

new competition the rhythm and rhyme challenge

- Write a poem of at least ten lines with a regular rhyming pattern and a regular rhythm.
- You may wish to use verses. If so, each verse should have the same pattern.
- Your poem could be a ballad telling a story or a poem addressed to a creature, person or place.
- It could be sad or funny. It could be a description, a celebration or a complaint.
- Go on a rhyme hunt and get out your fingers to count out the beats!

School year groups

Years 4–6:

Three winners receive a \$25 Scorpio Books voucher each.

Year 7–8:

Three winners receive a \$30 Scorpio Books voucher each.

Years 9–11:

Three winners receive a \$40 Scorpio Books voucher each.

ENTRY FEE

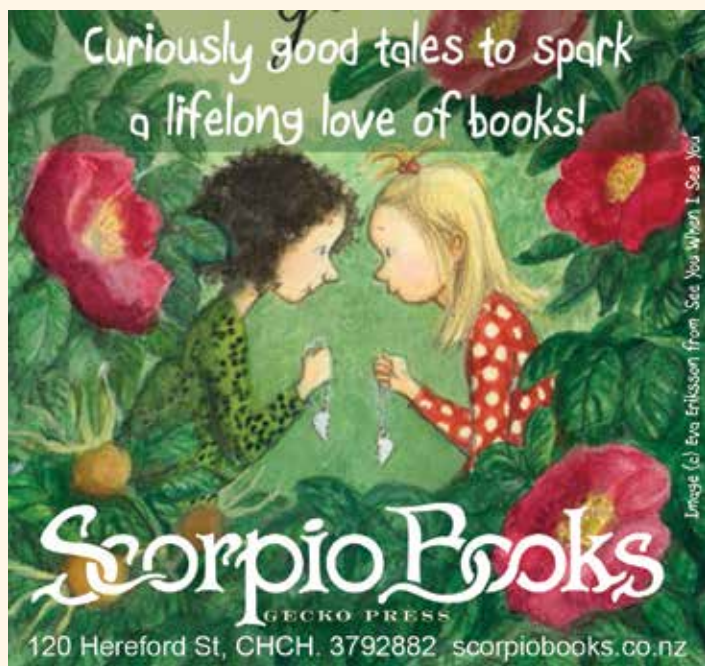
Three (3) unused Kiwi Stamps per entry.

Only Kiwi Stamps will be accepted.

Post your entries to

The Rhythm & Rhyme Challenge
PO Box 21120, Christchurch 8143

Deadline
20th October, 2017



rhythm and rhyme challenge ENTRY FORM

Fill in and sign this form and staple it to your story.

Name _____

Address _____

Post Code _____

Landline telephone number (0) _____

Family email address _____

Contact parent's name _____

Name of your school _____

Age ____ Date of birth _____ Year level at school (2017) _____

Agreement: I have entered my own original work. It is not copied from any other source. It has not been and will not be entered for any other competition. The School for Young Writers reserves the right not to award a prize if the standard of writing is poor.

I enclose entry fee

Signed: _____

Make it fun for your readers!

And to make it fun for the judges, please

- type your work in Times New Roman on white A4 paper
- Send only your poem. Do not add borders or illustrations.
- Left-justify your poem.

**Results will be published in the
Summer 2017–18 edition of *Write On*.**

If you would like to receive the results in person, please enclose a stamped-addressed envelope.

**Thanks to Scorpio Books for their generosity in
assisting with the prizes for this competition.**