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| Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student of the YearNominating Online All nominations must be completed through the [online nomination portal.](https://trainingawardsnt.awardsplatform.com/)  As well as addressing the selection criteria, you must be able to provide the following:   * Nominee details * Employer details (if applicable) * Host employer details (if applicable) * Registered Training Organisation details.   There are terms and conditions, conditions of entry and dates you must agree to before submitting your nomination. These can be found at [trainingawards.nt.gov.au](http://www.trainingawards.nt.gov.au) Eligibility  * identify as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent * not be at school * be a full or part-time student in the NT and have completed or be due to complete your training in a training course that leads to a nationally recognised outcome or qualification in the period 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024.  Selection Criteria In your application, you must clearly address the award criteria.  Judging panels will be looking for:   * evidence on how your training has contributed to your career and study plans, * how your skills have been developed; * your achievements to date, and; * how your training may have helped you to achieve other qualities and pursuits.   You are able to submit **up to five (5)** single A4 supporting documents with your application. In developing your application, you may wish to take into account some of the considerations outlined below. |
| Section A: Overview (Limit 300 words) |
| This information will **not** be considered or used for judging purposes, but it may be used as your summary throughout the Awards process.  Provide a short overview covering a description of the qualification you are enrolled in, your registered training organisation and employer and host employer (if applicable) as well as your reason for choosing the industry and training path. |
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| Criteria 1: Career and study achievements (Limit 400 words) |
| Consider things such as:   * Why did you choose your course? * How has it changed or impacted on you? * What have you gained from it? * Have you had to address any challenges that have impacted on your training? |
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| Criteria 2: Team and communication skills (Limit 400 words) |
| Consider the team and communication skills you have developed through your training such as:   * What have you been able to tell others, students, friends etc. about your training? * What do you like about working in a team setting? * What traits do you think are important to positively influence others? |
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| Criteria 3: Ability to be an ambassador for training in Australia (Limit 400 words) |
| Tell us about:   * Provide examples where you have taken a leadership role inside or outside of training/work. * What other activities have you been involved in where you have been a representative? * How would you describe the quality of your training? |
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| Criteria 4: Community Engagement (Limit 400 words) |
| You may wish to include information about:   * How are you connected with your community/extended family? * How has the training impacted your community? * What qualities do you have or activities have you been involved in that you feel would be useful in your role as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander of the Year? * What are your achievements in areas other than study and work? |
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