

The Department of Environment and Natural Resources
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT BUREAU
 CALABARZON Region

"INVEST IN OUR PLANET"
Short Story for Children Writing Contest

CALL FOR ENTRIES

As we celebrate Month of the Planet Earth, EMBR4A would like to tap into the enthusiasm and creativity of the youth in order to emphasize planet Earth's sustainability and how we can make the world a better place through short story writing. It aspires to motivate the society to learn from young people and consider how each of us may make a difference in the world.

Open to all Environment-loving, young, Filipino writers residing in the Philippines ages 18-25.

PRIZES

1st Prize	Php 20,000
2nd Prize	Php 15,000
3rd Prize	Php 10,000

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Submit a short story relatable to children ages 6-10 years old that encourages investing for Planet Earth. It may be fact or fiction and written in good taste, easy to read, use proper grammar and punctuation, and correct spelling. Your story should be brief, clear, humorous with a maximum of 500 words (including the title).

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

MESSAGE/CONTENT	30%	April 21	Deadline of submission of entries
RELEVANCE TO THE THEME	30%	April 22	Qualified entries will be posted on the EMBR4A official Facebook page
CREATIVITY/ORIGINALITY	20%	April 29	Announcement of winners.
COHERENCE/STRUCTURE	10%		
WRITING MECHANICS	10%		

KEY DATES

Read full mechanics at <https://tinyurl.com/SSWC22Mechanics>

To join, scan QR code or submit your entry through this link <https://tinyurl.com/SSWC4EM>

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