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केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

(मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार, के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन)

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CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

(An Autonomous Organization under the Union Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India)
"Shiksha Sadan", 17, Institutional Area, Rouse Avenue, Delhi-110002



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Circular No: Acad-43/2015
29th July, 2015

The Heads of all affiliated Institutions

The CBSE Heritage India Quiz 2015

The objective of the year-long CBSE Heritage Quiz, supported by the Central Board of Secondary Education, aims to inform the growing generation of students the inter-link between their culture and heritage and the need for sustainable socio-economic development alongside modernization. In continuation with Circular No. Acad-23/2014, as in the previous years, the Heritage India Quiz would also include 25% questions on the Cultural Practices and Heritage of the North Eastern States of India. The All India quiz is expected to reach students across the country, thereby sensitizing them to the rich cultural diversity that is inherently Indian. Yet another worthy aim of the quiz is to raise awareness among them about the conservation and management of the country's heritage. The Board, therefore, directs all school heads to ensure the maximum participation of students in this competition.

The Procedure

Phase 1 - City Chapter – 1st week of September to Mid -October

Phase 2 - Regional Chapter- Mid- November to 1st week of December

Phase 3 - National Semi Finals and Finals – Mid -week of December

Note: The Cities (venues) will be finalized after registration and the dates put up on the notifications.

Phase 1: City Chapter : The City Chapter competition will be segmented into one, two, three or six City Chapters, depending on the basis of geographical diversity and the response from each region. The event will be held in a minimum of one location and a maximum of 6 locations as per the CBSE regions.

1.1 The quiz competition will be conducted tentatively between first week of **September** to mid-October, 2015. It will be a single day event comprising of two stages. Each school will be represented by three students who may be selected from classes IX-XII.

- **Stage I Round: Written Elimination:** A PowerPoint based written quiz with 30 questions to be answered in 25 minutes, where the teams from each school will collectively attempt to answer. The results will be declared simultaneously while the evaluation is being done. Top six teams qualify for the next round.
- **Stage II Round: On-Stage:** An on-stage quiz of 60-75 minute duration wherein questions will comprise of a mix of verbal, audio and visual items, for the qualifying participants of Stage I. This round will be conducted at the same venue immediately after stage-I round.

1.2 The winner from each group will qualify for the Regional Finals where (maximum) 6 teams will participate.

Phase 2: Regional Chapter: 2.1-To be held between Mid-November to first week of December, 2015. The top (maximum) 6 teams from each region, will be placed at the Regional Final. The quiz competition will be held in the school where the last CITY CHAPTER of the region will take place. This round will be an on-stage event, with questions comprising of a mix of verbal, audio and visual items. The top two teams from each region qualify for the National Semi-Finals.

2.2 The schedule of the City and Regional Chapters will be put under the notifications of the CBSE website so that, they can make necessary arrangements for their travel, lodging and boarding.

Phase 3: National Semi Finals and Finals: To be held tentatively in the mid-week of December, 2015. The top 20 teams from the 10 competing regions will be divided into 5 groups of 4 teams each. The winner from each group will qualify for the finals. **The Semi Finals and the Finals will be held in Delhi and will be televised.**

- Interested schools should submit the registration form and confirm their participation on or **before 18th August, 2015**, by filling in the online registration form (*Annexure A*) available **at www.cbseacademic.in** by entering their affiliation number and school number.

Note: Details once entered cannot be altered after the online submission of the form.

- The schools are requested to take a printout of the submitted online registration form on an A-4 size sheet of paper and send the copy, along with the DD of INR 600/-, towards Registration Fee, drawn in favour of: **The Secretary, CBSE, Delhi**, duly signed by the Head of the school to: **Mr. Sandeep Sethi, Education Officer, CBSE, 17 Rouse Avenue, New Delhi- 110002**, by **speed post so as to reach the Board not later than 21st August, 2015**. The affiliation no. and name of the school along with the registration no. obtained from the website should be written on the back of the Demand Draft with an HB pencil.
- The online registration will be considered only after receiving the registration fees through the Demand Draft. **The last date for online registration is 18th August, 2015. The schools are advised to register at the earliest possible date to avoid last minute delay.**

Participation is open to the students of classes IX- XII. Interested schools are requested to select and Sponsor three students who will register as a team, to compete in the City Chapter.

