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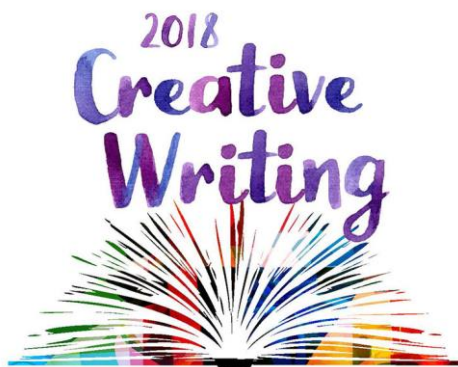


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THE SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL
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WELCOMES YOU TO OUR 2018

CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION

For the attention of the Head of the English Department

The Pretoria Branch of the South African Council for English Education presents its 2018 Creative Writing Competition for **SACEE registered** Primary Schools, in the Pretoria area. We would like to invite your school to participate in this exciting and prestigious event.

Each year our writing exposium attracts a higher number of entries from a greater number of primary schools and we hope that this year's competition will be no different. This year's exposium is open to Grade 3 – 7 learners.

Prizes and certificates are presented to the top entries in each category of the competition at a special Prize Giving Function and winning and commendable entries are published in an annual publication.

We would be very grateful if you could encourage as many learners as possible from your school to enter this competition.

Please find enclosed full details of the competition and an entry form. Should you have any queries, please contact Celeste Marks, Primary School Project Co-ordinator, celeste.c.marks@gmail.com.

Yours sincerely

Celeste Marks
Primary School Co-ordinator and Chairperson: Pretoria Branch

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CREATIVE WRITING EXPOSIUM FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS

CRITERIA FOR THIS CREATIVE WRITING EXPOSIUM

- Learners from Grades 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 may submit entries.
- **Poetry and prose entries may be submitted.**
- **You are free to choose your own topic(s).**
- The length of each prose entry should be approximately :
Gr 3 < 100 words; Gr 4 < 200 words; Gr 5 < 300 words; Gr 6 < 400 words; Gr 7 < 500 words
The poetry is non-prescribed, but should be appropriate to the respective grade and level of learners.
- There is no limit to the number of entries submitted by a learner.
- Entry fees – R20.00 per individual entry.
- Your name must appear on the entry form supplied.
- All entries must be **original** and must have been written in 2018.
- Duplicates of previous entries will not be considered.
- Plagiarism of any kind is unacceptable.
- Entries, which must be in English and must be typed in word format. Schools are requested to submit entries in word format on a usb and deliver to Celeste Marks, Lynnwood Ridge Primary School by the closing date.
- Teachers are requested to include on the USB a complete list of entries as set out in the attached template.
- You **MUST** keep a copy of your entry.
- Prizes and certificates will be awarded to the winners.
- Copies of all winning entries, as well as entries of note, will be made available in the form of a booklet.
- Entries must be submitted to Mrs Marks by the 31st May 2018.
- **Please ensure that SACEE registration of R450.00 per school and all entry fees are paid to date by the closing date. Proof of payment can be faxed to: 086 750 0310.**

Enquiries: Mrs Celeste Marks: celeste.c.marks@gmail.com

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CREATIVE WRITING EXPOSIUM
FOR
PRIMARY SCHOOLS IN THE PRETORIA AREA**

NOTE: You may photocopy this form.

ENTRY FORM

Name of Learner:

Postal Address:

School: Grade:

Entry 1:

Title:

Entry 2:

Title:

Entry 3:

Title:

Total Cost R

NB: ANY FORM OF PLAGARISM WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!

I declare that the attached entry(ies) is (are) entirely my own work.

The total word count for the prose is/are:

Entry 1:

Entry 2:

Entry 3:

Entrant's Signature: Date:

Countersigned: Parent/guardian:

Teacher:

*Fee: Please hand your R20.00 per entry to your teacher, who will then forward it to SACEE.
Schools may choose to pay entry fees for learners if they so desire.*

Schools payments can be made directly into SACEE PTA bank account:

*SA Council for English Education, Nedbank, Hillcrest (160245).
Account Number: 1602057478*

Please fax proof of payment to 086 750 0310 or email to sacepta@gmail.com

NB: CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES – 31st May 2018