The 35th Toyo University Gendai Gakusei Hyakunin Isshu (One Hundred Poems of Modern Students) Contest (Academic Year 2021) Guidelines for Contestants

Entry Period

Friday, September 17 – Wednesday, October 13, 2021 (both dates inclusive)

Entry/theme

Tanka poem expressing a present-day student's view, daily life, everyday feelings and sentiments, etc.

Eligible contestants

Undergraduate and graduate students (must be formally registered in university as full-time students)

Rules

Entries must be unpublished original tanka poems written by contestants. Entries that are simultaneously submitted to other tanka contests or are extremely similar to already published works will be disqualified.

How to enter the Contest

Write your poem and the required information in the attached application form, convert the file into a PDF, and send it to the address below.

* Each contestant may enter an unlimited number of tanka poems but must submit one form per poem. Two or more poems by the same contestant cannot be selected as winning works.

E-mail Address

mlkoho@toyo.jp (PR Section, General Affairs Dept., Toyo University)

Announcement of winning poems

Winning poems will be published on Toyo University's website on January 15, 2022. The winners will be notified in advance.

Commendation

The authors of the winning poems will receive a certificate of commendation and Toyo University goods.

Important notes

- 1. The copyrights of all the entries will belong to Toyo University.
- 2. Winning works will be published on Toyo University's website, along with the authors' name, university name, and year of study.
- 3. Winning works, with the indication of their authors' name, university name, year of study, and age will be compiled into a booklet which will be distributed to related parties.
- 4. Winning works and other entries may be published in newspapers, magazines, and/or other media.
- 5. Entries may be used in any other manners, as the need arises.
- 6. Entries will not be returned.
- 7. Personal information that Toyo University obtains in the process of handling the entries will not be used for purposes other than those mentioned above