Global Engagement

Department of Education International

Students: Important
Information for The
Premier's Anzac Prize
Application

## Premier's Anzac Prize







#### Introduction:

The student application is in **two** parts.

- 1. Online application form
- 2. Multimedia presentation on a USB

Please refer to the <u>Students: Multimedia Presentation Resource</u> for detailed information about submitting a multimedia presentation.

The following pages contain essential information about the online application process.

#### This document gives you the opportunity to:

- Review the supporting documents for both parts of your application.
- Discuss your application with your parent(s)/guardian(s).
- Discuss this opportunity with a supporting teacher.
- Note: If you are shortlisted for an interview your supporting teacher will be contacted to verify and endorse your application via the Supporting Teacher's Endorsement of Application form.
- **Note:** Your application must adhere to the highest standards of academic honesty, demonstrating careful attention to plagiarism and the responsible use of Al-generated content.

#### In this document you will find:

- Screenshots of the Online Application Portal.
- The four key questions you will need to answer for your application.
- Students: Multimedia Presentation Resource
- Students: Eligibility Requirements for the Premier's Anzac Prize.
- Students: Conditions of Entry, Program Rules and Privacy Statement.
- Sample of <u>Applicant and Parent/Guardian Declaration</u>, <u>Acknowledgement and Consent Form</u> that will be emailed to you and your parent(s)/guardian(s) **after** you have completed your online application.
- Sample of <u>Supporting Teacher's Endorsement of Application</u> form that will be emailed to supporting teachers of applicants who have been **shortlisted** for an interview.

#### Important tips about the online application portal:

 Once you begin, you must complete and submit the online application in one sitting.

- There is no option to save your progress and return later to finish the application.
- Once submitted, you will not be able to make any changes to your application.
- We advise you complete this application with the support of your parent(s)/guardian(s).

## The Online Application Portal

Screen captures and the application questions

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### Premier's Anzac Prize





#### Premier's Anzac Prize - Student Application Portal

The Premier's Anzac Prize provides young Queenslanders with a meaningful opportunity to explore the Anzac legacy. Participants engage in research, workshops, and commemorative activities, culminating in visits to significant memorial sites in the United Kingdom and on the Western Front (France and Belgium), where Australian service personnel made profound sacrifices during World War I.

In preparation for the trip, prize recipients take part in activities such as researching and commemorating service personnel, engaging with their communities, and organizing fundraising projects. These efforts lead to a transformative two-week journey through Europe, visiting key locations that highlight Australia's wartime history and the enduring significance of the Anzac spirit.

The Premier's Anzac Prize is delivered by The Global Engagement team within the Department of Education International, and it is proudly presented in partnership with RSL Queensland

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#### **Privacy Statement:**

The Department of Education (the department) is collecting personal information on this form for the purpose of administering the 2026 Premier's Anzac Prize (the Prize). The information provided will be used by departmental employees involved in administering the Prize to assess and shortlist the application, verify the information provided and contact applicants, parents and endorsing principals (for example, to request further information).

During shortlisting, the information will be shared with an evaluation committee comprised of external third-parties that may include key stakeholders in the Prize, corporate sponsors of the Prize, State Library of Queensland, chaperones selected for the Prize, non-state school teachers and representatives from universities across Queensland.

Shortlisted entries will be shared with a selection panel comprised of external third parties that may include a serving member of the Australian Defence Force and an ANZAC descendant for the purpose of determining the Prize recipients.

The prize recipient's personal information will be used to create a biography that will be included in a media release and made public (for example it may be put in a media release, given to media organisations, and will be put on the internet).

The personal information will be used for planning and organising the Prize tour and some of the information will be disclosed to insurance organisations, tour operators, airlines, travel companies, accommodation providers and other external parties involved in providing services to the group as part of the overseas tour. Some of the personal information, for example information about any special requirements or medical conditions, may be given to the other chaperone selected for the tour for the purpose of assisting the department to comply with its duty of care. Relevant information will be given to medical professionals in the event medical attention is required while on the tour.

The personal information may be transferred overseas (for example, when emailed to an account whose servers are located overseas and during the planning and organising of the Prize).

Department's Privacy Policy: <a href="https://www.qld.gov.au/legal/privacy">https://www.qld.gov.au/legal/privacy</a>

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#### Thank you for your interest in the Premier's Anzac Prize!

