



# MEDIA ADVISORY

### Western Cape learners to lock horns in a SAYWP competition in George

#### 25 April 2024

On Saturday, 27 April 2024, high school learners from various schools across Western Cape will lock horns in the annual South African Youth Water Prize competition to be held at the Department of Water and Sanitation Offices in George.

The South African Youth Water Prize (SAYWP) is a science and technology competition for high school learners to encourage them to develop research projects that can help solve major water and sanitation challenges globally.

The Department coordinates SAYWP in collaboration with the Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) which is based in Stockholm, Sweden.

The competition begins at provincial level and then proceeds to national, up to the international race which take place in Stockholm, Sweden every year

#### Members of the media are invited and attend the event as follows:

Date: 27 April 2024Venue: DWS Offices, George, Lower York Road Redefine Boulevard behind (Checkers)Time: 10h00 – 16h00

For media confirmations, kindly contact Sandile Mawela on 060 766 3706 / MawelaS@dws.gov.za

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