

The Hong Kong Young Writers Awards 2018



Digital Storytelling Submission Instructions and Guidelines

This award is for Digital Storytelling, a category that includes live action films, animated films, mixed media productions, and other entertainment projects in which narrative stories are told using electronic media. It aims to recognise innovative and creative talent among students in the Asia-Pacific region.

Submission

Once your school is registered, we will accept submissions from 1st November 2017 to 15th January 2018. To submit your student's work, please follow the instructions below:

Overview

- Students aged between 14-18 are invited to submit original short films to the Hong Kong Young Writers Awards 2018
- Film or media students can work individually, or in groups up to four, to produce their original works for submission
- One teacher per school must review the short films and submit entries to the competition between 1st November 2017 and 15th January 2018
- Theme – All entries **MUST RELATE** to this year's theme, "New Journeys to the West"
- Content – The film must tell a story through a clear narrative relevant to the theme suitable to be viewed by students from Y1 to Y13.
- Genre – The films must be a documentary or a drama
- Style – Any technical mode can be applied to the short film (max 6 mins) including live action, stop motion or animation
- Post-production – Students are encouraged to include speech, photos, sound, text, music or special effects to produce a well-rounded piece

Format Restrictions

- Films must be maximum 6 minutes long
- Entries per school must be submitted by the registered teacher
- Entries should be in 720p format
- **All music and images used in the films must be original, public domain or licensed. WORK MUST BE ORIGINAL NOT PLAGIARISED OR INFRINGE COPYRIGHTS.**
- All archive materials used must be referenced at the end of the film

Submissions Process

- The filename of the film must follow a specific format - School Name, Student's name, Category & Group.doc
- Submissions can be submitted between 1st November 2017 to 15th January 2018
- No entries will be accepted after 6pm on Friday 15th January 2018
- A 10 second cut of the film must also be submitted for presentation purposes.

	School Name	First Name	Last Name	Age	Submission Title	Category and Group	Teacher Full Name	Filename
Example	Hong Kong School	Daniel	Tan	8	New Journeys to the West	Fiction: Group 3	Ms. Vanessa Childs	Hong Kong School, Daniel Tan, Fiction Group 3.doc
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To ensure the information is 100% accurate, please type in the required information in the yellow highlighted sections.

Please only copy and paste the Filename using the format School name, Student's name, Category & Group.doc

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