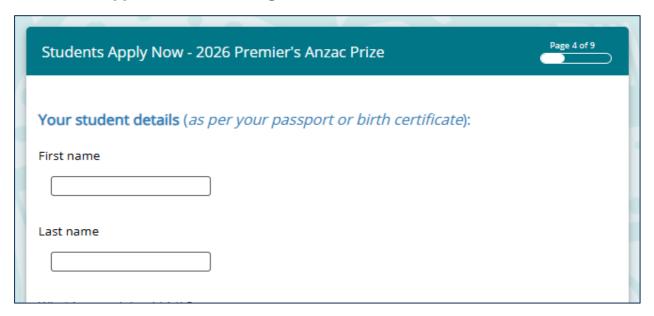
#### Important:

- Before you apply, you must read the <u>Students: Important Information for the Premier's</u>
   <u>Anzac Prize Application</u> so you know what questions you will have to answer.
- · Complete both parts of the application process
  - Submit the online application form
  - · Provide a multimedia presentation
- · Once you begin, you must complete and submit the online application in one sitting.
- There is no option to save your progress and return later to finish the application.
- · Once submitted, you will not be able to make any changes to your application.
- We advise you complete this online application with the support of your parent(s)/guardian(s).
- · Post your multimedia submission to the Department of Education by 5:00pm on 22 July 2025.

#### Before applying, I confirm I have been to the Premier's Anzac Prize webpage and have:

- · Read the Students: Eligibility Requirements for Premier's Anzac Prize document.
- · Read the Students: Conditions of Entry, Program Rules and Privacy Statement document.
- · Read the Students: Multimedia Presentation Resource document.
- Discussed this opportunity with my parent(s)/guardian(s), and they support my application.
   They will sign the Applicant and Parent/Guardian Declaration, Acknowledgement and Consent Form (emailed to applicants and parent(s)/guardian(s) after you have completed your online application).
- Discussed this opportunity with a supporting teacher. If I am shortlisted for an interview my supporting teacher will be contacted to verify and endorse my application via the Supporting Teacher's Endorsement of Application form.
- Ensured that my application adheres to the highest standards of academic honesty, demonstrating careful attention to plagiarism and the responsible use of AI generated content.

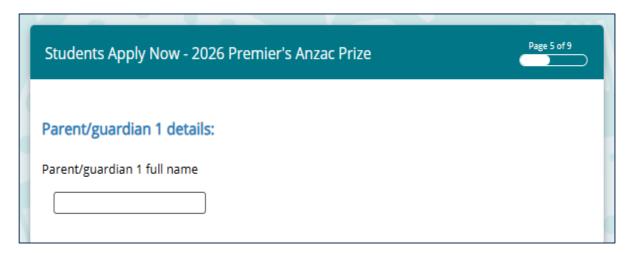




On this page, you will be asked to provide the following information:

Your student details (as per your passport or birth certificate):

- First name
- Last name
- What is your date of birth?
- Gender: How do you identify?
- Do you identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander?
- What is your residential post code?
- What is your mobile number?
- What is your email address? (You must use your school email address)
- Have you travelled overseas before?
- Have you participated in a Global Engagement program before?



On this page, you will be asked to provide the following information:

#### Parent/Guardian 1 details:

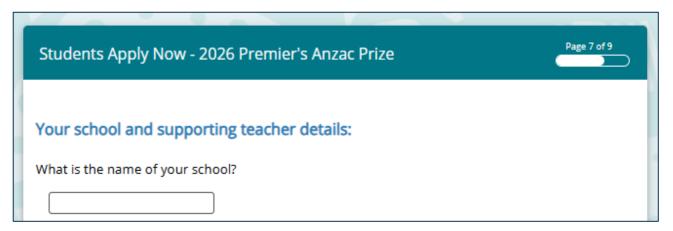
- o Parent/guardian 1 full name
- o Parent/guardian 1 relationship to student
- o Parent/guardian 1 mobile phone
- o Parent/guardian 1 email address
- o Parent/guardian 1 residential post code
- Does parent/guardian 1 speak a language other than English at home?

