



Fowey Festival Awards for Young Writers and Artists 2022

Fowey Festival Awards for Young Writers and Artists is an established annual competition for all children and young people living in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. Details are sent to all schools and can be found on the Fowey Festival website as well as being publicised through local news publications. This year we invited children and young people to create their own original story, poem, piece of factual writing or picture and enter our competition to become the **Fowey Festival Young Writer or Young Artist of the Year 2022**. The challenge is to produce an original picture, poem, short story or factual piece of writing on the theme of **Our Natural World**.



This year we're delighted that local writers agreed to make short videos on what 'Our Natural World' means to them – experiences, stories, rewards, and challenges. These are on the festival website www.foweyfestival.com.

This year, we are also collaborating with the brilliant [Eden 'Found Words' Project](#), with free teacher resources for Key Stages 1, 2 and 3 based on 'The Lost Words' by Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris. You will also have the chance to upload it to the Eden Instagram page and have it seen across the UK! The young 'Eden Ambassadors' will show your classes how they produced their work in a step-by-step guide, as well as tutorials from Bran Howell at Eden and Dani Towe from Bridge Schools.

This year we received a magnificent 514 entries from children and young people across Cornwall.

Trustees are grateful to the group of local artists, poets, writers and teachers who have judged each entry with care and consideration. There was a tremendous range of stories, poems, factual writing and artwork demonstrating the wonderful and vivid imaginations of our children and young people. As you can imagine it took a great deal of discussion before the judges were able to agree on our prize winners!

We are thankful to sponsors Waterstones, The Arts Society Bodmin, Fowey River Gallery and Atishoo Gallery for providing the prizes, display space and framing of artwork.

The Fowey Festival Children's Programme team are delighted to announce the results which have been shared with the children and young people.

On Sat May 14th there will be a presentation event, this being the final day of the Fowey Festival 2022, when we will showcase the work of our wonderful budding artists, poets and writers. At this celebratory event we will also be awarding the prestigious Young Writer of the Year 2022 and Young Artist of the Year 2022 to the entry judged as best story, poem, piece of factual writing and piece of artwork. You can be involved in choosing the Artist of the Year 2022 by dropping into Fowey River Gallery during April when the finalists work will be on display and voting for your favourite.

Well done to all schools and families who took part! Look out for details of the 2023 competition on the Fowey Festival website at the end of this year!

ART

Award	Name	School/Independent	Title
KS1			
1 st	Joseph	Wadebridge	Sloth
Joint 2 nd	Sydney	Wadebridge	Bee
Joint 2 nd	Merryn	Wadebridge	Sloth
Highly Commended	Harrison	Heamoor	Sloth
Highly Commended	Piera	Heamoor	Sloth
Highly Commended	Polly	Trewirgie Infants	Landscape
Highly Commended	Mia	Wadebridge	Leopard
Highly Commended	Imogen	Wadebridge	Sloth
Highly Commended	Dot	Wadebridge	Sloth
Commended	Leonora	Heamoor	Sloth
Commended	Aria	Heamoor	Sloth
Commended	Leo	Heamoor	Sloth
Commended	Elsie	Heamoor	Sloth
Commended	Millie	Heamoor	Seascape
Commended	Lewis	Heamoor	Landscape
Commended	Jacob	Heamoor	Gulls in the Air
Commended	Jonah	Heamoor	Sunset
Commended	Marley	Wadebridge	Bee
Commended	Alice	Wadebridge	Eruption
Commended	Alice	Wadebridge	Flower Head
Commended	Stanley	Wadebridge	Bee
KS2			
1 st	Cammie	Pelynt	Hedgehog
2 nd	William	Heamoor	Chough
Highly Commended	Theo	Treverbyn	Tiger
Highly Commended	Emily	Pelynt	Hedgehog
Highly Commended	Willow	Heamoor	Sunset
Highly Commended	Olive	Wadebridge	Under The Sea
Highly Commended	Saoirse	Wadebridge	Planet Earth
Highly Commended	James	Wadebridge	Weeping Willow
Commended	Faith	Heamoor	Stormy Sea
Commended	Ethan	Heamoor	Chough
Commended	Reece	Heamoor	Stormy Sea
Commended	Niayah	Heamoor	Stormy Sea
Commended	Honey	Heamoor	Bird on a Branch
Commended	Summer	Heamoor	Bird on a Branch
Commended	Keyna	Heamoor	Bird on a Branch
Commended	Jackson	Heamoor	Bird on a Branch
Commended	Oscar	Heamoor	Sunset
Commended	Oliver	Pelynt	Hedgehog

