

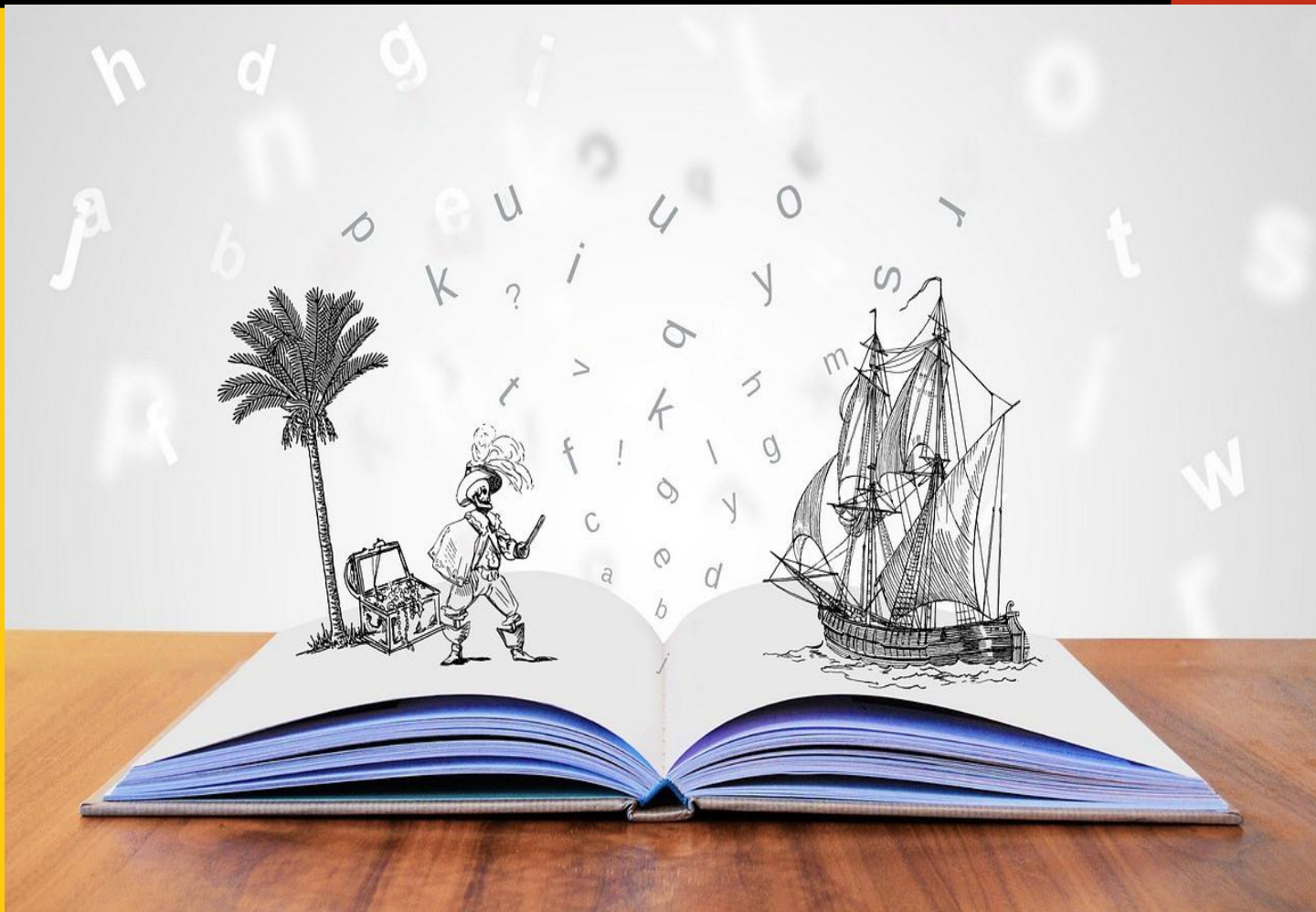


School ALERT

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2021

Recitation & Storytelling # 2021



SCHOOLALERTS SOLUTIONS PVT. LTD.

