

The rules of fair play.

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1. ELIGIBILITY

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Open to students aged 15–19 in full-time secondary education. Under-18s require parent/guardian consent.

2. ACCOUNT AND SECURITY

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You're responsible for keeping your sign-in details secure. Don't share your account.

3. ENTRIES AND IP

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You retain ownership of the IP in your entry. By entering, you grant us a non-exclusive, royalty-free licence to display your entry for running, judging and publicising the competition, including in the Hall of Fame. Sponsor use of your entry beyond public display requires your separate, written consent.

4. CONDUCT

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Be respectful. We may suspend accounts for harassment, plagiarism, cheating, AI misuse contrary to the rules, or other breaches of these terms or the safeguarding policy.

5. JUDGING

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Independent industry judges score against a public rubric. Judges declare conflicts of interest and recuse themselves where appropriate.

6. PRIZES

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Awarded at category, pillar and National Final level. Details published on the Prizes page and confirmed in writing on award.

7. LIABILITY

7. Liability

We accept liability for personal injury or death caused by our negligence and for fraud. Otherwise our total liability is limited to the value of any fees paid in the preceding 12 months.

8. TERMINATION

8. Termination

You can close your account at any time. We can suspend or close accounts that breach these terms, with notice except in serious cases.

9. COMPLAINTS

9. Complaints

Email complaints@schoolsummit.com. Acknowledged within five working days; substantive response within 30 days.

10. GOVERNING LAW

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Northern Ireland law applies. Non-exclusive jurisdiction of Northern Ireland courts.

