



Young Norwich Creative Awards 2024 – **How To Enter**

Win **£1,000** – Awards in Music, Writing, Visual Art, Digital Arts, Film, Performance, Fashion & Textiles & Most Creative Entrepreneur

The Young Norwich Creative Awards 2024 are now open for entry to all **16-25-year-olds** living, working or studying in the city of Norwich (as defined by Norwich City Council boundaries).

Due to the amazing number of entries last year there are now 8 awards – Music, Writing, Visual Art, Digital Arts, Film, Performance, Fashion & Textiles and the Norwich Freeman's Award for Most Creative Entrepreneur.

Each award offers a prize of **£1,000** and a **year's mentoring** from a major Norwich Arts Organisation.

The deadline for all entries is 9am on **Monday 10th June 2024**.

Submissions for any of the Awards should include completion of the online entry form (see below) and a link to a Google Drive containing your work – which must be completely original – and a Word document or mp3 audio file (400 words max) telling us where your inspiration has come from and how you have created the work (this will also be considered as part of the judging process).

There is no theme or specific brief, it is your creativity we want to see expressed, and so do please think outside of the box and create something that inspires you, others, and us. We do have a caveat though; in the spirit of this award, we would ask that the work not be explicitly profane or designed to cause offence.

You may enter as many award categories and as many times as you like.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

MUSIC AWARD

We would like all entrants to accompany their music with the following:

- o A lyric sheet (if your piece uses lyrics)
- o What instruments you would use to perform the piece in a live environment.
- o If you are using samples or ideas from elsewhere, please include and credit the source(s) and why you chose to use them to enhance the piece.

VISUAL ARTS AWARD

We are looking for:

- o A piece of work created using any artistic medium, such as paint, ceramics, 3D or digital. You must submit photographs of this and, if appropriate, the exact dimensions of your piece.

FILM AWARD

We are looking for:

- o A short film – maximum 5 minutes, delivered as an mp4 with appropriate credits.

FASHION & TEXTILES AWARD

Your entry should include:

- o Photographs of the outfit, garment or accessory you have designed and made (this can include shoes, hats, bags, jewellery, or other fashion accessories); and/or photographs of original textile designs (print, embroidery, weave, knit etc.).
- o Evidence of the process you took from your initial inspiration or concept, through idea generation and refinement of those ideas, to your final design.
- o Entrants are encouraged to show examples of the type of materials and fabrics used for their design, although this not compulsory.

WRITING AWARD

We are looking for submissions of one of the following, delivered as a Word document, clearly typed, in 14 point sans serif (or mp3 audio file):

- o A poem – maximum 100 lines
- o A short story or script – maximum 3000 words
- o Blog post – maximum 1000 words
- o A piece of factual journalism – maximum 2000 words

DIGITAL ARTS AWARD

You need to:

- o Create a new piece of artwork using only digital technology. This may include a process that leads to a drawing, sculpture, painting, photograph, animation, or film.
- o Entries to be supplied in a suitable format (eg jpeg or mp4).

PERFORMANCE AWARD

We are looking for:

- o Audio or video recording of the entrant's performance (maximum 5 minutes). Please ensure you provide credits for writer, director, sound, filmmaker as appropriate.
- o Entries to be supplied as mp3 or mp4 files.

NORWICH FREEMEN'S CHARITY MOST CREATIVE ENTREPRENEUR AWARD

This award is for potential development of an idea to start up a creative business in the city. There is no theme or specific brief, it is your creativity we want to see expressed, so do please think outside of the box and create something that inspires you, others – and us. The submission should include:

- o A PowerPoint presentation of 10 slides or less (or mp3 audio file) containing:
- o A Business Plan (1000 words max) detailing your idea, marketing, budget and plans for the first six months

ENTER NOW! Entry is by Google Form: <https://forms.gle/sqfLMbPF5Stf9SPg8>

You can access the link on our Twitter and Insta or you can email youngnorwichcreativesawards@gmail.com

Thanks for entering and good luck!

- Winners will be informed by Wednesday 26th June 2024 and invited to an evening of celebration at the Norwich Arts Centre on Wednesday 3rd July 2024. The judges' decision is final.

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