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- Entries must be lodged by 31 May 2021.
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- It must be a minimum length of 50,000 words and a maximum of 80,000 words.
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