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Entry guidelines

Age groups

- The competition is open to all pupils attending an Australian school between the year levels of 1 and 10.
- Doodles will be judged in four year group brackets: 1-3, 4-6, 7-8, and 9-10.

Title and supporting statement

In addition to producing a doodle, pupils also need to write:

- A title for their doodle.
- A supporting statement – no more than 50 words. Pupils should explain the wish they have portrayed in their doodle and why.

Registration

To take part in the competition you must register your school at www.google.com.au/doodle4google by 14 August 2009.

Submitting entries

- There is a limit of eight entries per school. If your school covers more than one age group please try to represent an even spread. You could perhaps hold an internal competition to select the best doodles in the class or school.
- When you are ready to submit your entries, please return to the website to complete the online entry form. You will need to include the pupils' titles and supporting statements.
- You will be given a unique entry number, which you should write on the back of each doodle.
- Then post your school's entries to the address below by 4 September 2009: Doodle 4 Google.
PO Box 7005 WETHERILL PARK BC NSW 2164

Design guidelines

- The doodle should be presented on a white, landscape sheet of A4 paper.
- Use the Google logo template sent to all schools as a guide.
- As the winning doodle will be displayed on the Google Australia homepage, please ensure that the Google logo is clearly visible and recognisable.
- The doodle can be in pencil, crayons, felt tip or paint.
- Unfortunately we cannot accept 3D entries.

Judging and prizes

State and Territory finalists

320 finalists will be chosen, 10 for each age group in each of the 8 Australian States and Territories: Australian Capital Territory, New South Wales, Northern Territory, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia.

Prize:

- Doodle 4 Google certificate

State and Territory winners

32 winners will be chosen across the age groups and states/territories.

Prizes:

- Printed copy of the doodle for their school
- Invitation to attend awards ceremony to announce the National Winners*
- Doodles to be displayed on the Doodle 4 Google website for public vote
- Doodle 4 Google goody bag

*All travel expenses to the national ceremony and one night's accommodation for the state/territory winner and a parent or guardian will be covered

National age group winners

The public will be asked to vote online for their favourite doodle from each age group, to help select the four national winners.

Prizes:

- Interactive white board for the school
- A laptop for the winner

1 National winner

Dennis Hwang, Google's Webmaster, will pick the overall national winner out of the four national age group winners.

Prizes:

- The winning doodle will be hosted on Google Australia's homepage at www.google.com.au for 24 hours
- \$10,000 worth of technology equipment for their school in addition to the interactive white board that they receive as a national age group winner

Key dates

- 14 August** Online registration deadline
- 4 September** Deadline for doodle entries
- October** State and Territory winners announced
- October** Online public vote (state and territory winners displayed on website)
- November** National winners announced

If you have any queries, please email d4g-au@google.com



At Google, we like to reflect the ever-changing world of our users through the logo designs on our homepage. These 'doodles' celebrate different people, events or special dates and are designed by our original Doodler, 30-year-old Dennis Hwang.

For the second year, we're asking young people from across Australia to design their own doodle. This year's theme is 'My wish for Australia'. We'd love to see what young people want the future of Australia to look like.

We have developed a lesson plan to help pupils with their doodles and integrate this activity into the curriculum.

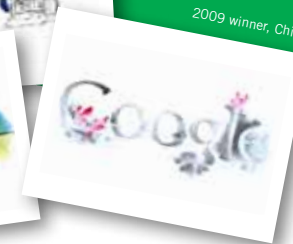
The winning entry will be displayed on the Google Australia homepage for a day to be viewed by millions of people.



2006 winner, UK




2007 winner, Australia



2009 winner, China

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My wish for Australia

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Your artwork could be shown on the Google Australia homepage and seen by millions!
You could also win \$10,000 worth of technology equipment for your school.

