

Flash Eurobarometer 545

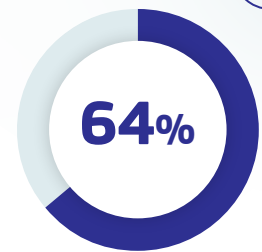
# Youth and democracy



## Intention to vote in the 2024 European elections



64% of young people express their intention to vote in the 2024 European elections



## Impact of EU actions and priorities for the future



**67%**  
of young people think that actions taken by the EU have an impact on their daily life



What do young people expect of the EU for their generation?

- 37%** Preserving peace, reinforcing international security and promoting international cooperation
- 34%** Fighting poverty and economic and social inequalities
- 30%** Promoting human rights, democracy and common European values
- 28%** Increasing job opportunities for young people

*(Respondents could select multiple areas from a list of nine)*

## Digital skills and identifying disinformation

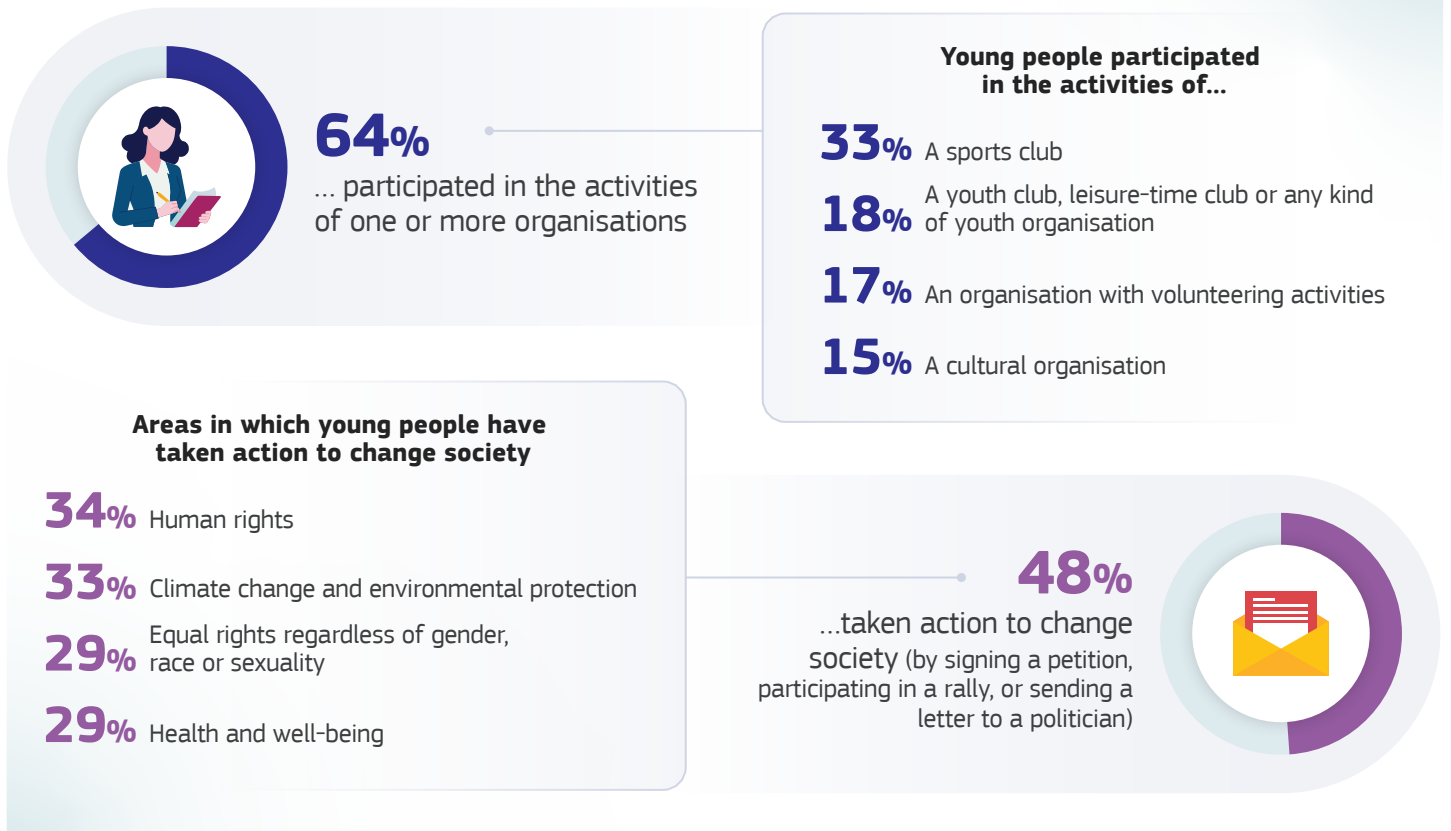
**74%**

of young people agree that their education has equipped them with the necessary digital skills to identify disinformation



## Civic engagement and societal change

Over the past year, young EU citizens have...



## Making young people's voice heard

What do young people consider the most effective actions for making their voice heard by decision makers?



(Respondents could select multiple actions from a list of nine)

Source: **Flash Eurobarometer 545 – Youth and democracy**

(fieldwork: 3 April – 12 April 2024; 26 189 online interviews with EU citizens, aged 15-30, in the 27 EU Member States)