

BRITISH ORTHODONTIC SOCIETY STUDENT AWARD

(Coordinated by the Orthodontic Technicians Association)



Rules of Entry

The British Orthodontic Society '*Technicians Award*' is open to any student Dental Technician on a recognised, first level, dental technology course within the United Kingdom, and to technicians who have qualified for less than two years at time of the competition closing date.

1. The competition will consist of:
 - An orthodontic removable appliance constructed on the supplied model **(Model A)** to the specified requirements on the laboratory prescription form **(Part 1)**
 - A free choice orthodontic removable appliance constructed on the supplied model **(Model B)** in accordance with the information supplied on **(Part 2)**
 - A written submission of between 300 and 500 words (including any diagrams and Photographs) on the criteria used, in the design, materials and construction for Part 2.
2. Models and prescriptions for both appliances will be supplied on receipt of a completed application form and a cheque for £10 that has been made payable to the '**Orthodontic Technicians Association**'.
3. A unique entry number will be supplied, this is the only identification mark permitted on submitted items.
4. The closing date for application for models and instructions is the 1st of November 2009.
5. All completed entries must be received no later than the 31st of December 2009.
6. All applicants will be notified in writing as to the outcome, no later than 1 month from the closing date.
7. Entries will be judged by a panel of two representatives from the Orthodontic Technicians Association (OTA) council and a representative from the British Orthodontic Society.
8. The judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into regarding the outcome.
9. The OTA will retain copyright on all work entered and may use it for publicity purposes with the appropriate acknowledgements.
10. The Prize will consist of:
 - I. Certificate of achievement.
 - II. Cheque for £700
 - III. A complimentary evening dinner at the OTA 2010 conference