

Land Economy Essay Competition 2012

This competition is intended for Lower Sixth Formers, with no restrictions as to subjects being studied.

Essay topic

Discuss the impact that any one of the following people has had on the world. Include in your response the reasoning that led you to select your chosen your individual.

- 1) Steve Jobs
- 2) Jane Goodall
- 3) David Hume
- 4) Jane Jacobs
- 5) Margaret Thatcher
- 6) Norman Foster
- 7) Bob Geldof
- 8) Eleanor Olstrom
- 9) Octavia Hill
- 10) Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels

Essays need not have their scope restricted to any particular country, and inclusion of global issues will be welcomed where it is relevant.

Competition rules

The word limit is 2500 words. Submitted essays must be typed in English, and every page should be marked with the entrant's name. All entrants must cite sources and secondary literature and provide a list of references at the end of the essay.

Entrants will be required to enter their details online and send the essay by email as a .PDF file. Teachers will be contacted to certify that the essay is the entrant's own work, and not part of any coursework submitted for an examination.

We regret that it will not be possible for us to provide individual feedback. The judges' general response to the field of entries will be posted on the Fitzwilliam College Land Economy webpage.

How to enter

Details of how to enter and submit essays will be available on the Fitzwilliam College website when the competition opens.

Closing date

The closing date for entries is 2nd March 2012.

Prizes

Prizes and certificates will be awarded at the Fitzwilliam College Arts Open Day on Saturday 28th April 2012. The prize fund is £300, including a first prize of £200. Certificates of merit may be awarded to runners-up who have impressed the judges.

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