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WELCOME PARTICIPANT

We hope you and your loved ones are safe and in best of your health. It's been a very difficult phase in our lives, but we will soon be out of this.

Heartiest welcome to the new registrants and to our returning friends.

International Recitation & Storytelling Competition 2021 # Season 2 has been launched with an aim to provide students with an opportunity to build recitation & storytelling capabilities, improve vocabulary and gain confidence.

Schoolalerts is an organization which has successfully organized and completed many events (Domestic and International) which includes Quizzes, Drawing Competition, Recitation, Storytelling, Public Speaking, Debate, Spelling Competition, Math Competition, Crosswords Competition, Writing Competition, and many other events. We had participation from over 1000+ schools worldwide in our various competitions.

We have many well-wishers and supporters who are also part of our jury panel. We have working professionals from MNCs who are graduates and post-graduates from renowned Global schools / university (IIMs, SPJIMR, XLRI, XIMB, IMT, ISB, Stockholm School of Economics, etc.). We have Directors, Ex-Directors and Entrepreneurs associated with us who are mentor to many IIMs / renowned B-School pass-outs across the globe.

We are always focused on motivating students to learn and grow with core ethical values.

Good Luck!

Team Schoolalerts





FAQs

- 1) Who can participate in this competition?
 - ✓ Any student currently in Grade 1 to Grade 5. School ID proof may be asked, in case any verification is required. Only registered participants will be allowed to perform.
- 2) What are the various Groups for the competition?
 - ✓ Group A - Grade 1 & Grade 2 (English / Hindi)
 - ✓ Group B - Grade 3, Grade 4 & Grade 5 (English / Hindi)
- 3) What is the Theme for Recitation & Storytelling?
 - ✓ Recitation Theme: Grade 1 & 2: Funny Poems; Grade 3, 4 & 5: Never Quit
 - ✓ Storytelling Theme (for all Grades): Mythological Stories with Moral
- 4) Can I use Props, Charts, Costumes, Background Music?
 - ✓ Yes, you can use props, charts, costumes, and light background music. Music should not be too loud.
- 5) Will there be a Question-and-Answer session from the judges?
 - ✓ No, there can be no Question-and-Answer session from the moderators.
- 6) How many rounds will be there?
 - ✓ Qualifying Rounds
 - ✓ Finale for the shortlisted participants
 - ✓ Topics will be different for both Qualifying Rounds and Finale. Topic for Finale will be shared with the shortlisted participants
- 7) How many students will be shortlisted from Qualifying Rounds to the Finale?
 - ✓ Approx. 10 students for each language (English, Hindi)
- 8) What languages can we use?
 - ✓ English or Hindi. Please specify the language in the registration form while filling up the same.





9) What is the format of the competition?

- ✓ Each participant will get a maximum of 3 mins
- ✓ Performance time of 2 mins
- ✓ Prop or Costume change of 1 min

10) How can I prepare for the Competition?

- ✓ Write your poem / story on a paper with the help of your parents / Siblings / Teachers, etc. Fill your poem / story with moments of awe, exclamation, surprise, happiness, and emotions.
- ✓ Rehearse in front of your parents or in front of mirror.
- ✓ You can also record your delivery in your mobile phone and hear it again. Practice till you think you are ready for the event.
- ✓ Perform on the day and time slot provided to you.
- ✓ Work on Speech Clarity, Body Language, Pronunciation, Appearance, Vocabulary.

11) Can I read out from paper or use Cue Card?

- ✓ No. Reading out from paper is strictly prohibited. We advise you to learn, practice well before the event.

12) Will the results be announced immediately after the end of Storytelling session?

- ✓ No, the moderators may need time to review the videos and give the scores.

13) Can I get assistance from my Parents / Siblings / Teachers / Friends?

- ✓ No, Participant is not allowed to take any external help during the session. However, they can take help during their research work or preparatory work. Parents can help participants change props or costumes or scenes during the performance but prompting will not be entertained while performing.

14) Do we need to record and submit the video?

- ✓ No, it will be an online LIVE evaluation on Google Meet / Zoom / Jio Meet or any other platform. Details will be shared with you.





15) Can I give a speech for Recitation?

