

# 2022 My Place Competition

## Writing Rubrics



The 2022 *My Place* Competition prompts writers to reflect on change and continuity in their own evolving places and communities.

- What changes have occurred in the natural and built environments, and what remains constant?
- Do the people in your community have a long connection to the area or are groups ever shifting and changing?
- How has your own relationship to place changed or continued over time?

We are asking Australian children: tell us about your place.

Rubrics are provided to give teachers, parents and entrants an idea of what we are looking for in the writing. Our aim is to provide a helpful guide, not rigid directions. We are looking for creative, original writing with a strong style and voice.

There are two rubrics:

1. Junior Primary: For years 1 – 4
2. Middle Years: For years 5 – 8

About the rubrics

- Down the left column of the rubric grid are the elements we are looking for in the writing.
- Along the top row of the rubric grid are numbers from 3 (high) to 1 (low) with descriptions.
- For each element, we will match the writing with the description that best fits.
- The age of each entrant will be considered as we match the writing to the elements.
- The rubrics are most useful in the editing and revising process.

Please carefully read the competition guidelines here:

<https://actf.com.au/2022-my-place-competition>

We wish you all the best.

