

## Short Story Competition

### ENTRY FORM

Please complete in **BLOCK CAPITALS**

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FORENAME:

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ADDRESS:

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Title of Story:

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Name of School and Year (if applicable):

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Contact Telephone Number(s):

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Email address:

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I/we have read, understood and agree to the rules and conditions of this Competition. I/we confirm that the story enclosed is an original work and the author is the person named above.

Signature:

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Date:

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

(If entrant is under 18 years of age):

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Name:

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Date:

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## **RULES & CONDITIONS**

1. The Competition is open to young people in schools years 2 to 13. They may submit a maximum of two original works.
2. Works should be word processed and must keep to the word limit set out for the appropriate age range as detailed in paragraph 8 below. Works may carry a picture or illustration.
3. All works must be accompanied by the official entry.
4. Works, pictures and illustrations must be original; entirely the author's own work; not infringe the copyright or any other rights of any third party nor be defamatory in any way.
5. The winning entry will become the property of GCS.
6. A panel of judges, comprised of independent persons appointed by GCS, will judge the competition. The judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
7. The prize for the winner in each category will be a £50 book voucher from Amazon.
8. Categories:
  - A. Years 2 to 4
  - B. Years 5 to 7
  - C. Years 8 to 10
  - D. Years 11 to 13

Stories should not exceed 750 words.

9. GCS reserves the right to cancel this competition at any stage if deemed necessary in its opinion and/or if circumstances arise outside its control.
10. Employees of Gibraltar Cultural Services and of the Ministry of Culture, as well as their family members, are allowed to take part in the competition. Subject to it being operationally possible for GCS to keep the participant out of the judging process and for the participant not to have any contact with the adjudicator/judges.
11. Works must be submitted electronically to GCS on email: [info@culture.gi](mailto:info@culture.gi)

**The closing date for receipt of entries is:  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2021**

For any enquiry please contact the Events Department, Gibraltar Cultural Services, City Hall, 308 Main Street, Gibraltar.

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