- ✓ No. The competition is only for Poem Recitation. Generic speech on the topic will not fetch marks and hence, participant will not qualify for Finale.

16) How will I know the results?

- ✓ Results will be published on our website (www.schoolalerts.in) after 10 days from the date of completion of event. Only top 3 in each Group will be awarded the prizes. Please cautiously submit email id while filling up the registration form. Email id or Phone number change request, post submission of registration form, can take up to 7-10 days for changing it in our system.

17) How to register?

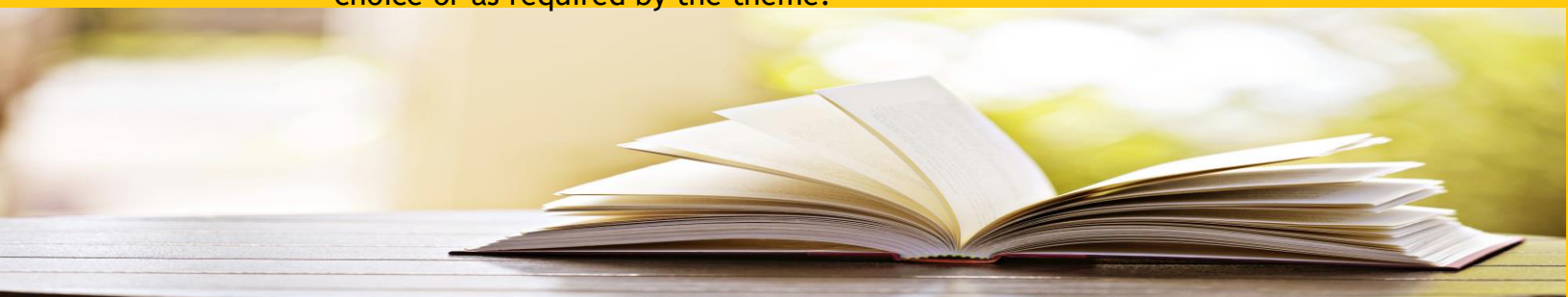
- Visit our website: www.schoolalerts.in
- Search for webpage: <https://schoolalerts.in/recitation-storytelling>
- Click on the Registration Link 1 (for Indian Resident Student) or Registration Link 2 (for Students from Middle East Countries such as UAE, Oman, Bahrain, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and other) Or Registration Link 3 (for Students from US & Europe) as per your geographic location.
- Fill up the registration form and pay the registration fees.
- Once you complete the registration process, you will receive a payment receipt. Your payment ID will be your registration number.
- For any registration or payment issue, reach us at +91 9903005685 or +91 7798180723 (Phone Call or Whatsapp). Phone calls will be received from 12 noon to 8 pm. Phone calls received after 8 pm will be answered next day.
- Registration Closes on 27th October 2021 3 PM IST.

18) Are there limited seats for each category?

- ✓ Yes. We intend to have an approx. of 200 participants for each category. However, the number can vary, as per the registrations received. Do not wait for the end date of registration process. **We can end the registration process earlier if we reach the intended numbers.**

19) Is there a dress code?

- ✓ There is no dress code. Participants can wear any comfortable outfit of their choice or as required by the theme.





20) What are the Prizes? When will I receive it if I am the winner?

- ✓ Total Prizes of Rs. 16,200
- ✓ For Each group and Each language, we have First, Second and Third position Cash Prizes or Amazon e-Vouchers. First Prize - Rs. 600 e-Vouchers, Second Prize - Rs. 550 e-Vouchers and Third Prize - Rs. 500 e-Vouchers. The Prizes are generally released within one month from the date of publishing of results. We will provide Participation e-Certificate to all participants and Winners will get e-Certificate with their Rank mentioned.
- ✓ The shortlisting of Winners is completed based on our Judges Panel evaluation and Schoolalerts has no interference in it. It is completely non-biased, and performance driven. No queries will be answered post release of the results.
- ✓ For Clarity purpose, For Recitation (For Each Category):

English	Hindi
First Prize (Rs. 600)	First Prize (Rs. 600)
Second Prize (Rs. 550)	Second Prize (Rs. 550)
Third Prize (Rs. 500)	Third Prize (Rs. 500)

