

# YOUNG WRITERS AWARD

## FORMATTING TIPS FOR YOUR STORY

- Please do not include your name on any page of your entry. Submissions are judged anonymously.
- Please prepare your nomination using the format below:
  - stories must be submitted as a Word document (no PDFs please)
  - use Times New Roman, 12-point font
  - use 1.5 line spacing with a three-centimetre page margin
  - include the title of your story in the header of each page
  - number each page
  - the word count cannot exceed 2,500 words (excluding the title).
- Save your document file name as the title of your story only. For example, *Cinderella.doc*
- Do not include your name anywhere in the file name, or anywhere in the entry.
- Entries must be submitted via the online form **by 5pm AEST on Monday 13 May 2024**.
- The entry form can be found at: <http://www.slq.qld.gov.au/ywa>
- Enter your contact details and upload your story as a Word document.
- Judges reserve the right to remove from the competition any entries not complying with these conditions.

## INFORMATION AND ENQUIRIES

If you have any questions, please contact State Library of Queensland.

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