

Australia China Friendship Society ACT Branch Inc



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PANDA COMPETITION 2022

The Panda Competition is conducted every year by the Australia China Friendship Society and is open to students from Pre-schools, Primary schools and High schools in the ACT and Queanbeyan. The topic for this year's competition is:

Traditional Chinese Personal Accessories



We are looking for **traditional** Chinese items that are/were used as accessories to clothing or military uniforms for decoration purposes or expressions of social status. Such items could be bracelets, earrings, rings, hair clips, pins or slides, head-dresses, jade pendants, cuffs, collars, hats, belts, buckles, shoes and purses.

Students can do a drawing or painting, create works such as a collage or 3-dimensional construction, a poem or other creative work, appropriate to the student's age and school grade. Pre-school, Kindergarten, Year 1 and 2 students can also enter a colouring-in piece. **Please include the time period when the accessory was traditionally worn.**

The entry should preferably be the work of a single student. If a joint entry for more than 1 student is submitted only a single prize will be provided.

If the entry is in Mandarin an English translation must be provided.

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Conditions of entry are:

- All entries must be presented for judging and be available for the presentation ceremony.
- Only original entries will be accepted: photocopies, scanned copies or USBs will not be considered.
- Drawings and combination drawing/words should be **no larger than an A3 sheet**.
- Sculptures or collages must have a footprint **no larger than an A3 sheet**
- Essays are to be no more than one A4 page.
- One entry per student. (Entry must preferably be the work of only that student.)

All entries must have the following information provided on a label, that is easily read and securely attached to the entry, or they will be ineligible.

If the entry has multiple pieces, a label must be attached to each piece.

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School name:	
Teacher's name	
Student Name (First name plus Surname)	
Gender	Boy / Girl
Age of student	
School Year	

Entries must be received by 5pm Sunday 25 September 2022

Entries should be sent to: The Secretary (Panda Competition)
Australia China Friendship Society
PO Box 530
Civic Square ACT 2608

Judging of the entries will take place early in the school holidays and the presentation of prizes will be on a date to be advised. When sending in an entry, **please include a phone number and email contact address**, so that we can contact you with the names of the winners and details of the awards ceremony. If you are posting your entry please email acfsact@gmail.com , so that we can ensure it has arrived. If you would like to deliver your entry, please email acfsact@gmail.com

For further information about the competition please call Carol on 0417 041 148.

Yours sincerely,



Carol M Keil
President ACFS ACT Branch Inc
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