- Second class rail fare, including reservation charges for three students and one teacher escort, will be reimbursed to the teams who qualify to compete in the National Finals (against photo copies of tickets).
- **Rules and regulations are given in the registration form.**
- **School Heads may fill up and submit the feedback form by: [Clicking here](#)**

Certificates awarded to all the participants of Semi-finals and Finals.

Attractive prizes, trophies await the winners!

First Prize	Rs. 21,000/- x 1 team	Rs. 21,000/-
Second Prize	Rs. 12,000/- x 1 team	Rs. 12,000/-
Third Prize	Rs. 7,500/- x 1 team	Rs. 7,500/-
Fourth Prize	Rs. 4,500/- x 1 team	Rs. 4,500/-
Second Position (Semi-final)	Rs. 3,000/- x 4 teams	Rs. 12,000/-
Third Position (Semi-final)	Rs. 1,500/- x 4 teams	Rs. 6,000/-
Fourth Position (Semi-final)	Rs. 1,000/- x 4 teams	Rs. 4,000/-

For further information, contact Sandeep Sethi, Education Officer, at Ph.: 011-23217128 or e-mail: eo_ss@cbseacademic.in., with a copy to undersigned

Please visit the CBSE Academics website: www.cbseacademic.in under NOTIFICATION for updates.

Sugandh Sharma.

**(Sugandh Sharma)
Additional Director (Research and Innovation)**

Copy to the respective Heads of Directorates, Organizations and Institutions as indicated below with a request to disseminate the information to all the schools under their jurisdiction:

1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-110016.
2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309.
3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110054.
4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160017.
5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim – 737101.
6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791111
7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair - 744101.
8. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O.744103, A&N Islands
9. The Director Central Tibetan School Administration, ESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3 Rohini, Delhi-110085.
10. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A-Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
11. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Head Quarters of MOD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
12. All Regional Directors/ Regional Officers of CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions.
13. All Associate Professor & Additional Directors/ Advisors/ Consultants
14. All Additional Director/Joint Director/Deputy Director/Assistant Director,
15. Incharge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website.
16. The Assistant Librarian, CBSE
17. The Public Relations Officer, CBSE
18. PS to Chairperson, CBSE
19. PS to Secretary, CBSE
20. PS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
21. PS to Director (Special Exams and CTET), CBSE
22. PA to JS & IC (Academics & Training), CBSE
23. PA to AD & IC (Research & Innovation), CBSE
24. PA to Director (Information Technology)

Additional Director (Research and Innovation)

Annexure A



**15th HERITAGE QUIZ-2015
REGISTRATION FORM**



REGION

Affiliation No:.....

School No:.....

Name of the School:.....

Name of the Principal:.....

Complete School Address:.....

Email Id: :.....

Telephone No. :.....

Mobile No. (Principal):.....

Demand draft of Rs. 600/- Number..... Dated.....

Drawn on:..... Bank, City.....

We have understood the rules and regulations of this event and would like to participate in the right spirit

(Stamp with Signature of Principal)

Dated:.....

Rules and Regulations:

1. Any student from class IX to XII can participate.
2. There will be three students participating from each school in City Chapter.
3. Schools are requested to register and submit required fees before 18 Aug., 2015.
4. The online registration window will be opened from 28th July, 2015 to 18th Aug., 2015.
5. The 6 teams qualifying the City Chapter will be placed directly in the Regional Chapter.
6. The National Semi Finals will witness two teams each from across the 10 competing region. The 20 teams will be divided into 5 groups of 4 teams each.
7. The Semifinals and Finals will be held in Delhi in a televised format.
8. All the students participating will be given a participating Certificate and winners will be also given cash prizes.
9. Videography of the rounds should be done to avoid any confusion later.
10. The Audio/Video system should be properly installed.
11. Provision for independent observers should be made.
12. The audience should be drawn from different schools.
13. The venue for the rounds should be in neutral schools.