

## **Edinburgh International Film Festival June 2010**

### **Open competition for Schools : City of Edinburgh**

Deadlines March 30<sup>th</sup>/ April 23rd <sup>(See below)</sup>

**(17-19th June)**

#### **Notes #1 : 1/12/09**

##### **1. How does Selection take Place?**

The Selection panel uses the same selection criteria as the EIFF itself. All films submitted are scored on an equal basis. However we want to be as inclusive as possible and so special consideration is given to the effort and achievement of the young film-makers in producing their work, particularly in "difficult" circumstances.

##### **2. How many films can you submit?**

The Young Film Makers Jury at Pilton Video have agreed to accept up to 6 films from each school. Each DVD or Mini DV Tape should be clearly marked with the programme title, running time and School it has come from. Please note that no film longer than 5 mins will be screened, although you will be able to screen 5 mins from a longer film.

##### **3. Not sure about how to get the film to us in the right format?**

Please send your DVD first for Selection. If you are having problems getting the programme(s) to DVD please let [joanna@piltonvideo.org](mailto:joanna@piltonvideo.org) know and we will get support to you. If you are selected for the June Screening, **E Team** or **Pilton Video** Staff will help you on site in your school to get your programme to the Festival at the highest possible quality level.

##### **4. Clearing Copyright on Music**

Send your DVD's to us for Jury viewing first. We will help with Music Clearances if they are necessary once we have the list of successful films screening in June.

##### **5. Will you get feedback from the Selection Panel (Jury) about your film?**

Yes the Young peoples Jury will do their utmost to ensure that each submission receives a positive and useful critique from the Selection Jury.

##### **6. If my film is not selected will there be opportunities to screen at Filmhouse in the future?**

Yes we want to encourage film making in schools in Edinburgh, and we hope that this years Second Event at the EIFF in June will be the beginning of many years of future young peoples's screenings in the City.

#### **Support Materials**

**1. Release Form** for all young participants in the film for Classes that are still at School  
Downloadable"

**2. FAQs for Teacher**

**3. Submission Form for all Films**