- ✓ For Clarity purpose, Storytelling (For Each Category):

English	Hindi
First Prize (Rs. 600)	First Prize (Rs. 600)
Second Prize (Rs. 550)	Second Prize (Rs. 550)
Third Prize (Rs. 500)	Third Prize (Rs. 500)

- ✓ Other Prizes (Individual Performance Based):
 - Judges' Choice - Best Efforts: Rs. 500 eVoucher
 - Judges' Choice - Best Vocabulary: Rs. 500 eVoucher
 - Judges' Choice - Best Performers of the Day 1 (Poem Recitation): Rs. 500 eVoucher
 - Judges' Choice - Best Performers of the Day 2 (Poem Recitation): Rs. 500 eVoucher
 - Judges' Choice - Best Performer of the Day 1 (Story Telling): Rs. 500 eVoucher
 - Judges' Choice - Best Performer of the Day 2 (Story Telling): Rs. 500 eVoucher





21) Who do I contact for any query or clarification?

- ✓ You can send us an email with your query on schoolalerts.helpdesk@gmail.com and we will try to revert within 48 hours from the receipt of your query. Phone calls are only allowed for registration issues. Phone calls post the start of the event are strict “NO” as per our company policy as we do not want any external interference in the evaluation process. Emails will be the most appropriate medium to contact us.

22) Can you provide us with the recording of the session?

- ✓ No. As per our company policy, we do not provide the recordings of any of the sessions to outside the organization. We advise you to have the recording set up done at your end in case you want it to be recorded. No such request for sharing recordings will be entertained at any stage of the contest.

23) Can we ask for a feedback on the performance?

- ✓ Yes. You can ask the Moderator for his candid feedback at the end of the session. We will not be able to provide it later in case the same is not requested during the session.

24) What are the scoring criteria?

- ✓ We do not share the scoring criteria with our participants. It is confidential and can only be shared, upon approval of our compliance team, after the end of the competition. However, we encourage participants to take feedback/suggestions for improvement from the Moderators, if it be of interest.

25) Who are the Judges?

- ✓ Judges are Primary & Middle School Teachers / Principals from renowned Schools / Industry Experts / Professionals / Writers having good command over English and Hindi Language.





Rules and Regulation

- 1) By registering for the competition, the student, and parents pledge to participate in the fairest manner and assure not to adopt any malpractices or unfair means. In case such situation arises / noticed / notified, Schoolalerts Management Team and the Jury panel can disqualify the student / participant at any stage of the competition without giving any reasons / explanation whatsoever.
- 2) The participant indemnifies Schoolalerts Solutions Pvt. Ltd., its directors, and employees of any direct or indirect losses which may arise or be incurred by the student during participation or course of the event.
- 3) Any cost involved in preparatory work will have to be borne by the participant. Schoolalerts will not be responsible for any additional cost incurred by the student for participating in the contest.
- 4) The registration fee once paid is non-refundable and non-transferable.
- 5) Schoolalerts can change the date of the event, evaluation process, evaluation criteria, jury board, etc. as it feels dim at any stage of the event.
- 6) Schoolalerts takes no responsibility in case any of the details provided in the registration form by the participant / student / parent is fake, non-operational, or wrong.
- 7) The participant always agrees to abide by all rules and regulations of Schoolalerts.
- 8) Limitation of Liability: Any claim whatsoever, direct, or indirect, will be limited to the registration fees paid by the participant. Schoolalerts liability will be restricted to the registration fee received from the participant only. No other claims will be entertained. Jurisdiction: Courts of Kolkata, India
- 9) Force Majeure: In case of any unforeseen circumstances or Force Majeure, Schoolalerts will take necessary step which may include re-scheduling, change of dates, medium, process, policy, etc. and the same will be informed to the participant as and when required.
- 10) We send all information through Email &/ WhatsApp. In case you do not want any WhatsApp messages, please send us an email with subject "WhatsApp Opt Out" from the registered email id.

**GOOD LUCK TO ALL OUR YOUNG POETS &
STORYTELLERS!**

