

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY: DRAWING THE LINES 2008

1. Employees of the National Museum of Australia, employees' immediate families and agents of the Museum are ineligible to enter.
2. Each individual or group entry represents the school which the participants attend.
3. Entries must be on A4-size paper.
4. Entries that the judges decide do not conform to the rules and conditions of entry will be disqualified from the competition.
- 5. All entries must be clearly marked on the back with the name of the student, year level and school to ensure correct identification.**
6. All entries should be titled for exhibition purposes.
7. All entries must be original works which have not previously been published, exhibited or broadcast.
8. Entries will only be accepted with the supplied official entry form.
9. The decision of the judges shall be final and binding. No correspondence or discussion will be entered into with any entrant.
10. The National Museum of Australia reserves the right not to exhibit works submitted to the competition.
11. The National Museum of Australia, the sponsors and the judges accept no responsibility for entries which are lost, delayed, mislaid or damaged in the post.
12. The winning student in each category (upper primary and secondary) will receive a cash prize of **\$500** and travel and accommodation for themselves and their teacher/parent/guardian to attend the awards ceremony in Canberra. The runner-up student in each category (upper primary and secondary) will receive a cash prize of **\$250** and travel and accommodation for themselves and their teacher/parent/guardian to attend the awards ceremony in Canberra. There will be up to 20 highly commended prizes of **\$100** awarded across both categories. The class with the best overall entry in each category (upper primary and secondary) will win a cash prize of **\$500** + a framed original Peter Nicholson cartoon for their school.
13. The prizes will be awarded to the school and student named on the entry form.
14. Details of the winners will be announced on **12 November 2008**. The winners will be announced on the Museum's website at www.nma.gov.au/education and will be contacted by telephone or email. Entrants acknowledge that their name and the name of their school will be published.
15. Entrants agree to allow their entries to be used and reproduced, to fulfil the functions of the National Museum of Australia as defined by the *National Museum of Australia Act 1980 (Cth)*, including reproduction in print and electronic media including the Museum's website, and for promotional purposes.
- 16. The prize will be announced at an awards ceremony in Canberra – details will be confirmed closer to the event..**
17. The National Museum of Australia may at its discretion award other prizes as it sees fit if, in the opinion of the judge, there are entries which merit the awarding of the prize.
18. The judges will decide on merit and they are at liberty to declare one or more entrants as joint winners, in which event the prizes will be divided equally.
19. The National Museum of Australia reserves the right to disqualify, at its absolute discretion, any entry where it is satisfied that the submitted design is not in fact an original work. Where it is discovered, subsequent to the awarding of a prize, that the winning entry is not in fact an original design, the prize award may be forfeited at the complete discretion of the National Museum of Australia. In the event that any prize has been awarded in such circumstances, the prizewinner shall refund the prize on demand or its monetary value.
20. Entries will not be returned to their owners. They will be retained and/or digitised as part of the Museum's collection.
21. The National Museum of Australia and the judges shall be under no liability whatsoever for any loss, damage or injury to an entrant arising out of an entry to the competition or the subsequent promotion of the entry for the National Museum of Australia.
24. Entries must be posted to: Drawing the Lines Competition, Education Section, National Museum of Australia, GPO Box 1901, CANBERRA ACT 2601 and postmarked on or before **17 October 2008**.