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&
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To,
The Principal,
Mumbai

Dear Sir/Madam,

Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Mumbai in association with Mani Bhavan Gandhi Sangrahalaya holds various Inter School/College Competitions on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti, every year.

It has been decided to consider the convenient and safe option of conducting virtual competitions due to the prevailing uncertainty of the ongoing pandemic.

It will be appreciated if your school could communicate the schedule to the respective grade students and arrange to send entries according to prescribed rules.

Literature for reference is available on our web-site www.gandhi-manibhavan.org.

We are obliged for the co-operation you have extended to us in the past and anticipate the same in future.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,



Usha Thakkar

President

Mani Bhavan Gandhi Sangrahalaya



Raksha Mehta

Chairman

Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Mumbai

GENERAL RULES

- 1 Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive. Advance or late entries will not be considered.
- 2 Only entries from your school Email ID will be accepted.
- 3 It is mandatory to upload the video according to specific instructions for every competition within the permissible time limit for entries to be valid.
- 4 The permissible time limit is 1 minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of the participant's introduction - name, standard, school name and branch.
- 5 A school can send entries of only 1 student from each standard in each language i.e. English, Marathi, Hindi & Gujarati. Students can participate in any one language.
- 6 It is mandatory for participating students to perform in their School Uniform.
- 7 The school will have to email all their entries on the specified Email ID mentioned for every competition.
- 8 Participants of essay writing competitions must send hard copies by post to Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Mumbai, Mani Bhavan, 1st Floor, 19 Laburnum Road, Gamdevi, Mumbai 400 007
- 9 Decision of Judges will be final.
- 10 Queries will be attended to on the following Email ID **only**:
competitions@gsnmumbai.org .

COMPETITION NO. 1

STORY TELLING FOR K.G. STUDENTS

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

1. The story should be based on Gandhiji's life, his work or his principles.
2. The participating student must perform and upload his/her video in school uniform within the permissible time limit of 1 minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of the participant's introduction- name, standard, school and branch.
3. Entries will be restricted to 1 student each -one from Junior K.G. and one from Senior K.G., irrespective of the number of divisions.
4. A participant can perform in any one language vis-`a-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati.
5. After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.
6. Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive.
7. Schools have to send videos on Email: storytelling@gsnmumbai.org

COMPETITION NO. 2

RECITATION OF POEMS ABOUT MAHATMA GANDHI

(STD I & II)

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

1. The theme of the Poem must be about Mahatma Gandhi, which has to be recited and NOT SUNG.
2. The participating student must perform and upload his/her video in school uniform within the permissible time limit of 1minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of the participant's introduction- name, standard, school and branch.
3. Entries will be restricted to 1 student each - one from Std I and one from Std II, irrespective of the number of divisions.
4. A participant can perform in any one language vis-`a-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati.
5. After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.
6. Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive.
7. Schools have to send videos on Email: poems-12@gsnmumbai.org

COMPETITION NO. 3

RECITATION OF POEMS ABOUT MAHATMA GANDHI

(STD III & IV)

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

1. The theme of the Poem must be about Mahatma Gandhi, which has to be recited and NOT SONG.
2. The participating student must perform and upload his/her video in school uniform within the permissible time limit of 1minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of the participant's introduction- name, standard, school and branch.
3. Entries will be restricted to 1 student each - one from Std III & and one from Std IV, irrespective of the number of divisions.
4. A participant can perform in any one language vis-`a-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati.
5. After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.
6. Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive.
7. Schools have to send videos on Email: poems-34@gsnmumbai.org

COMPETITION NO. 4

ELOCUTION COMPETITION (STD V, VI and VII)

TOPICS:

1	The Environmental Crisis and relevance of Gandhiji	1	पर्यावरणीय संकट आणि गांधीजीची प्रासंगिकता
2	Mahatma Gandhi and sustainable development	2	महात्मा गांधी आणि शाश्वत विकास
3	Gandhi's Concept of good health	3	गांधींची चांगल्या आरोग्याची संकल्पना
1	पर्यावरण संकट और गांधीजी की प्रासंगिकता	1	पर्यावरणीय कटोकटी अने गांधीजीनी सुसंगतता
2	महात्मा गांधी और सतत विकास	2	महात्मा गांधी अने आयभी विकास
3	अच्छे स्वास्थ्य की गांधी की अवधारणा	3	सारा स्वास्थ्य संगे गांधीना विचार

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

- 1 The participating student must perform on any one topic and upload his/her video in school uniform within the permissible time limit of 1minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of the participant's introduction- name, standard, school and branch.
- 2 Entries will be restricted to 1 student each - one from Std V, one from Std VI and one from Std VII, irrespective of the number of divisions.
- 3 A participant can perform in any one language vis-`a-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati.
- 4 After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.
- 5 Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive.
- 6 Schools have to send videos on Email: elocution@gsnmumbai.org.

COMPETITION NO. 5

ESSAY COMPETITION (STD VIII, IX and X)

TOPICS:

1	Gandhi's relevance in the age of terrorism	1	दहशतवादाच्या युगात गांधींची प्रासंगिकता
2	Gandhi's relevance in the age of globalization	2	जागतिकीकरणाच्या युगात गांधींची प्रासंगिकता
3	Gandhi's concept of Human Rights	3	मानवधिकारांची गांधीजीची संकल्पना
1	आतंकवाद के युग में गांधी की प्रासंगिकता	1	आतंकवादना युगमां गांधीनी सुसंगतता
2	वैश्वीकरण के युग में गांधी की प्रासंगिकता	2	वैश्वीकरणना युगमां गांधीनी सुसंगतता
3	मानवधिकारों की गांधी जी की अवधारणा	3	मानवाधिकार संगे गांधीजीनो विचार

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

1. The school will have to submit entries. Direct entries from students will not be considered.
2. Entries displaying the school stamp may be hand written in neat and legible hand writing or typed on plain paper.
3. The participating student should mention clearly at the topmost right-hand corner of the first page, his/ her essay topic, full name, standard, school address and mobile number, along with the bonafide certificate of the student
4. Entries will be restricted to 1 student each - one from Std VIII, one from Std IX and one from Std X, irrespective of the number of divisions.
5. A participant can choose any one language vis-à-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati for the essay competition limited to 2500 words.
6. Hard copies of entries should be sent between Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 by courier/speed post to the following address:
Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Mumbai
Mani Bhavan, 1st Floor, 19 Laburnum Road, Gamdevi, Mumbai 400 007
Tel.- 022-23803332 / 23811726 / 23805864
7. After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.

COMPETITION NO. 6
SOLO SINGING OF DEVOTIONAL SONGS
(STD V TO X)

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

1. A participant may sing any devotional song and upload the video performance in school uniform within the permissible time limit of 1minute and 30 seconds (1.5 minutes) inclusive of his/her introduction-name, standard, school and branch.
2. Entries will be restricted to 1 student each from every standard, irrespective of the number of divisions.
3. A participant can perform in any one language vis-`a-vis English, Marathi, Hindi or Gujarati.
4. Participants may use the Tanpura only.
5. Any other instrument or taal mala will not be permitted.
6. Similarly Karaoke tracks are not permitted.
7. Students have to sing Mukhda and 1 Antara.
8. After a comprehensive selection process, prizes for each language will be announced and communicated to the respective schools.
8. Cut-off date to send entries for competitions is Wednesday, 15th December 2021 to Friday, 24th December 2021 both days inclusive.
9. Schools have to send videos on Email: solo-singing@gsnmumbai.org.

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