

Festival: The Colours of Life - Rules for Manga Category

1. The competition will be in the form of **short story manga** creation relating to the theme this year.
2. This category is for participants of age 7-35.
3. Participants can choose to participate alone or pair up with a friend.
4. Participants are to produce the **short story manga** on **single-sided A4-sized** paper
5. The page limit is 2 – 8 pages (for individuals) and 4 – 16 pages (for pairs) respectively.
6. The pages are to be illustrated in **colour or tones of black and white (including grey)** using **traditional medium (ink, pencil, screen tone paper or water colour medium etc)** and/or using **computer programs (Adobe Photoshop, Coral Painter, Tab Manga etc)**
7. Participants using traditional medium will be required to submit the hardcopy
8. Participants using digital medium will submit a printed copy of their work and a CD containing records of their work progress to prevent any incidences and/or claims of plagiarism.
9. By entering this competition, all entrants agree that 'Graphite 08' and the organizing committee for the art competition cannot be held responsible for any damage or loss of artwork. In addition, the organizer has the right to copy or duplicate any submitted piece of work for later promotional use and for other commercial purpose.
10. All entrants by submission also declare their entry to be an original (previously unpublished) and not copied from any other. 'Graphite 08' or its organizer will not be responsible for any copyright breach, plagiarism or legal infringement.
11. All disqualifications and disputes over eligibility for participation and/or winning a prize will be settled at the judges' and organizers' discretion. All judges and organizer decisions will be final.
12. The organizers retain the right to alter these terms and conditions at any point before the judging without prior notice.