

Arts University Bournemouth Animation Competition 2026 – Data Protection and Consent Notice

Personal Information Collected

Young people, parents, guardians, schools and colleges submitting an entry to the Arts University Bournemouth Animation Competition 2026 will be required to provide personal information to support the administration of their submission. This may include the entrant's first name, surname, year group, and school or college (where applicable), as well as contact information provided by a parent, guardian, carer, school or college representative.

How We Use Personal Data

Personal data collected will be used solely for the purposes of administering the Arts University Bournemouth Animation Competition 2026. This includes managing entries, facilitating the judging process, and contacting entrants or winners where necessary.

Arts University Bournemouth (AUB) may also use entrants' images, first names, surnames, year groups and school or college information for marketing and promotional purposes following the conclusion of the competition. This may include use across:

- AUB social media platforms
- AUB websites
- Media coverage, including newspapers and other publications
- AUB events, exhibitions and screenings

Winner Announcement and Publicity

The winner(s) of the competition will be publicly announced. By entering the competition, entrants and their parent or guardian (where applicable) agree that AUB may use the entrant's first name, image, surname (where appropriate), and school or college details for the purpose of announcing the winner and for other reasonable and related promotional activities. This includes publication on AUB's website and official social media channels, including Instagram, YouTube, LinkedIn, TikTok and Facebook.

Image and Data Retention

Once personal data or images are shared publicly, they may remain accessible in the public domain, including in news articles, printed materials, online content, posters and other media, even after the competition has ended or data retention periods have expired.

AUB will retain competition-related personal data securely within the Schools and College Liaison Team until 30 January 2027. After this date, data will be deleted or securely archived in line with AUB's data retention policies. Access to personal data will be restricted to staff directly involved in managing the competition.

If content involving personal data or images is shared with third parties, their own privacy policies will apply.

If at any time you believe personal data or images are being used inappropriately, please contact AUB at: dp@aub.ac.uk.

Schools, Colleges and Groups Responsibility

Schools, colleges and groups submitting entries on behalf of participants are responsible for ensuring that the first name, surname and year group of each entrant are accurately recorded on the submission form.

It is essential that any consent restrictions, objections, or safeguarding considerations are clearly indicated at the point of entry. If this information is not provided, Arts University Bournemouth cannot be held responsible for the use of personal data or images in accordance with the consent information supplied by the submitting school, college or group.

Schools, colleges and groups must confirm that appropriate consent has been obtained from each entrant and, where required, from their parent, guardian or carer, for the use of personal data and images as outlined in this notice.

By submitting entries, the school, college or group confirms that it has the necessary authority to provide entrant information and that all required permissions have been secured.

Parent / Guardian / Carer Consent

By entering the competition and completing the submission form, parents, guardians or carers (where applicable) confirm that they agree to the collection and use of personal information provided for the purposes of administering the competition and for the uses described in this notice.

Third-Party Sharing

Arts University Bournemouth will not sell or pass on entrants' personal contact details to any third party for marketing purposes. Any sharing of personal data will be limited to what is necessary for administering and promoting the competition as outlined above.

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact schools@aub.ac.uk