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Parent/guardian 2 details: (leave blank if not applicable)	
Parent/guardian 2 full name ( <i>leave blank if not applicable</i> )	

On this page, you will be asked to provide the following information (if applicable):

#### Parent/Guardian 2 details: (leave blank if not applicable):

- o Parent/guardian 2 full name (leave blank if not applicable
- o Parent/guardian 2 relationship to student (leave blank if not applicable)
- Parent/guardian 2 mobile phone (leave blank if not applicable)
- o Parent/guardian 2 email address (leave blank if not applicable)
- o Parent/guardian 2 residential post code (leave blank if not applicable)
- Does Parent/guardian 2 speak a language other than English at home?
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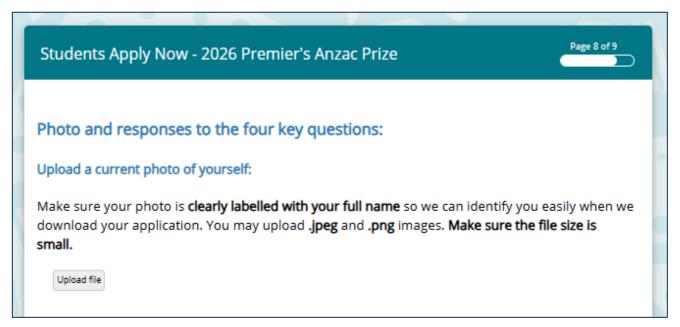
On this page, you will be asked to provide the following information:

#### Your school and supporting teacher details:

- o What is the name of your school?
- o What is your school's post code?
- What is your current school year level?
- o Provide the name of the teacher who is happy to verify and endorse your application.
- o Provide your teacher's email address.

**Note:** Your supporting teacher will be contacted to verify and endorse your application **if you are shortlisted** for an interview.





On this page, we ask you to upload a photo of yourself. The instruction is:

#### Upload a current photo of yourself:

Make sure your photo **is clearly labelled with your full name** so we can identify you easily when we download your application. You may upload **.jpeg** and **.png** images. **Make sure the file size is small.** 

Underneath the 'Upload a current photo of yourself' section, you will find the **four key questions**. The purpose of these questions is to learn more about you. You should prepare your responses ready to 'cut and paste' into the Online Application Portal.

Question 1: Tell us about yourself and describe the impact would have on you personally, your family and your school (2000 characters maximum - approx. 300 words)	
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#### The four key questions are:

**Question 1:** Tell us about yourself and describe the impact this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity would have on you personally, your family and your school community. (2000 characters maximum - approx. 300 words)

Question 2: How do you believe participating in the Premier's Anzac Prize will deepen your understanding of the Anzac legacy and its enduring significance? How will this experience help you appreciate different cultures and perspectives in the context of commemoration and remembrance?  (2000 characters maximum - approx. 300 words)
Question 2: How do you believe participating in the Premier's Anzac Prize will deepen your understanding of the Anzac Legacy and its enduring significance?
How will this experience help you appreciate cultures and perspectives in the context of commemoration and remembrance?
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Question 3: Tell us about a time when you faced adversity (tough times), how you dealt with the situation, and what the experience taught you about yourself.  (2000 characters maximum - approx. 300 words)

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Students are required to submit a multimedia presentation addressing the following question.

**Question 4:** The legacy of the Anzacs extends beyond the battlefield, and shaped lasting societal change and technological advancements. With this in mind, in what ways does the legacy of the Anzacs continue to shape life in your local area today?

(NOTE: no online response required, students prepare a multimodal presentation to submit via USB, details below)

Applicants will need to:

- Explore the contribution of a serviceperson from World War I (optional: reference to a second conflict or peacekeeping mission)
- Include local stories and personal research to ensure unique, research-based responses.

To get you started with your research you may wish to consider some of the following suggestions. Or you are welcome to develop your own ideas.

- the concept of 'legacy' in various forms and/or the concept of 'legacy' beyond commemoration
- the role of remembrance in shaping identity
- the importance of continuity and intergenerational storytelling including the role of family histories, local commemorative traditions, and community awareness.
- the role of women, political debates about conscription, relationships with the British Empire, and the experiences of returned soldiers
- innovations that have influenced modern medicine, technology, and social systems
- the contributions of returned service personnel to their communities (work, family, civic involvement)
- the contributions of Australian service personnel in diverse roles (medical, military, intelligence, communications).

