

Tackling Ageism

engAGE short story competition

Get your entry
form in by 8pm
Wednesday
1 September!

You could
win a
\$100 book
voucher!

We are part of the Every Age Counts campaign to tackle ageism because people of all ages should be valued and respected, and their contributions be acknowledged.

Find out more about the campaign and take the pledge to end ageism at www.everyagecounts.org.au

Help support our campaign by submitting a 200 word short story about a special older person in your life!

Who are they? What do they mean to you? What do you want to share about them?

Categories

Preschool to Prep - Why is your special older person great?

Send us a drawing of your special person with a short description (an adult can write the description for you) on the entry form.

Primary - How has an older person helped you in your life?

Write a short story (maximum 200 words) on the online form or on the hard copy entry form. If you need more space, please use another piece of paper and staple it to your entry form.

Secondary - How has an older person shaped/changed your life?

Write a short story (maximum 200 words) either on the online form or on the hard copy entry form.

How to enter

In person

Place your hard copy form in to the entry form box at Realm library (Level 2, Realm, 179 Maroondah Highway, Ringwood) or at Croydon Library (Civic Square, Croydon) by 8pm Wednesday 1 September.

Online

Submit your online form by 8pm, Wednesday 1 September at www.maroondah.vic.gov.au/engAGE

Turn over for the entry form



Entry form

Entrant details

Category (please circle): Preschool to Prep | Primary | Secondary

Name of older person and relationship to entrant:

First name and surname:

Suburb:

School:

Year level:

Parent/guardian details

First name and surname:

Contact phone number:

Email:

Terms and Conditions

Entries must be from students who live and/or study in the City of Maroondah. Only one entry will be accepted per entrant. Maroondah City Council requires that all entries be original work. All entries become the property of Maroondah City Council. Original entries will not be returned. Submission of entry is agreement for Maroondah City Council and Eastern Regional Libraries to display/publish content including name of entrant and their special person, as well as the entrant's school and grade. These will be published on the Maroondah City Council website; social media channels and printed materials. The entrant will also agree to have their photograph taken with their entry and their special person if possible.

