## 3Global Science Competition for World Science Day 2020 Macmillan Education International Curriculum

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Please read these terms and conditions carefully. By entering into this **Macmillan Education International Curriculum Global Science Competition for World Science Day 2020** ("Promotion"), you agree that you have read these terms and that you agree to them. Failure to comply with these terms and conditions may result in your disqualification from the Promotion.

- 1. This Promotion is run by Macmillan Education International Curriculum a trading division of Springer Nature Limited a company registered in England with registered number 00785998 and registered office at The Campus, 4 Crinan Street London N1 9XW ("Promoter").
- 2. To enter this Promotion you must be: (a) resident in a country where it is lawful for you to enter; and (b) aged 18 years old or over (or the applicable age of majority in your country if higher) at the time of entry. This Promotion is void in Cuba, Iran, North Korea, Sudan, and Syria and where prohibited or restricted by law. You need to enter as a member of the teaching staff of a school with a team of a maximum of 4 children from Year Group 1 to Year Group 6 (ages 4-11).
- 3. This Promotion is not open to directors or employees (or members of their immediate families) of Promoter or any subsidiary of Promoter including Distributors. Promoter reserves the right to verify the eligibility of entrants.
- 4. The Promotion is open for entries between 00:00 GMT on 1.11.2019 and 23:59 GMT on 1 March 2020.
- 5. No purchase is necessary to enter this Promotion and will not increase your chances of winning.
- 6. You Promotion the can enter this in following way: Visit www.macmillanic.com/science/global-science-competition-day-2020 and complete the entry form online. You may also post your entry to the Marketing Department, International Curriculum, Floor 2, Springer Nature, The Campus, 4 Crinan Street, London N1 9XW, UK or email your entry to international.curriculum@macmillaneducation.com. The entry must be sent with the following information:
  - o Full Name and Surname
  - o Name of school
  - o City:
  - o Country:
  - o Email
- 7. Schools may enter more than one entry but each entry must have a separate entry form completed. An entry without a completed entry form will result in disqualification.
- 8. Promoter accepts no responsibility for any entries that are incomplete, illegible, corrupted or fail to reach Promoter by the closing date for any reason. Proof of posting or sending is not proof of receipt. Entries via agents or third parties are invalid. No other form of entry is permitted. Please keep a copy of your entry as we will be unable to return entries or provide copies.

