



NZ BUSINESS &
PARLIAMENT TRUST

2019 YOUTH PARLIAMENT COMPETITION

**AN OPPORTUNITY TO
WIN \$2,500
TOWARDS YOUR FUTURE STUDY!**

ENTER THE COMPETITION FOR
2019 YOUTH PARLIAMENT
(YOUTH MPS AND MEMBERS
OF THE YOUTH PRESS
GALLERY) BY MIDNIGHT,
THURSDAY 23 MAY 2019

Sponsored by
THE NEW ZEALAND BUSINESS
& PARLIAMENT TRUST

\$2,500

For the 1st prize

\$2,000

Each for 2 runners-up

THE TOPIC IS...



CHOOSE ONE BIG ISSUE FACING OUR SOCIETY. DESCRIBE WHAT GOVERNMENT COULD DO TO BETTER ENABLE BUSINESSES TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE ON THIS ISSUE



FORMAT

THE COMPETITION HAS 3 FORMATS SO YOU CAN CHOOSE FROM ONE OF THE FOLLOWING.

1. **ESSAY**

No specific limit but word-processed single-sided.
Graphics as illustrations are permitted but optional.

2. **SPEECH**

(to be videotaped) – No limitations

To be in publicly available format, i.e. to be viewed in RealPlayer, QuickTime or Windows Media Player.

3. **VIDEO PRESENTATION**

No limitations

To be in publicly available format, i.e. to be viewed in RealPlayer, QuickTime or Windows Media Player.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The Competition is open to all Youth Parliamentarians and Youth Press Gallery members.
2. Only one entry per participant is allowed. Group entries are not permitted.
3. Plagiarism is not accepted in the competition. Please ensure that correct referencing (use of footnotes and /or in-text citations) are included.
4. You retain the copyright of your entry, but a condition of entry is that you permit the Trust the right to use your submission to support its role as a charitable educational trust.
5. All entries are to be emailed to nzbpt@xtra.co.nz or mailed (as hard copy and /or copied onto a memory stick or CD and must be submitted before or on the date displayed below.
6. NZBPT retains the right to change the prize of the competition if circumstances make this necessary.
7. The Trust expects the prize money to be used to further the winners' educational studies.

CLOSE

COMPETITION ENTRIES CLOSE AT MIDNIGHT NZST ON THURSDAY 23 MAY 2019.

No entries will be accepted after this date and time.

Entries should be addressed:

**The Competition
Chief Executive
New Zealand Business & Parliament Trust
Private Bag 18041
Parliament Buildings
WELLINGTON 6160**

Entries will be acknowledged by email within a week following receipt. Contact us by email at ce@nzbpt.nz or phone **(04) 472 5365** if you have not heard from us within this time-frame.

The winners will be announced and presentation of prizes made, during the Youth Parliament in July.

JUDGE

JUDGING CRITERIA

The Judges will be looking at...

- how well you answered the question;
- originality of ideas;
- the use of language;
- understanding your audience;
- the structure and flow of your presentation
- the presentation of your entry

For the medium you are using.
The Judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.



THE TRUST

The New Zealand Business & Parliament Trust was formed in 1991 to bridge a perceived gap of understanding between Members of Parliament and the business community.

THE TRUST IS A NON-PARTISAN EDUCATIONAL CHARITY, IT IS NOT A LOBBYING ORGANISATION. THE PRINCIPAL OBJECTIVES OF THE TRUST ARE:

to enable Members of Parliament to widen their experience in and increase their knowledge of business;

to improve the understanding of the Trust's corporate members of how government is exercised through Parliament.

These objectives are met through the provision of a range of programmes and events including Business Study Programme attachments (for Members of Parliament) and Parliamentary Seminars (for Corporate Members).

THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE ACTS AS PRESIDENT OF THE TRUST

The Trustee Council includes the Prime Minister, the Leader of the Opposition and the leaders or representatives of the other Parliamentary parties in the 52nd Parliament. At present there are five Parliamentary and six Corporate members of the Council, the latter elected by the Corporate membership.

A Trust Board of four Corporate and three Parliamentarian representatives, drawn from the Trustee Council, exercises the legal functions and obligations of the Trust. The Chairman is a Corporate representative.

THE SECRETARIAT

Management of the Trust's operations, delivery of programme events and strategic direction are administered by a Secretariat comprising a Chief Executive and Executive Assistant who are located within the parliamentary complex.

The Trust is financed by subscriptions paid by its Corporate members.



2019 YOUTH PARLIAMENT COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

ENTRIES CAN BE SUBMITTED TO THE TRUST VIA EMAIL OR VIA THE POST

Chief Executive,
New Zealand Business and Parliament Trust,
Private Bag 18041, Parliament Buildings,
Wellington 6160.

Phone: (04) 472 5365
Email: ce@nzbpt.nz
Website: www.nzbpt.nz

NOTE

All entries for this competition will be acknowledged by email. If you have not received an acknowledgement one week after submitting your entry please contact the Trust.

PLEASE COMPLETE **ALL** OF THE DETAILS BELOW

YOUR DETAILS

Name			
Representing <small>(Name Of Member Of Parliament Where Applicable)</small>			
Home Address			
Suburb			
City		Post Code	
Phone		Mobile	
Personal Email			

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Name			
School Address			
Suburb			
City		Post Code	
School Email			

ENTRY CATEGORY (PLEASE CIRCLE)

Essay / Speech / Video / Power Point

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Date Received	/ / 2019	Date Acknowledged	/ / 2019
		Code	