

MAËLA HANOT--RENOVOIZÉ

2024/2025 WELFARE OFFICER MANIFESTO



✨ VOTE MAË FOR WELFARE ✨

ABOUT ME! 🤍

Hi everyone! My name is Maëla Hanot--Renvoizé (I don't expect you to know how to pronounce that, don't worry), my pronouns are she/her and I am running to be your next year JCR welfare officer :) I am a first year Joint Honours political science and social policy student. I'm from the Dominican Republic, France and Argentina. I had an amazing first year in halls and I really want to create the same safe atmosphere for future students. I also know that coming from a completely different culture / weather makes adjusting to a new life quite challenging, but that's what I'll be here for if you vote Maë4Welfare!

EXPERIENCE 💪

- Class rep for 7 years
- Student representative on student's council
- In charge of period positive campaign at old school
- Helped organised Solidarity day
 - accessible sports activities
 - fundraisers
- Participated in the organisation of a run for women's health research
- Volunteered in sports events to raise funds for youth cancer research
 - I was the coordinator between the charity and the school and I created a team of volunteers and runners
- Leader of solidarity and inclusion programs
 - I proposed projects, was the mediator between students and the board of directors and I supervised the creation of projects

✨ MANIFESTO ✨

SUPPORT

- I am aware of the challenges that come with moving out of your house for the first time, having to figure out where to buy your groceries, which stores are the cheapest, etc... I would therefore like to include an informative session/instagram post with recommendations on how/where to spend money for groceries and essentials
- I also know that changing countries, culture and weather can be very difficult. That is why I'd like to implement coffee mornings throughout the year for students of different ethnicities to be able to share their culture as well as meet people from the same country/culture/ethnicity
- Those of you who know me, or even just talked to me for 5 seconds, you know I adore my flatmates. I will do anything to bring them up. I am very aware of the chance I had and that not everyone got dealt the same cards. I believe it would help future students that might not have the chance to get along with their flatmates to have game nights. This would be an opportunity for them to meet other students/get to know their flatmates or housemate

LOOKING AFTER YOU

- I've been referred to as the grandma of my house by my friends, and it is true that I stand by the idea that a good hot chocolate and plate of cookies can help fix anything. That's why I hope to continue the cooking classes offered this year by our amazing welfare team
- Alongside my love for treats is my love of sudokus. I know that for some students, social activities can be quite overwhelming and lead to sensory overload. Hence the need for calm and quiet activities that can help socialising. I think it would be a good idea to offer a wide range of peaceful activities that can be done in a social setting to make meeting new people accessible to all

EDUCATION

As you probably could tell from my intro/experience, I'm very devoted to period health / period awareness. Halls is a very safe and open-minded place and I'd like to help maintain that next year. I'm a firm believer that everyone should know a minimum about periods and period health. Thus, I would add a section on it during the consent-talk at the beginning of the year. I'm also aware that for trans-students, periods can be very mentally draining and offering support systems would definitely help.