

'The Full Story' Writing Competition

To help showcase the amazing creativity of our students, Belvedere College, Clongowes Wood College and Gonzaga College, are running our second annual 'Tri-College' writing competition. We are also delighted to be able to announce that the award-winning author, Sheena Wilkinson, will be the independent adjudicator for this year. Additionally, the winners and runners up will have the opportunity to attend a **writing masterclass** with a published author as soon as restrictions allow.

The **winning entry in each category will receive a €100 voucher** and the **runner(s)up a €50 voucher**. Winning and runner-up pieces will be published in all of the respective College Yearbooks. Best of luck to you all and we look forward to seeing your Shakespeare side!

Categories

Two categories. **Junior** (1st to 3rd Year) and **Senior** (4th to 6th Year)

Closing Date

April 16th 2021. Please email your submission to your OWN school librarian. **Belvedere students**, please attach your entry as a document and email to: aivory@belvederecollege.ie. Students need to put 'The Full Story' in the email 'Subject' field

Criteria

Junior:

1. A Flash Fiction story of 500 words. The word-count may be less, but it can NOT exceed the 500-word mark.

It must contain the following phrase somewhere within the story:

'...as night became day, he started to understand the truth...'

OR

2. A Flash Fiction story of 500 words, inspired by the image below. The word-count may be less, but it can NOT exceed the 500-word mark.



Senior:

1. A short story/piece of prose*/poetry inspired by the quote:

'Imagination governs the world' (Napoleon)

OR

2. A short story/piece of prose*/poetry containing the phrase:

'For there is always light, if only we're brave enough to see it. If only we're brave enough to be it.'

(Amanda Gorman)

OR

3. A short story/piece of prose*/poetry inspired by the following image



