	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Bangladesh	Iraq	Samoa
Barbados	Ireland	San Marino
Belarus	Israel	Sao Tome and Principe
Belgium	Italy	Saudi Arabia
Belize	Jamaica	Senegal
Benin	Japan	Serbia
Bhutan	Jordan	Seychelles
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	Kazakhstan	Sierra Leone
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Kenya	Singapore
Botswana	Kiribati	Slovakia
Brazil	Kuwait	Slovenia
Brunei Darussalam	Kyrgyzstan	Solomon Islands
Bulgaria	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Somalia
Burkina Faso	Latvia	South Sudan
Burundi	Lebanon	South Africa
Cambodia	Lesotho	Spain
Cameroon	Liberia	Sri Lanka
Canada	Libya	Sudan
Cape Verde	Liechtenstein	Suriname
Central African Republic	Lithuania	Swaziland
Chad	Luxembourg	Sweden
Chile	Madagascar	Switzerland
CHINA	Malawi	Syrian Arab Republic
Colombia	Malaysia	Tajikistan
Comoros	Maldives	Thailand
Congo	Mali	The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
Costa Rica	Malta	Timor-Leste
Côte D'Ivoire	Marshall Islands	Togo
Croatia	Mauritania	Tonga
Cuba	Mauritius	Trinidad and Tobago
Cyprus	Mexico	Tunisia
Czech Republic	Micronesia (Federated States of)	Turkey
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Monaco	Turkmenistan
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Mongolia	Tuvalu
Denmark	Montenegro	Uganda
Djibouti	Morocco	Ukraine
Dominica	Mozambique	United Arab Emirates
Dominican Republic	Myanmar	UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
Ecuador	Namibia	United Republic of Tanzania
Egypt	Nauru	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
El Salvador	Nepal	Uruguay
Equatorial Guinea	Netherlands	Uzbekistan
Eritrea	New Zealand	Vanuatu
Estonia	Nicaragua	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)
Ethiopia	Niger	Viet Nam
Fiji	Nigeria	Yemen
Finland	Norway	Zambia
FRANCE	Oman	Zimbabwe
Gabon	Pakistan	ALL CAPS = Security Council Member
Gambia (Republic of The)	Palau	
Georgia	Panama	
Germany	Papua New Guinea	
Ghana	Paraguay	



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Delegate Registration Form**

Use one form per nation to register delegates.

Nation		
School	Teacher/Advisor (Contact Person)	
School Mailing Address	E-mail Address	
School Phone Number	Advisor Home Phone	Advisor Cell Phone
City	State	Zip Code

**Delegates (minimum of 5 and a maximum of 7 students)
Please PRINT or TYPE names clearly.**

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____

Total for Delegates (\$40.00 each):	
Total for Advisors (\$40.00 each):	
Total for Parents (\$40.00 each):	
Total amount enclosed with this form:	

Make checks payable to: Troy University

**Delegate Form Deadline:
December 2, 2022
(Names of Students and number
of parents attending)**

**Resolution Deadline:
December 2, 2022**

**Deadline for Refunds:
December 16, 2022**



Parent Registration Form

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Parent Registration Form Due: February 8, 2023
NO EXCEPTIONS

*After February 8, 2023, all parents and grandparents will have to pay on site and purchase their own meal ticket. Use a second sheet if more than 18 parents/grandparents.

Name of School	School Telephone	School Fax Number
Teacher/Advisor (Contact Person)	Cell Phone Number	Home Telephone
School Mailing Address	E-mail Address	
City	State	Zip Code

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____

Number of parents _____ **x \$40 =** _____ **Total**



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Deadlines:

**Pre-registration Form:
October 21, 2022**

**Delegate Registration Form:
December 2, 2022**

**Resolution:
December 2, 2022**

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Sample Resolution

Resolution Introductory Phrases

After you send in your Pre-Registration and Nation Selection Form, you will be notified by the SAMUN Committee of your Nation. Then begin preparing your resolution.

Preparing a Resolution can be an exciting part of SAMUN preparation. Be sure to involve every member of your nation in its preparation.

The Sample Resolution presents one idea. There are hundreds of others dealing with such subjects as world hunger, terrorism, boundary disputes between nations, establishing a study committee, nuclear weapons, pollution, education reform and others. However, be sure that you first study your nation and how it stands on world issues. Your Resolution should be written from your nation's point of view. The material you receive from the SAMUN Committee will help you begin studying more about your nation. The library will also provide information. Remember, you will be attending SAMUN as a representative of a nation. You're to act and think as closely as possible to that nation.

Before you get started with you Resolution, study the PREAMBULATORY and OPERATIVE clauses.

