

## Rules of Thailand Science Drama Competition 2022

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### 1. Main Theme

- 1.1 The main theme of this competition is “Our Seas and Ocean for the Future”.
- 1.2 Storyline and music must be **properly cited** and **verifiable**.
- 1.3 Scientific knowledge should be integrated as part of acting and be included in a plot.

### 2. Requirements for Contestants

#### 2.1 Types of the Competition

##### 2.1.1 Staged Performance, which is split into two categories

- **Junior Category**
  - The contestants must be aged 12 years or less (born on 10 January 2010 onwards).
- **Open Category**
  - There is no age limit, but there must be **at least one** actor aged 12 or more.

##### 2.1.2 Short video performance

- **Short Films Category**
  - There is no age limit.

#### 2.2 The number of teams

- Each organization/institution can submit their team in all 3 categories without limit.
- Each team can only take part in only one category.
- In case there is more than one team from one organization/institution, an actor may participate in only one team. It is prohibited for actors to perform in two or more teams.

The directors can direct one or more teams from the same organization/institution.

### 2.3 The number of team members

- Each team can feature up to 15 members, comprising.
- Actors: Up to 12 actors are allowed. These actors can also direct the performance.
- Supervisor: Each team is led by 1 supervisor, who can work behind the scene but is not allowed to perform.
- Directors: Up to two directors are permitted for each team. They cannot directly participate in the show.

### 2.4 Duration of the Performance

- **The maximum allocated time per show is 7 minutes.** Spending shorter or longer duration will affect the scoring.
- **The show must be in ENGLISH only.** Languages other than English are not allowed.

## 3. Terms About the Competition

### 3.1 How to apply via Google Form link

**3.1.1** Fill in the application form and include a link to a video clip of the performance (Google Drive link or Youtube link). The video clip must be in .mp4/.mpeg format and not exceed 7 minutes in length and attach the following documents in PDF or Word format via Google Form.

(1) A scientific Knowledge in your Performance.

(2) A synopsis of your performance. Not more than 1-page.

(3) A reference e.g., academic Information, soundtrack or music, performance information, etc

**Applications may be submitted from 10 January to 31 March 2022.**

**3.1.2** Please specify the team's name, school/organization, and category of competition clearly for each video or file submitted.

**3.1.3** Contestants must make sure that the recording, both pictures, and sound, must be clear.

### 3.2 Junior and Open Category

- Video clips must not feature trimming or other special effects.

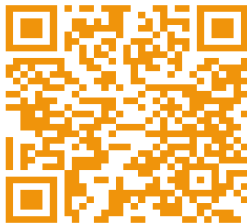
### 3.3 Short Films Category

- Contestants may trim or introduce other theatrical effects. Scoring will partly depend on production techniques, trimming, sequencing, and special effects.
- Throughout the video clip, **there must be English subtitles.**

### 3.4 Google Forms Links to Application Forms

- Junior Category  
<https://forms.gle/JJf3SEb3mXB3Ogaz8>
- Open Category  
<https://forms.gle/7AkDddhm9R1U2exBA>
- Short Films Category  
<https://forms.gle/swgMNP7gnkTVHwH68>

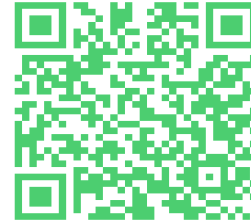
Why bother typing those lengthy links? You may also scan these QR codes to quickly access the application form.



Junior Category



Open Category



Short Film Category

## 4. Selection Process

- The improved video must be submitted by 31 March 2022.
- Qualifying round on 4 April 2022
- Announce the teams that have passed the qualifying round on 8 April 2022
- The judges judge for the final round on 21-22 April 2022
- The final winners are announced on 6 May 2022
- 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners in all three categories will have a mission to represent Thailand to compete in the International Science Drama Competition 2022, which will be organized online during July – September 2022.
- First place winners, **Junior Category** and **Open Category**, are invited to perform a science drama show in the National Science and Technology Fair 2022.

## 5. Criteria for the National Competition

Committee will refer to these criteria to make a decision. **There are 100 marks in total.**

### 5.1 Junior Category and Open Category

- Scientific knowledge                      20 marks
- Ability to perform                        20 marks
- Overview of the show                    30 marks
- Creativity                                    30 marks

### 5.2 Short films category

- Scientific knowledge                      20 marks
- Ability to perform                        20 marks
- Special effects, trimming and sequencing    30 marks
- Creativity                                    30 marks

## 6. Prizes, Scholarship and Support Grant

For Junior Category and Open Category, the rewards and monetary benefits will be shown below

**6.1 The first-place winner** will receive travel expense from NSM to perform at the National Science and Technology Fair 2022. The amount is 5,000 Baht per team.

**6.2 Prizes for contestants.** Winners in each category are eligible for the following prizes

- First place winner                      15,000 Baht for scholarship, presentation shield, and certificate
- Second place winner                    12,000 Baht for scholarship and certificate
- Third place winner                    10,000 Baht for scholarship and certificate
- Best actor and actress, junior category    3,000 Baht for scholarship and certificate
- Best actor and actress, open category    3,000 Baht for scholarship and certificate
- All contestants will receive a certificate

**Note:** Prizes and competition format can change appropriately in accordance with situations.