

PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN SCHOOLS JOURNALISM COMPETITION 2019

All entrants to the competition must get a parent or guardian to read and sign the following statement to grant permission for their child to enter the Schools Journalism Competition 2019. A completed copy of this form must accompany their online submission.

I give my child _____ (name of child, “the entrant”) permission to participate in “The School Journalism Competition 2019” (“the competition”) sponsored by the Missionary Society of St. Columban (“the sponsor”).

I understand and agree that my child will be submitting his/her name, age, school and contact information as part of his/her entry, a submission consisting of an article or a video.

The data submitted by the entrant will be held by the sponsor in accordance with UK/Ireland data protection regulations and used solely for the purposes of the competition.

If my child is selected as a finalist, I agree to allow the sponsor, in connection with the competition, to make public my child’s name and submission.

I understand that the awards ceremony may be photographed or videoed and that my child’s image may appear in future editions of the sponsor’s *Far East* magazine or online on the sponsor’s websites and social media channels.

I understand that, in the event of my/our child being selected as a winner, he/she will be accompanied by a parent or guardian to the awards ceremony.

Signed: _____ **(Parent/Guardian)**

Name: _____ **(BLOCK CAPITALS)**

How related? _____ **(e.g. Father, Mother, Guardian)**

Date: _____

You can find more information about the competition at:
www.columbancompetition.com

For more information about the Missionary Society of St. Columban, visit:
www.columbans.eu (Ireland)
www.columbans.co.uk (Britain)

This form will be held in accordance with data protection regulations. The data entered will be used only for the purpose(s) indicated in the form. It will be accessed only by those authorised to do so.