Each Resolution is a single sentence, with the different sections separated with semicolons and commas. The Resolution is divided into two parts: perambulatory and operative clauses.

PREAMBULATORY CLAUSES: These are the justifications for actions. They usually begin with present participles and denote Charter authorizations for actions, past Resolution precedents and statements about the particular purposes for the action.

OPERATIVE CLAUSES: These are the policy portion of the Resolution. Each of these starts with a verb, and taken as a whole, deals thoroughly with one idea arranged in a logical progression. Each clause should not be a collection of unrelated thoughts or statements on a broad topic, but should deal with only one aspect of the problem.

Resolution Introductory Phrases

Affirming	Expressing its satisfaction	Noting with satisfaction
Alarmed by	Fulfilling	Noting with deep concern
Approving	Fully aware of	Noting future
Aware of	Fully alarmed	Observing
Believing	Further deploring	Realizing
Confident	Further recalling	Reaffirming
Contemplating	Guided by	Recalling
Convinced	Having adopted	Recognizing
Declaring	Having considered	Referring
Deeply concerned	Having considered further	Seeking
Deeply convinced	Having devoted attention	Taking into account
Deeply disturbed	Having examined	Taking into consideration
Deeply regretting	Having studied	Taking note
Desiring	Having heard	Viewing with appreciation
Emphasizing	Having receiving	Welcoming
Expecting	Keeping in mind	
Expressing its appreciation	Noting with regret	

Operative Phrases

Accepts	Designates	Proclaims
Affirms	Emphasizes	Reaffirms
Approves	Encourages	Recommends
Authorizes	Endorses	Reminds
Calls	Expresses its appreciation	Regrets
Calls upon	Expresses its hopes	Requests
Condemns	Further invites	Solemnly affirms
Congratulates	Further proclaims	Strongly condemns
Confirms	Further reminds	Supports
Considers	Further recommends	Trusts
Declares accordingly	Further resolves	Takes note of
Deplores	Further requests	Transmits
Draws the attention	Notes	Urges

Use this sample Resolution as a guide for preparing a Resolution per nation.

- ❑ Use letter size (8 ½ in x 11 in) paper
- ❑ PREPARE Camera Ready (In final form...will print as submitted)
- ❑ Leave 1 inch margins on sides and top and bottom
- ❑ Begin numbering the lines 12 spaces from the left edge of paper
- ❑ Please do typing on 12 pitch
- ❑ One Resolution per nation
- ❑ Limit to not more than 2 pages (prefer 1 page)

Resolution # _____

(Leave blank on your resolution)

Introduced by: _____ Representing: _____
(Name of School) (Name of Nation)

Subject: A RESOLUTION TO ENSURE THAT THE PERSIAN GULF REMAINS OPEN
TO SHIPPING OF ALL NATIONS

The Southeast Alabama Model United Nations

(Organ)

↓ (Underline initiating phrases)

1 Realizing the world watches and waits as the war between Iran and Iraq escalates in the
2 Persian Gulf,

↓ (Indent 5 spaces)

3 Fully aware the conflict now endangers the security of not only Kuwait but the security
4 of the world, ← (Use comma to separate Preambulatory Clauses)

5 Convinced the deliberate attacks of these nations on shipping in the Persian Gulf
6 threatens to destabilize the energy resources of the nations depending on the oil imports
7 from the area known as the Middle East,

8 Keeping in mind world economic interdependence is directly connected to the flow
9 of oil out of the Persian Gulf,

10 Deeply concerned that unless this situation between Iran and Iraq is stabilized that
11 the economic welfare of the world is threatened with a major recession due to shortages of
12 oil,

13 Fully believing that the conflict, if allowed to continue, will eventually draw in other
14 Middle Eastern countries,

↓ (Number Operative Clauses)

15 1. Requests that a peacekeeping force be established in the Persian Gulf to ensure
16 that the Straits of Hormuz remain open to the shipping of all nations;

(Use semicolon to separate Operative Clauses) →

17 2. Further requests that the peacekeeping force be empowered to take any action
18 necessary to ensure peaceful passage through the Straits of Hormuz and the Persian Gulf;

19 3. Recommends peacekeeping force be composed of contingents from nations
20 that do not represent the interests of those nations involved in the Iran-Iraq conflict;

21 4. Calls for the peacekeeping force to be stationed at the Island of Bubiyan in order to
22 provide it with the best vantage point from which to stabilize the shipping lanes of the
23 Persian Gulf;

24 5. Urges that this Resolution take effect immediately upon passage.

Assigned to Committee# _____

(Leave blank on your Resolution)

Action in Committee: FAVORABLE UNFAVORABLE

Action in General Assembly: FAVORABLE UNFAVORABLE