**Question 4** (note: no online response required, students prepare a multimodal presentation to submit via USB, details below):

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The legacy of the Anzacs extends beyond the battlefield, and shaped lasting societal change and technological advancements. With this in mind, in what ways does the legacy of the Anzacs continue to shape life in your local area today?

Details on how to submit your USB with your multimedia presentation is in Students: Multimedia Presentation Resource.

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#### Thank you for applying for the Premier's Anzac Prize!

#### Next Steps:

- A Project Officer will send you and your parent(s)/guardian(s) a confirmation email after reviewing your application. You and your parent(s)/guardian(s) will be required to sign the Applicant and Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Declaration, Acknowledgement and Consent Form at this point.
- · Please allow up to 48 hours to receive the email.
- · Once all applications are processed, a panel will review and shortlist.
- · All applicants will be notified of the outcome from the shortlisting stage via email.
- · If shortlisted, a Project Officer will:
  - Contact your supporting teacher to endorse your application and suitability for the program.
  - Contact your supporting teacher who will be required to complete the Supporting Teacher's Endorsement of Application form.
- · Shortlisted applicants will be invited to an interview with a selection panel.
- · Interviews will be conducted online via Microsoft Teams.
- All interviewed applicants will be notified of the outcome via email from the Director, Global Engagement.
- Further details about the selection process can be found in the Students: Conditions of Entry,
   Program Rules and Privacy Statement.
- · If you have any further questions, contact premiersanzacprize@qed.qld.gov.au.

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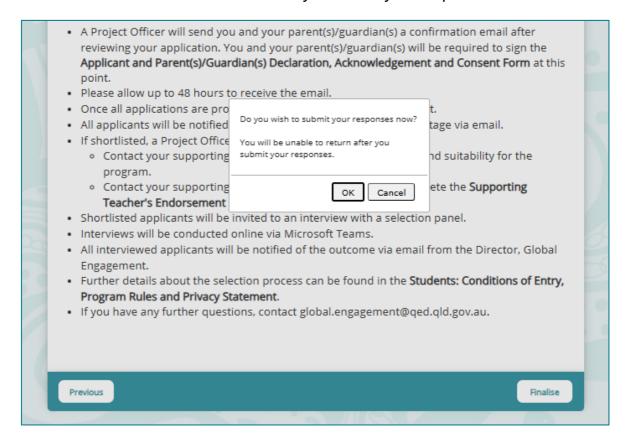
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  Form at this point.
- Please allow up to 5 business days to receive the confirmation email.
- Once all applications including the multimedia presentations are processed, a panel will review and shortlist.
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  - Contact your supporting teacher to endorse your application and suitability for the program.
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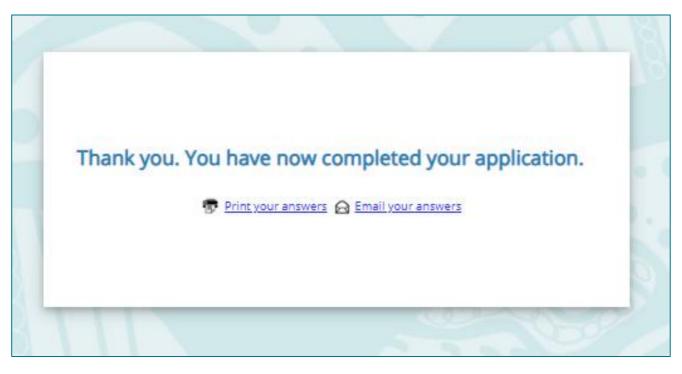
Note: When you click the 'Finalise' button, a message will pop up. It states:

- Do you wish to submit your responses now?
- You will be unable to return after you submit your responses.



You can click '**OK**' to complete your application, or click '**Cancel**' and use the '**Previous**' button to navigate to other pages.

#### **Online Application Portal-Exit page**



On the exit screen page, you will receive a message that reads:

'Thank you. You have now completed your application.'

#### You will also have the option to:

- Print your answers, or
- Email your answers.

You should email your answers to yourself and save them to your device.

# This is the end of the 'Students: Important Information for The Premier's Anzac Prize Application' document.

Please contact us if you require any further information or assistance with completing your online application.

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