

International Year of the Periodic Table (IYPT)

#IYPTChallenge

Important information about our Terms and Conditions – please read before entering the challenge.

Terms and conditions:

1. THE PROMOTER

The Promoter is: THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF CHEMISTRY, incorporated in England by Royal Charter (Registered No. RC000524) and a Registered Charity No. 207890, with its registered address at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W1J 0BA, United Kingdom.

2. THE COMPETITION

2.1 The title of the competition is: #IYPTChallenge.

2.2 Schools, school teachers and / or school pupils ('Applicants') must submit a video on Facebook, Twitter and / or LinkedIn of teachers and / or pupils reciting all the elements on the periodic table in under two minutes.

3. HOW TO ENTER

3.1 The competition will run from 16:00 on 09 December 2019 (the "Opening Date") to 17:00 on 10 January 2020 (the "Closing Date") inclusive. Applicants may enter the competition by sharing their video on Facebook, Twitter and / or LinkedIn and tagging the RSC and #IYPTChallenge.

3.2 All competition entries must be received by the Promoter by no later than 17:00 on the Closing Date. All competition entries received after the Closing Date are automatically disqualified.

3.3 The Promoter will not accept:

(a) responsibility for competition entries that are lost, damaged or delayed, regardless of cause, including, for example, as a result of any equipment failure, technical malfunction, systems, satellite, network, server, computer hardware or software failure of any kind; or

(b) proof of transmission as proof of receipt of entry to the competition.

3.4 By submitting a competition entry, you are agreeing to be bound by these terms and conditions.

3.5 The URL for location of the competition terms and conditions is: <https://www.rsc.org/iypt/>

3.6 For help with entries, please contact social@rsc.org.

3.7 Five finalist entries will be shortlisted by the RSC Social Group and one winner per social media site (LinkedIn, Twitter and / or Facebook) will then be selected by the IYPT advisory group. The winners will then be contacted on or around the 13 January 2020 (“the Announcement Date”).

4. ELIGIBILITY

4.1 The competition is global and open to people of all ages. If you are under the age of 18, you must obtain written parental or guardian consent to enter and claim your prize. The Promoter may ask the winners to provide proof of age.

4.2 One entry to the competition per Applicant, per social media site (LinkedIn, Twitter and / or Facebook) is permitted. Joint submissions are permitted.

4.3 Submissions will be monitored to ensure that they are appropriate.

5. THE PRIZE

5.1 The winners will each receive a set of 118 IYPT Element Infographic print-outs for their School.

5.2 There will be no cash substitute.

6. WINNER

6.1 The Promoter will contact the winners personally by direct message (through Twitter, LinkedIn or Facebook) and will arrange for the delivery of the prizes to the winners.

6.2 The decisions of the RSC Social Group and IYPT advisory group are final and no correspondence or discussion will be entered into.

7. OWNERSHIP OF COMPETITION ENTRIES AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

7.1 All competition entries and any accompanying material submitted to the Promoter will become the property of the Promoter on receipt.

7.2 All competition entries may be used in any future news / PR / social / marketing activities by the Promoter. Any future use will not be for commercial gain.

7.3 By submitting your competition entry and any accompanying material, you agree to:

- (a) assign to the Promoter all your intellectual property rights with full title guarantee; and
- (b) waive all moral rights,

in and to your competition entry and otherwise arising in connection with your entry to which you may now or at any time in the future be entitled under the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988 as amended from time to time and under all similar legislation from time to time in force anywhere in the world.

8. DATA PROTECTION AND PUBLICITY

8.1 The Promoter will only process your personal information as set out in the privacy policy: <https://www.rsc.org/help-legal/legal/privacy/>

8.2 Each Applicant’s data may be shared internally for the purpose of choosing a winner.

8.3 The announcement of the winners will contain the winner's name and name of their school which may be viewed on Twitter, LinkedIn, Facebook or via the RSC website.

9. GENERAL

9.1 If there is any reason to believe that there has been a breach of these terms and conditions, the Promoter may, at its sole discretion, reserve the right to exclude you from participating in the competition.

9.2 The Promoter reserves the right to hold void, suspend, cancel, or amend the prize competition where it becomes necessary to do so.

9.3 These terms and conditions shall be governed by English law, and the parties submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England and Wales.