

Terms & Conditions - Shorebirds Competition 2024

Please consider all Terms and Conditions carefully before entering.

Entering	The Shorebirds Competition is open to students in Years 3 to 6, across Australia. There are separate categories for individuals and schools. Students can enter in one category only – either as an individual entrant or with their school. Each student can submit one entry only. Homeschool students are encouraged to participate and can enter as individuals. Entries will be accepted any time before 18 October 2024.
Schools entries	Entries for the Schools category must be organised by participating teachers. Teachers must keep a record of the names of all students that enter. There is no limit on the numbers of students entering from each class or school, however, only one entry will be accepted from each student.
Original entries created by hand	Only original entries created by hand will be accepted. Only pencils, pens, textas, or paint can be used to create the postcard. No digital content or digital copies (photos or scanned copies) will be accepted. Please refer to How to make a postcard for instructions. If parents or teachers would like to keep a record of student's work, they are encouraged to photograph or scan the postcard(s) before being posted. Postcards will not be returned.
Entry Forms	An electronic entry form must be filled out before entries are posted: Each individual entering must fill in the Individuals Entry Form For school entries, teachers must fill in the Schools Entry Form
Posting entries	Postcards must be posted with a \$1.20 stamp and without an envelope. Postcards must be posted to this address: ANSTO Shorebirds Competition, C/- ANSTO Discovery Centre (B65), New Illawarra Road, LUCAS HEIGHTS NSW 2234 Entries must be received at ANSTO by 18 October 2024 . ANSTO will not be held responsible in the unlikely event that any postcards are lost in the mail.
Display of entries	ANSTO reserves the right to display student entries and student names (first name and surname initial), classes and schools on its website, social media and at public events. Postcards will not be returned.
Judging	Postcard artworks and shorebird messages will be judged by an expert panel. Judging scores will not be given to students or schools.

<p>Notifying winners</p>	<p>Parents of winning students in the Individuals Category will be notified by email or phone. Teachers of winning students in the Schools Category will be notified by email or phone.</p>
<p>Student prizes</p>	<p>A certificate and gift card for each winning student will be posted to either the student’s home address (Individuals Category) or the school address (Schools Category). Parents of winners in the Individuals Category will be contacted by email or phone for their child’s address.</p> <p>Entries are eligible for prizes in one category only - either as an individual entry or school entry.</p>
<p>School prizes</p>	<p>For school prizes, educational resources can be chosen by the teacher from the following areas consistent with the themes of the competition: the environment, sustainability, science or art.</p> <p>ANSTO will order and pay for the resources, to a maximum of the prize value <u>including GST and freight</u>.</p> <p>ANSTO will arrange for prizes to be delivered to the school.</p> <p>School prizes must be redeemed by winning schools before 30 June 2025.</p>

If you have any questions about the Shorebirds Competition 2024, please contact: competition@ansto.gov.au