



**Australian  
Republic  
Movement**

# The Republic Essay Competition 2018

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The Republic Essay Competition is designed to recognise and reward talented young writers. It aims to encourage future leaders to reflect on Australian civics and citizenship.

Year 10, 11 and 12 students in Australian secondary schools are invited to submit an essay on the following topic (up to 1,000 words):

“Young Australians deserve to have a say on an Australian head of state. Discuss.”

## **PRIZE**

1<sup>st</sup> place: \$1000 and publication by Fairfax Media

2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$700

3<sup>rd</sup> place: \$300

Shortlisted entrants will receive an annual membership to the Australian Republic Movement.

## **SUBMISSIONS**

Please send submissions as a word document by 5:00pm 31 August 2018 to [essay@republic.org.au](mailto:essay@republic.org.au)

Thanks to Darlo Higher Education and a private donor for sponsoring the competition in 2018.

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