



Keeping to the spirit of the original bequest, the task for the competition is for students to develop a response in 600-800 words to the question above.

The J.J. & Lydia Eden School Prize is open to all Year 10 students in DECD schools. The prizes for the competition are provided from the 1956 bequest of John Joseph Eden who requested in his will that the Minister of Education conduct an essay competition for young people in South Australian public schools. In 2017, the focus of the essay is on the role of the Arts in making the world a better and happier place.



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What are the prizes?

There will be three prizes awarded to the value of:



Entry details

To download the application form and competition details go to www.decd.sa.gov.au/edenprize

Closing date for entries

Entries must be submitted to DECD Learning Improvement Division by COB on **Friday 8 September, 2017**.

If you have any questions relating to the competition contact Malcolm McInerney [DECD Eden Prize coordinator] at malcolm.mcinerney@sa.gov.au