- 9. The prize for the Promotion consists of the following: attendance of the winning teacher at the annual Association of Science Education conference in the United Kingdom including return economy class flights to an UK airport from the winner's home airport agreed with us, transfer costs once in London, meals and accommodation provided in the Promoter's chosen hotel for up to 5 nights for the duration of the conference. All other expenses are the responsibility of the winner. Insurance is not included. Entrants must arrange their own travel insurance. Entrants must have a valid passport and visa (if necessary) and be willing to travel for the notified dates of the conference. The winner will be solely responsible at their cost for obtaining the necessary visas to take up the prize. We will not be responsible if a visa is denied or for any costs associated with obtaining a visa. In the event that the Association of Science Education conference does not take place the Promoter will seek an alternative and appropriate conference at their sole discretion. The winning school will receive a half-day 'hands on science' event which will be conducted in the school premises at a time that is convenient to the school before 12 December 2020. This event will consist of the Promoter providing a Science Educator to attend the school and deliver a 2 – 2.30 hour hands-on event which will be interactive and will focus on elements of the primary science curriculum. In the event that for reasons beyond the control of the Promoter, access cannot be obtained into the school or country of the winning school, the Promoter will endeavour to provide an alternative arrangement which will involve the provision of materials for the school to run an in-school event. Further prizes of science resources value less than 100 GBP, certificates and medals will be available to the runners up. The numbers of runners up are at the discretion of the Judges but will be no less than 3 schools and no more than 5 schools.
- 10. The process for selecting a winning entrant will take place in two stages. Stage 1 - entrants will send a 3 minute video or presentation in powerpoint or word document of their idea based on solving a problem in world science such as solutions for reducing water or air pollution, treating injuries or diseases, solving the problems associated with plastic pollution, improving efficiency of machines, an innovative way of reducing the impact of fast fashion. These are ideas only and entrants can propose any solution to any problem that falls within the description of a science based solution. The selection criteria will be: cost of implementation and impact, creativity and innovation, methodology and approach, analysis and research. Stage 1 videos and presentations must be submitted no later than 23:59 GMT 1 March 2020. All submitted video entries and presentation entries will be judged by a panel of Springer Nature editors and authors. Stage 2 – the 8 entries that best meet the above selection criteria will be notified by 31 March 2020 by email and the relevant entrants will be asked to attend a webinar where they will be asked to present their model/experiment/idea to a judging panel. This will involve a question and answer session. The Webinar will take place between 1 May 2020 and 1 June 2020. Full names of the judging panel will be made available upon request. The judges' decision is final and we will not discuss their decision with you.
- 11. By entering this Promotion you confirm that your entry is your own original work, is not defamatory and does not infringe any laws, including privacy laws, whether of the UK or elsewhere, or any rights of any third party, and that you have the right to give the Promoter permission without additional payment to reproduce, publish, distribute, make available and/or otherwise use your submitted entry in any print or electronic or online media anywhere in the world for any promotional or publicity purposes whatsoever including without limitation to carry out the promotion in accordance with these terms and conditions. If the Promoter has questions about an entry including, without limitation, the copyright, we may contact the school or entrant for further information including, for example, to verify that the relevant entrants own all rights to the submitted material and/or has obtained all necessary consents from anyone who is identifiable in a submission or from their parent or guardian if they are under 18 (or the applicable age of majority). The Promoter reserves the right to ask the winning entrant and their school to sign a written release

confirming the above and to provide copies of all such permissions before awarding any prize and to invalidate entries or winner if the appropriate release or permissions are not provided.

- 12. The winner of the Promotion shall be notified by email no later than the 15 June 2020.
- 13. The winner will be required to confirm acceptance of the prize within 14 working days and may be required to complete and return an eligibility form stating their age and residency details, among other details. The Promoter will confirm the details of the prize such as travel dates and accommodation by 1 September 2020. If a winner does not confirm acceptance of the travel dates within 30 days of being notified, they will forfeit their prize and the Promoter reserves the right to choose another winner. The date of the Hands-on Science event in the winning school should be agreed by no later than 30 September 2020 and the event must be held before 12 December 2020.
- 14. The name, region of residence and likeness of the winner and the name of the school may be used by the Promoter for reasonable post-event publicity in any form including on the Promoter's website and social media pages and within the Promoter's Catalogue at no cost.
- 15. Promoter reserves the right to cancel or amend these Terms and Conditions or change the prize (to one of equal or greater value) as required by the circumstances. No cash equivalent to the prize is available.
- 16. All personal data submitted by entrants is subject to and will be treated in a manner consistent with the Promoter's Privacy Policy accessible at www.macmillaneducation.com/privacy-policy. By participating in this Promotion, entrants hereby agree that the Promoter may collect and use their personal information and acknowledge that they have read and accepted the Promoter's Privacy Policy.
- 17. The Promoter may at its sole discretion disqualify any entrant found to be tampering or interfering with the entry process or operation of the website, or to be acting in any manner deemed to be disruptive of or prejudicial to the operation or administration of the Promotion.
- 18. Other than for death or personal injury arising from negligence of the Promoter, so far as is permitted by law, the Promoter hereby excludes all liability for any loss, damage, cost and expense, whether direct or indirect, howsoever caused in connection with the Promotion or any aspect of the Prize. All activities are undertaken at the entrants own risk. Your legal rights as a consumer are not affected.
- 19. These terms and conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law. Disputes arising in connection with this Agreement shall be subject to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.