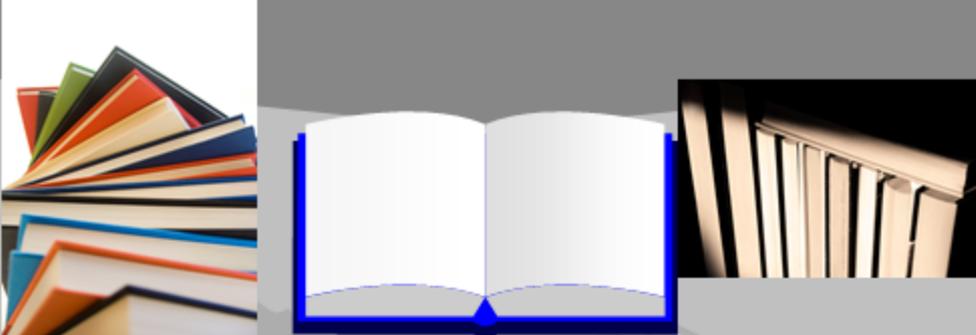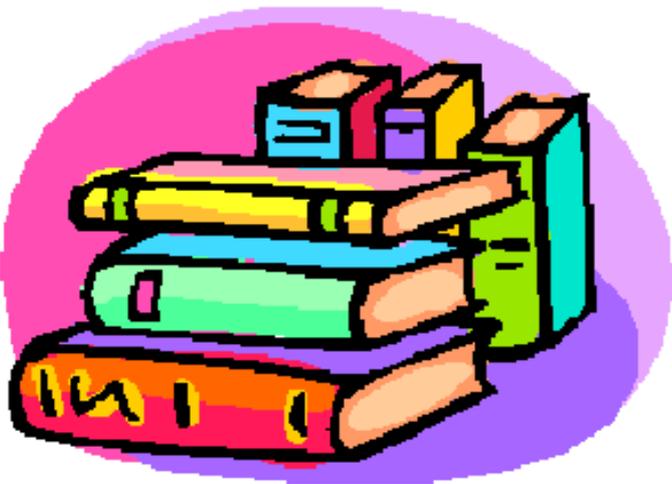# Student Leadership Project

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My Project

For my project as a student leader

I hosted a **Short Story Competition**

Short Story Competition

Students are Judges!

Give your entries to Mia Khan in 9PMO or to Mr. Morgan Russell in room 7.

BE CREATIVE!

Like stories?
Are you creative?
Prize for each year group

ENTER OUR SHORT STORY COMPETITION TODAY!

1,000 WORD LIMIT

8th– 29th June

1,000 WORDS

Why?

I decided to do a short story competition because we had one in year 7 but against other schools around the area. So I spoke to my mentor about my idea and we decided I would judge myself and the competition would be for anyone.

I also knew many people enjoyed it in
Year 7.

What I did

- Made a couple of ideas
- Showed ideas to mentor
- Decided on best idea (Short story competition)
- Created a plan of what I will do
- Created poster
- Showed one to mentor
- Printed many off
- Put around up the English block
- Asked tutor to notify the other tutors during a staff briefing to help advertise it
- Started the competition
- Received entries
- Ended and judged the competition
- Announced 2 winners

Result

- Out of the entries I had I decided on 2 winners, one from year 9 the other from year 10.

- One winner has been told the other I haven't managed to get hold off yet!

- I decided to ask them what they wanted as a prize (Within reason)

Problems

I had a few problems during my project, here were a few:

- Advertisement- I had a bit of trouble getting the word around to the other years as it was harder to find a place to tell them about it compared to standing up in front of my English class and advertising it.

- Interest- I found out from others that they were not as interested in the competition as before so it was harder to get entries.

- My booklet- Because my project didn't have many steps, I did have to split the steps a lot to be able to fill in the booklet .

- My Mentor- I feel like I did not meet with my mentor enough and that I should of spoken to them more often to make sure I was making the right amount of progress.

Improvements?

If I were to redo my project this year or continue the student leadership program into year 10 I would make sure I do these improvements:

- Speak with my mentor more often

- Pick a project with more steps

- Make sure my idea is interesting and maybe even ask others their opinion before my project starts.

Thank you

Thank you for listening to my presentation

Any Questions?