

Conditions of Entry

Each poet can submit a maximum of three poems, so long as the final submission does not exceed 30 lines in total.

Forms can be downloaded from both The New Writing Partnership's and Creative Arts East's websites. Entries must be completed in a minimum font size of 12 or maximum font size of 14.

Please note: the judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Poems that have already been published or accepted for publication elsewhere are excluded from the competition.

Poems will not be returned, so ensure that you keep your own copies for reference.

Deadline: Poems must arrive by 27 April 2007.

Mark your envelope 'CoR YPC' and send to:

The New Writing Partnership

**The New Writing Partnership
4-6 Netherconesford
93-95 King Street
Norwich
Norfolk NR1 1PW**

or



**Creative Arts East
Griffin Court
6 Market Square
Wymondham
Norfolk NR18 0GU**

Poets are also welcome to submit entries by email: corypc@gmail.com

In 2007, Norwich will become the UK's first **City of Refuge** for persecuted writers and their families. The City of Refuge will work with a refugee writer who will be engaged in regional, national and international work to promote an understanding of the issues faced by refugees and asylum seekers. Norwich is the first city in a network of more than 30 European, North American and Mexican cities to root this scheme in a practical programme of work in schools, libraries, arts venues, community centres, asylum seeker centres and prisons. The programme will contribute towards cross-cultural dialogue and understanding, encouraging tolerance and integration in the wider community. The City of Refuge project offers sanctuary, promotes internationalism and signifies a commitment by all those involved to free speech and anti-racism. For further information on the project please refer to www.newwritingpartnership.org.uk/cityofrefuge.

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Young Poets Competition

A word cloud centered around the word 'Refuge'. The word 'Refuge' is the largest and most prominent. Other words of varying sizes are scattered around it, including: transition, sanctuary, belonging, survival, explore, borders, tolerance, voices, rights, protection, peace, faith, time, past, identity, longing, freedom of speech, home, culture, future, emotion, change, create, desire, family, reflection, journey, rebirth, politics, present, distance, hope, community, dialogue, memory, living and recording, worlds, creativity, understanding, truth, freedom, and of expression.

Visit: www.newwritingpartnership.org.uk/cityofrefuge
for conditions and entry forms. **Deadline: 27 April 2007.**

Poets between the ages of **11-25** are invited to submit poetry on the theme of refuge. An anthology from the poems will be produced and the winners will also be invited to read their work during Refugee Week (18-24 June 2007).

Norwich City of Refuge