

## Terms and Conditions: Children's Word of the Year Writing Competition

### General information

1. The Promoter is Oxford University Press Australia and New Zealand, Level 8, 737 Bourke Road, Docklands, Victoria 3008. ABN: 29 869 163 236.
2. Information on how to enter and prizes forms part of the terms of entry. Entry into the competition is deemed acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.
3. In the event that there is any inconsistency between these Terms and Conditions and any other communication that refers to this competition, these Terms and Conditions apply.
4. Entry is open to all residents of Australia over the age of 18 years old except employees and immediate families of the Promoter and its associated companies and agencies.
5. The decisions of Oxford University Press Australia and New Zealand in respect of all matters to do with the competition will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
6. The competition and these Terms and Conditions will be governed by Australian law and any disputes shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Australian courts.

### When to enter

7. The competition is open to all Australian Primary school students F-Year 6 and commences 10am AEST Thursday June 11, 2019 and concludes at 4pm Friday September 20, 2019. After this date no further entries to the competition will be permitted.
8. Entries must be received by the Promoter prior to the competition conclusion time and date.
9. The Promoter accepts no responsibility for any late, lost or misdirected entries due to technical disruptions, network congestion or for any other reason.

### How to enter

10. There is no entry fee and no purchase necessary to enter this competition.
11. To submit an entry go to [oup.com.au/cwoty](http://oup.com.au/cwoty) and download, print and complete the registration form as directed and submit a piece of free writing of no more than 500 words.
12. All entries to the competition must be submitted on the writing entry form available through [www.oup.com.au](http://www.oup.com.au). Entries which are late, incomplete or illegible or not submitted in accordance with these Terms and Conditions will be disqualified at the Oxford University Press's sole discretion.
13. Entrants may enter once only. Entries are to be mailed to Oxford Australian Children's Word of the Year, OUP ANZ, GPO Box 2784, Melbourne, Victoria 3001.
14. The Promoter may, in its absolute discretion, edit, modify, delete or remove any entry if it contravenes any law.
15. As a condition of entering, you agree that your entry becomes the property of the Promoter and may be used in the marketing and promotion of the Promoter's products and services.
16. The entrant warrants that their competition entry does not violate or infringe the rights of any person whatsoever.
17. Chance plays no part in determining the winner. Each entry will be individually judged, based upon written skill and creativity of reply.
18. The Promoter reserves the right to withdraw or amend the competition as necessary due to circumstances outside its control.

### Prize draw and notification

19. The winners shall be chosen by a judging panel appointed by Oxford University Press Australia and New Zealand, based on written skill and creativity of reply.
20. The winners will be notified by email within five business days of being chosen. Winner/s of prizes will be published at [oup.com.au/cwoty](http://oup.com.au/cwoty) on Wednesday October 16, 2019.
21. The entrant judged as the prize winner in their year level will receive an Oxford Book Prize consisting of an Oxford book voucher valued at \$50, a copy of Roald Dahl's Rotsome Words valued at \$11.95 and a copy of the Roald Dahl Dictionary valued at \$21.95. There is seven book prizes available to win across F-Years 6 (valued at \$587.30 in total).
22. There is one class prize winner available to win across all year levels; the class judged the winner will receive a School Prize consisting of an Oxford Reading Buddy 12 month subscription, valued at up to \$1,999.95 (large school), \$1,499.95 (medium school) or \$999.95 (small school); an annual PETAA Membership; a \$100 Oxford Book Voucher for the teacher of the winning class; a copy of Writing the Future by Kaye Lowe valued at \$39.95, and winner's framed certificate.
23. The first 200 PETAA members with current subscriptions who register their students into the writing competition will receive a set of Oxford Wordlist 1-100 Flashcards valued at \$16.95.
24. The total value of all prizes on offer is up to \$6,077.25.
25. Judging commences Monday September 23, 2019 through to Tuesday October 1, 2019.
26. Prizes must be claimed within 21 working days from notification.
27. Prizes not claimed within this timeframe will be forfeited and another entrant will be judged the winner in its place.
28. Oxford book vouchers are valid for 12 months from the date of issue and can only be used to redeem printed book products and resources via Oxford University Press Australia and New Zealand.
29. The annual PETAA Membership must be used as [prescribed by PETAA](#).
30. The Promoter accepts no responsibility for lost or misdirected prizes.
31. Prizes cannot be transferred, exchanged or redeemed for cash.
32. The winners may be required to participate in related publicity without further recompense.
33. It is a condition of accepting the prize that the winners agree to comply with these conditions of use of the prizes.

### Privacy and your information

34. The Promoter collects information about you, including for example your name and contact details. We collect and use that information to provide you with our goods and services and to promote and improve our goods and services. The Promoter is committed to protecting your privacy online. Further information about how we handle your information is explained in our Privacy Policy found at [www.oup.com.au/privacy-policy](http://www.oup.com.au/privacy-policy).