

- 1) All information detailing how to enter this competition forms part of these terms and conditions. It is a condition of entry that all terms and conditions are adhered to. Submission of an entry will be taken to mean acceptance of these terms and conditions.
- 2) The theme for the competition is 'vibrant nature'.
- 3) This competition is open to all residents of the UK, except for employees and volunteers of the National Trust, who are directly associated with this competition and the judging panel.
- 4) Entrants 6-17yrs must obtain the consent of a parent/guardian prior to taking part in the competition, and the parent/guardian agrees to the terms and conditions on their behalf.
- 5) Entrants may submit a maximum of two photographs. If an entrant submits any additional photographs above the two-photograph limit, these will not be accepted by the judges and only that person's first two photographs will be acknowledged as official entries.
- 6) Photos must not include any people. Any images that do will be disqualified
- 7) All photographs must be taken within the grounds of Winkworth. They do not need to be new photographs.
- 8) All images submitted must be the work of the individual submitting them and must not have been published elsewhere (excluding social media) or have won a prize in any other photographic competition.
- 9) Entrants must ensure that the photographs they are submitting are their own work, that they own the copyright for them and that they do not infringe the copyright or other rights of any third party or any laws.
- 10) Each photo must be submitted with no more than 50 words explaining why you took the picture and how it meets the theme.
- 11) Minimum file size is 5mb and 300dpi. We reserve the right to select an alternative finalist if our first choice is not suitable for print.
- 12) All entries must be received by midnight on Friday 30 April 2027.

Judging

- 13) The winning entries will be judged to be the most visually appealing interpretations of the theme from the 2 categories – Adults 18+ and Young Person 6-17yrs
- 14) Judging will be undertaken by a panel comprising one National Trust representative and two independent, local professional photographers.
- 15) The decision of the judges is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

Prizes

- 16) Shortlisted entries will be notified by email by Friday 21 May. If shortlisted entries cannot be contacted or are not available, the judges reserve the right to select another winner from the eligible entries which were received before the closing date.
- 17) Winners will be announced at Winkworth on Friday 28 May. All shortlisted candidates will be invited to attend.
- 18) Short listed entries will become part of the outdoor exhibition and receive one free entry for themselves and 1 guest to visit Winkworth to see the exhibition

19) The overall winners in each age category of the Winkworth photography competition will be named 'Winkworth Photography of the Year' or 'Winkworth Junior Photographer of the Year', with free entry for themselves and three others to visit Winkworth to see the exhibition.

20) The prize is non-transferable and there are no cash alternatives.

Licensing and permissions

21) Entrants will retain copyright and moral rights in their submitted images however, by entering, all entrants:

- a. grant the National Trust non-exclusive rights to use the images to promote the competition the images were submitted to or for similar future competitions within a five-year period of the winners of the competition being announced.
- b. agree that the use referred to in Clause 20(a) above may include publishing, displaying or otherwise reproducing the images (whether on the internet, in exhibitions or otherwise) provided such use is for the purposes of promoting the competition or similar future competitions only; and
- c. agree that the National Trust may contact them using the contact details they provide to discuss potential use of the images beyond promotion of the competition. Such discussion and negotiation will be independent from the competition and will not affect entrants' chances of winning.

22) Events may occur that render the competition itself or the awarding of the prizes impossible due to reasons beyond the control of the National Trust and accordingly the National Trust may at its absolute discretion vary or amend the promotion and the entrant agrees that no liability shall attach to the promoter as a result thereof.

23) The competition is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with any social media company. E.g. Facebook or Instagram.

24) English law applies and the exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts shall prevail.

25) Your privacy is important to us. We will securely process your personal data, including sending you relevant information only in relation to this competition. If you would like your data to be removed, or for any other enquiries, please contact us by emailing Winkworth.arboretum@nationaltrust.org.uk. Please see our [Privacy Policy](#) for more information on how we look after your personal information. "We" and "us" means the National Trust, charity number 205846, and National Trust (Enterprises) Limited.