

Synergy Schools Solar Challenge Energy Champion Competition

Terms and Conditions

The “**Synergy Schools Solar Challenge Energy Champion Competition**” (the **Competition**) is a competition run by Electricity Generation and Retail Corporation (trading as Synergy) (ABN 58 673 830 106) (**Synergy**) on and subject to these terms and conditions (**Terms**). Information on how to enter and prizes form part of the Terms. Submission of an entry is deemed acceptance of the Terms. To the maximum extent permitted by law, Synergy’s decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into in relation to any dispute or other matter arising in relation to the Competition.

1. The Competition commences on Thursday 28 March 2024 WST and closes on Tuesday 30 April 2024 WST (**Competition Period**).

Eligibility

2. To be eligible to enter the Competition, the school must be registered for the 2024 Synergy Schools Solar Challenge (**Eligible Participant**).

The Competition

3. To enter the Competition, students in year 6 and/or year 8 enrolled at the Eligible Participant, must complete the 'Energy Champion' quiz and submit their completed quiz under the school's name and select their school year.
4. Each Eligible Participant will receive one online entry into the competition per completed student 'Energy Champion' quiz, up to a maximum amount of 30 (thirty) entries per year 6 and 30 (thirty) entries per year 8 student. A student may only complete the 'Energy Champion' quiz once and all questions must be answered in order for the entry to be eligible.
5. An entry is deemed to be received at the time it is received by Synergy and not at the time of transmission by the Eligible Participant.
6. The winning schools will be chosen at random by a Synergy representative selecting a completed student 'Energy Champion' quiz before 5:00pm WST on Friday 3 May 2024 at the Synergy office at 219 St George Tce, Perth, WA, 6000. The winning schools will be notified by phone and email following the prize draw.
7. The prize is a voucher for products from a Science educational supplier (**Prize**). The Prize is valued at \$250 (incl. GST). There will be 3 (three) Prizes awarded to 3 (three) different Eligible Participants who enter the Competition based on a random draw. An Eligible Participant can only win one prize. The total prize pool value is \$750 (incl. GST). The Prize will be posted by the supplier of the prize to the Principal of the winning school.
8. The Prize must be taken “as offered” and cannot be varied, extended, transferred, exchanged.
9. If the Prize is unavailable for any reason, Synergy reserves the right to offer a substitute prize of equivalent value.
10. Any additional products or services not included in the Prize, but required by a winner, will need to be arranged and paid for by that winner.
11. If there is any expiry date by which the Prize must be used, then Synergy will not be responsible if the Prize expires as a result of not being used or redeemed prior to that expiry date.
12. The Prize may be subject to additional terms and conditions from the supplier of the Prize which will be notified to the winners when the Prize is provided to each winner by the supplier of the Prize.

13. Each winning School consents to Synergy using its name, in any media for an unlimited period of time without remuneration for the purpose of promoting the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge and (including any outcome), Each winning School agrees they will not, and will ensure that their companions do not, sell or otherwise provide their story and photographs, in relation to the Competition, or their acceptance of the Prize, to any media or other organisation without Synergy's consent.
14. Synergy accepts no responsibility for any late, lost, incomplete, misdirected, incorrectly submitted, delayed or ineligible entries, applications, claims or correspondence whether due to error, omission, alteration, tampering, theft, deletion, destruction, transmission, interruption, communications failure or otherwise. Synergy has no control over the postal system, internet, telecommunications networks, or lines and accepts no responsibility for any problems associated with them, whether due to traffic congestion, technical malfunction or otherwise.
15. Any queries or complaints regarding the Prize and its terms of use, including any validity period within which it must be used or where it can be used, must be directed to Synergy.
16. If for any reason any aspect of the Competition is not capable of running as planned, including by reason of infection by computer virus, telecommunications networks failure, bugs tampering, unauthorised intervention, fraud, technical failures, the effects of COVID-19 or any cause beyond the control of Synergy which corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the Competition, or otherwise frustrates the conduct of the Competition, Synergy reserves the right to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition, or invalidate any affected entries, subject to the approval of Gaming and Wagering Commission (WA) or other relevant authorities, if and only to the extent required.
17. Nothing in these Terms excludes, restricts, or modifies the rights of any person or entity as a "consumer" under the Australian Consumer Law (or any other statutory rights) to the extent the law does not allow them to be excluded, restricted, or modified.
18. All Competition entries will be the property of Synergy. The information entrants provide will be used by Synergy for the purpose of and relating to conducting the Competition and otherwise in accordance with Synergy's Privacy Policy and Collection of Information Statement (available at synergy.net.au). Synergy will not post the personal information of entrants without the express written consent of their parents or guardians and only for the purpose of promotion of the Competition. However, names of the winning schools may be published, as required, under the relevant legislation and as set out in these terms and conditions. Synergy's marketing activities are subject to the Australian Privacy Principles in the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth).
19. Synergy may cancel, withdraw, or change the duration of the Competition at any time with the prior written approval of the Gaming and Wagering Commission (WA), if and only to the extent required.
20. These Terms are governed by and to be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Western Australia.