



We must believe in the power
and the strength of our words.
Our words can change the world.
(Malala Yousafzai)



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Inspired by Malala's words, we would love you to use your words to show how the world can be a better place. This could be about climate change, helping the environment, how we treat one another, equality – whichever area you are most concerned about, or would most like to see change.

Your challenge:

- Use a language (or languages) other than English to show your ideas, hopes or even advice for our world.
- It can be in any written format, for example a poem, an essay, a cartoon – be creative!
- There is no minimum or maximum number of words!
- Judging categories: P1-4, P5-7, S1-3 and S4-6.
- Individual or group entries are welcome.
- Entries will be judged on language use, content and creativity.
- Closing date: **Friday 24 March 2023**.
- Winners will be announced at an online event on Tuesday 25 April to tie in with Earth Day, observed on 22 April each year.
- Entries can be emailed by teachers to scilt@strath.ac.uk with **Words for the World** in the email subject line.
- Each entry must:
 - include a completed submission form
 - include a completed consent form
 - be in a written format (videos may be submitted for BSL only)
 - conform to the copyright guidelines (see below)
 - state the school name, pupil name & age category in its file name
 - include a translation if the language is not usually taught within schools
- Teachers should include one completed teacher submission form detailing all entries from their school.

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We look forward to seeing your entries!

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Palabras para el planeta • wörter für die welt •