

Competition rules and regulations

« Coups de cœur des étudiants internationaux »

Participation from March 1st to March 31st, 2021

1 - Organisers

This competition is organized by:

- le Centre Départemental Information Jeunesse de Charente Maritime,
- le Centre Information Jeunesse d'Angoulême – Europe Direct des Charentes.

With the help and support of:

- la Communauté d'Agglomération de La Rochelle
- la Communauté d'Agglomération du Grand Angoulême.

Terms and conditions as well as particularities are described in the rules hereafter.

2 – Competition contestants

Contestants must be :

- **attendees at one of the higher education schools** either in the La Rochelle conurbation or the Angoulême conurbation.
- **an international student.**

A proof might be required to award the prize.

Contestants must read and accept the competition rules and regulations.

No participation will be accepted without signature to agree with the competition rules and regulations.

The organiser reserves the right to proceed to all necessary controls referring to the identity, postal or email address of the contestants.

3 – Purpose of the competition

Participation in the competition is entirely free.

Participation in the competition « coups de cœur des étudiants internationaux » is from March 1st to March 31st, 2021.

Contestants must submit a picture of their “coup de coeur” place (favourite place) of their study geographical area: panorama, viewpoint, emblematic place, calming area, art or sports practicing place... Range of possibilities is large since the contestant highlights her/his favourite place in her/his study geographical area.

There are two possible formats: photography or drawing.

4 - Specifications

Contestants will obey the following rules:

Drawings :

- The format will be free
- All drawing techniques are authorized.

Photographies :

- the photography will be submitted in High Definition and be at least 1 Mo in size.

For both formats :

- No added text.
- To avoid all right to the image issue, the submitted pictures will not show any recognizable people.
- The file name should be clearly labelled with the participant's name when the picture is sent by email.

5 – Submission of entries

Submissions will be as follow:

- delivered to the addressee in person or by post:

At CDIJ de La Rochelle

ECOLE DOR - 24 RUE SAINT-JEAN DU PEROT –BP 1005 -17087 LA ROCHELLE Cedex 02

Or at CIJ d'Angoulême :

4 rue Place du Champ de Mars – 16000 ANGOULEME

The picture will bear the contestant's family name, first name, telephone number, and school on its back. All submitted pictures will be kept by the organizers.

- online via the platform on the site www.angoumois-etudiant.com
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The submission deadline is 31st March 2021, before 11.59pm.

No submission will be accepted after this deadline.

Non respect of the terms and conditions described in this competition rules and regulations will entail nullity of the contestant's participation.

Each participant can submit only one picture for this competition.

6 – Selection

The selection of the winners will be carried out by a panel of judges from the two territories.

The panel of judges will evaluate the pictures based on the two following criteria:

1. Respect for the purpose of the competition: highlighting of a geographical site from the La Rochelle and Angoulême conurbations.
2. Originality and creativity of the view: ability to present a subject from a new angle or a previously unseen way.

7 - Obligations

Drawings and photographs must respect the theme of the competition and be in compliance with the applicable laws.

They must not cause harm to the public order nor to moral standards. Organizers reserve the right to remove drawings of a pornographic, paedophile, or racist nature or discriminating or of any other offence punishable by law.

Any inappropriate behaviour leading to falsifying the principle itself of the competition, any fraud or cheating attempt from a contestant will lead to the nullity of her/his participation.

Any decision from the organizers will be final.

The contestant declares and guarantees:

- She/He is the author of the drawing or photography produced for the competition and therefore she/he is the exclusive holder of the literary and artistic property rights – i.e. the right to her/his name, all rights of reproduction and the right to public display of the picture.

- She/He has previously obtained a written authorization by the owner of the property represented, so that the organizers shall not be held liable when using the drawing or photography submitted in the framework of this competition.

8 - Prizes

The panel of judges appointed by the organizers will select the best drawings and will award the following prizes:

Two categories :

One category dedicated to the contestants from the Angoulême conurbation, a second one dedicated to the contestants from the La Rochelle conurbation.

These two categories will have respectively three prizes:

Photography prize: a camera

Drawing prize: a graphic tablet

« coup de cœur » prize: books and comics

The following prizes will be goodies.

These prizes will not be claimed in any form different from the one described in this competition rules and regulations. Prizes are non-transferrable and non-exchangeable for cash. The organizers reserve the right to modify the nature or value of the competition prizes when necessary.

The decisions from the panel of judges are final and cannot be appealed.

9 – Awards ceremony

Prizes will be awarded during the second fortnight of April 2021, in accordance with the relevant sanitary conditions. All contestants will receive an invitation about ten days before. The drawings and photographs will be displayed during the awards ceremony and they may be subject to a future exhibition.

The panel of judges may ask an interview to the selected contestants.

The decisions of the panel of judges will be final.

Results of the competition will be delivered personally to the winners on the day of the awards ceremony.

10 – Legal information

In accordance with the legal requirements stated in article 34 of the 'Informatique et Libertés' act of 6 January 1978, each participant is informed that collected named information is necessary for the participation in the competition and is computerized. Each contestant is informed that she/he has a right to access, modify or cancel her/his personal data.

11 – Authorisations and liability

The organizers shall not be held liable for any fault linked to the competition, be that a human mistake, a computer error or any other kind of errors.

Within the framework of this competition, competitors authorise all the partners to use, without any fee payment, the drawings and photographs submitted for selection, and which will be used for cultural purpose only.

Therefore, the contestant grants the organizers the rights for distribution, reproduction, production and adaptation of the drawings and photographs, without any fee payment, on all electronic media (e-letters, websites, social networks...) and papers linked to the organizers' communication (exhibition, brochures, posters...). The pictures will not be used by the organizers for commercial purposes.

Besides, the organizers may post the “non-winning” pictures of the contestants on their sites and social networks.

For any other specific requirement, different from those mentioned in the competition rules and regulations, the organizers commit themselves to informing the authors and to only using the pictures with their previous authorisation.

12 – Acceptance of rules and regulations

Participation in this competition involves full agreement of the contestants with this competition rules and regulations and with the decisions referring to each aspect of the competition, that will be final and legally binding. Non respect of the competition rules and regulations will entail the cancellation of the application.