Award	Name	School/Independent	Title
KS2 continued			
Commended	Estelle	Wadebridge	Tropical Sunset
Commended	Brooke	Wadebridge	Leaf collage
Commended	Pippa	Wadebridge	Chick collage
Commended	Molly	Wadebridge	The beach
Commended	Jack	Wadebridge	Land and Sea
KS3			
1 st	Lucy	Independent	The Fox
2 nd	Florence	Independent	One Minute to Midnight
Highly Commended	Naeve	Penryn	Gorilla
Highly Commended	Zoe	Fowey River	Ea Seguy
Highly Commended	Rhys	Fowey River	Earth
Highly Commended	Amalie	Fowey River	Earth
Highly Commended	Oscar	Fowey River	Earth
Commended	Isabelle	Fowey River	Insects
Commended	Ruby	Fowey River	Insects
Commended	Anaiya	Fowey River	Earth
Commended	Faith	Fowey River	Earth
Commended	Trixie	Fowey River	Earth
Commended	Edith	Fowey River	Earth

POETRY

Award	Name	School/Independent	Title, where given
KS1			
1 st	Rosa	Independent	I can See A Flower
KS2			
1 st	Byron	Blisland	The Chough
Joint 2 nd	Rex	Independent	Our Natural World
Joint 2 nd	Emily	Blisland	The Swallow
Highly Commended	Tegan Wilcock	Polruan	The River Fowey
Highly Commended	Erin Mason	Blisland	Hedgehog
Highly Commended	Trystan	Brunel	A River
Highly Commended	Scarlett	Independent	Plastic In The Ocean
Commended	Hallie	Polruan	The Fowey River
Commended	Senara	Treverbryn	Nature Poem
Commended	Oliver	Pelynt	Hedgehog

Award	Name	School/ independent	Title, where given
KS3			
1 st	Louis	Independent	Epiphany
2 nd	Hugh	Richard Lander	From A Certain Point of View
Poet's Choice	Taran	Richard Lander	The Heron
Highly Commended	Rochelle	Richard Lander	Destruction Of Our Natural World
Highly Commended	Emily	Fowey River	Our Earth
Highly Commended	Merryn	Richard Lander	The Dream
Highly Commended	Florence	Independent	One Minute to Midnight
Highly Commended	Neala	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Eva	Richard Lander	Climate Change
Commended	Lizzie	Richard Lander	The Tides Move
Commended	Molly	Richard Lander	The Crisp Smell of Morning
Commended	Lexie	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Syd	Richard Lander	Abyss
Commended	Tabitha	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Connor	Richard Lander	In Bono Veritas
Commended	Savanna	Richard Lander	Naturally artificial
Commended	Lila	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Ben	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Freya	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Molly	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Ava	Richard Lander	Why?
Commended	Erin	Richard Lander	Our little Ball
Commended	Flo	Richard Lander	Mother of Nature
Commended	Rawhah	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Millie	Richard Lander	Battle
Commended	Lauren	Richard Lander	Changes
Commended	Seth	Richard Lander	The Fire

STORY

Award	Name	School/ Independent	Title, where given
KS2			
1 st	Anna	Independent	The Koala On The Kangaroo
Commended	Elodie	Wadebridge	Pride The Lion
Commended	Poppy	Independent	Cornish Spring
KS3			
1 st	Louis	Independent	Chough Hearts

Award	Name	School/ Independent	Title Where Given
Joint 2 nd	Lottie	Richard Lander	Two Faced
Joint 2 nd	George	Richard Lander	Our Natural World
Commended	Rudy	Richard Lander	Burning World
Commended	Jackson	Richard Lander	Bad News
Commended	Rosie	Independent	They Have Found Me

FACTUAL WRITING

Award	Name	School/ Independent	Title, where given
KS1			
1 st	Megan	Blisland	Dear Mr Mann
2 nd	Lerryn	Blisland	Plastic bags
Highly Commended	Fabian	Beacon	Dear Mr Attenborough
Highly Commended	Ethan	Beacon	Dear Mr Attenborough
Highly Commended	Henry	Polperro	Dear Mr Choos
Highly Commended	Oscar	St Cleer	Greenfinches
Highly Commended	Imogen	Beacon	Dear Mr Attenborough
Commended	Olivia	Beacon	Dear Sir
Commended	Perne	Beacon	Dear Sir
Commended	Samuel	St Cleer	Hedgehog
KS2			
1 st	Ryan	Wadebridge	Dear Mr Johnson
2 nd	Sophie	Polperro	Dear Mr Massey
Highly Commended	Gabriela	Beacon	Dear Scott Mann
Highly Commended	Phoebe	Beacon	What Is Plastic Pollution
Highly Commended	Lola	Beacon	Dear Scott Mann
Highly Commended	Mara	Pelynt	Dear Mr Johnson
Highly Commended	Emily	Wadebridge	Dear Mr Johnson
Highly Commended	Frankie	Beacon	What Is Plastic Pollution?
Commended	Iris	Beacon	Our Oceans!
Commended	Emily	Beacon	What Is Plastic Pollution?
Commended	Jamie	Beacon	Earth
KS3			
Highly Commended	Louis	Independent	The Mysteries of Misty Bogs