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# *Ologhaphy* COMPETITION

THEME: "COVID19: THE UNSUNG HEROES"

> OPEN TO ALL FORM 4, 5 AND 6

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## PHOTOJOURNALISM COMPETITION 2021

The Photojournalism Competition 2021 is organised as part of the Festival of Creativity event organised by Quest International University. It is an open competition for secondary schools' students to showcase their talents in photography.

The competition is organised to nurture the participant's feeling of appreciation to the front liners. Besides to expose participants with photography knowledge and skills and at the same time ensuring them understand the concept of photojournalism.

With the talent and potential of photography they have, students able to convey the awareness message and show their appreciation towards front-liners, whether they are health workers, police, journalists or even the street vendors. As, they are the backbone of the future of our country, Malaysia.



### **Competition Details**

Date: 04th September 2021 Time: 10:30am – 1:00pm Platform: Zoom

Theme:

"Covid-19: The Unsung Heroes" Fees: Free

Categori: Form 4, 5 and 6 (Individual Task) Registration and Submission link: <u>https://forms.gle/Lu1exu</u> <u>zMCvP8yo3UA</u>

Deadline: 6th August 2021



### TOPIC AND ARTWORK CRITERIA

#### Topic

Prepared, based on the topic "Covid-19: The Unsung Heroes"

#### **Artwork Criteria:**

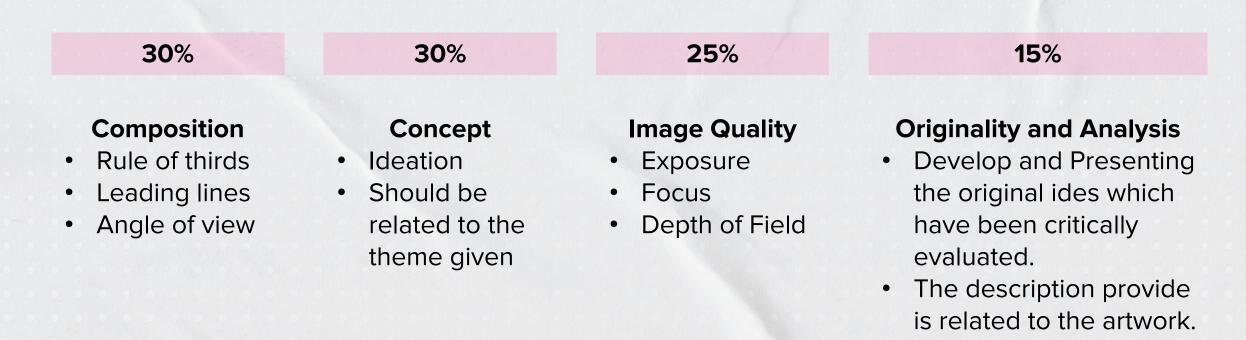
- i. Format: Digital (JPEG)
- ii. Resolution: 300 dpi (must not be bigger than 50MB, highest *"compressed format"* JPEG and not be lower than 7MB).
- iii. The title given must be complete, accurate and the author must provide sufficient details.
- iv. Maximum 3 entries / works for each participant.

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v. The artwork must be original and not processed using any application and the property of the students.

### **JUDGING CRITERIA**

### Judging Criteria are as follows:



## COMPETITION THEME: "COVID-19: THE UNSUNG HEROES"

At the end of 2019, the world was shocked by the discovery of a new virus, namely Covid-19 which resulted in the paralysis of the country's economy as well as various other industries and in turn resulted in a worldwide silence.

Everyone knows that the COVID-19 pandemic is very challenging and has put tremendous pressure on our health system. Thus, the focus is not only on Covid-19 patients, but also more on the front-liners workers of the country especially health workers who have devoted their time and energy to combat this epidemic. Not to be forgotten, the police, journalists and even those who are at high risk of getting and spreading Covid-19 infection.

Thus, with humility, great sacrifice, dedication, commitment and unwavering effort in managing COVID-19, often risking their own life and the sake of the country, we decided to make this title the main theme of this competition as a sign of appreciation towards our country's heroes.



## TERMS AND REGULATIONS

### **Participants**

- Open to all secondary schools students, Form 4, 5 dan 6 in Perak.
- This competition is open to **all Pre-U students** in Malaysia.
- Each school is encouraged **to submit as many entries** as possible.
- **10 finalists will be selected** and the work will be on display on the day of the prize giving.

#### Conditions

- In this competition, participants are required to exhibit works that tell the story of the front-liners who sacrifices their life for Covid-19 pandemic.
- The artworks are required to be based on the theme that has been set, namely **"Covid-19: The Unsung Heroes"**.
- The artworks are not necessarily related to the daily tasks of the front line, but can also be applied to the essence related to one's sacrifice in dealing with this pandemic.
- Each entry must emphasise the values of sensitivity of the Malaysian community.
- Participants can use any medium, either a DSLR camera or a mobile phone.

#### Winners

- The winners will be announced on the mentioned date and the jury's decision is final.
- Only 10 selected participants will be invited on the day of the prize giving.
- Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place winners. 3 consolation prizes are also available.

### **Prizes:**

First Place	RM500.00 + Mouthgasm Crunchy Hamper
	+ "FOC Creative Icon: Photography" e-certificate
Second Place	RM250.00 + Mouthgasm Crunchy Hamper + e-Certificate
Third Place	RM100.00 + Mouthgasm Crunchy Hamper + e-Certificate
3 x Consolations	RM50.00 + Mouthgasm Crunchy Hamper + e-Certificate



### **COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

### Date: 04<sup>th</sup> September 2021

**Time** 10:00 am

10.15 am

11:15 am

11:40 am

12:00 pm

**Agenda** Welcoming students and judges.

Forum by the Speaker Mr. Ahmad Iskandar Bin Kamaruzaman

**Q&A** Session

Winners Announcement Photography Session

Closure

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