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# FAQs on Spell-Alert (Spellings)



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## WELCOME PARTICIPANT

We hope you and your loved ones are safe and in best of your health.

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

Spell Alert (Spellings) Competition 2022 has been launched with an aim to provide students with an opportunity to learn English spellings and understand the meaning of these words.

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, Spellings, Mathematics and many other events. We had participation from over 1000+ schools (consolidated) worldwide in our various competitions and more than 25000 students from Asia Pacific, Europe, Middle East, US, UK and other geographies.

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 / IITs/ 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

Please add [schoolalerts.helpdesk@gmail.com](mailto:schoolalerts.helpdesk@gmail.com) and [helpdesk@schoolalerts.in](mailto:helpdesk@schoolalerts.in) to your address book so that our emails DO NOT land in your junk mailbox or spam folder.

### 1) Who can participate in this competition?

- ✓ Any student currently in Grade 1 to Grade 9. Only registered participants will be allowed in the competition. Students who do not pay registration fee will not be allowed to participate.

### 2) What are the various Categories for the competition?

- ✓ Grade 1
- ✓ Grade 2 & 3
- ✓ Grade 4 & 5
- ✓ Grade 6 & 7
- ✓ Grade 8 & 9

### 3) How many rounds will be there?

- ✓ Qualifying Round (Grade 1 to Grade 5 - 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> July 2022; Grade 6 to Grade 9 - 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 2022)
- ✓ Finale with Shortlisted students (20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> Aug 2022 - Tentative)

### 4) How to register?

- Visit our website: [www.schoolalerts.in](http://www.schoolalerts.in)
- Search for webpage: SpellAlertCompetition2022 (<https://schoolalerts.in/spellalertcompetition2022>)
- Click on the Registration Payment Link (for Indian Resident Student) or Registration Payment Link (for Middle East Student) or Registration Payment Link (for other international students) 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. Successful payment and receipt of payment confirms your participation.
- For any registration or payment issue, reach us at +91 9903005685 (Whatsapp or Phone Call between 2 pm to 8 pm IST)

### 5) What is the last date of registration? Are the seats limited?

- ✓ The last date of registration for Grade 1 to Grade 5 is 28<sup>th</sup> July 2022 8 PM IST and for Grade 6 to Grade 9 is 4<sup>th</sup> August 2022 8 PM IST. Yes, we have limited seats and will be accommodating approx. first 1000 participants only. The seats will be released on First Come First Serve basis and the registration may be closed before the scheduled closure date in case the seats get full.

The Schoolalerts management may decide to reopen the registration in case they can accommodate further number of participants. The same will be published on our website.

6) When will the timings be shared with us?

- ✓ The date and timings for various session for Grade 1 to Grade 5 will be released by 28<sup>th</sup> July 2022 and for Grade 6 to Grade 9 by 4<sup>th</sup> Aug 2022.

7) Is there a dress code?

- ✓ There is no dress code. Participants can wear any comfortable outfit of their choice and as per the theme/requirement of the song.

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

- ✓ You can send us an email with your query on [schoolalerts.helpdesk@gmail.com](mailto: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.

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

- ✓ Total Prizes of Rs. 7500.
- ✓ For each category, we have First, Second and Third position Cash Prizes or e-Vouchers. First Prize - Rs. 600 e-Vouchers, Second Prize - Rs. 500 e-Vouchers and Third Prize - Rs. 400 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.

10) What is the registration Fee?

- ✓ For Indian Resident School Students, it is Rs. 300 (Rupees Three Hundred Only)
- ✓ For Participants from Middle East (UAE, Oman, Bahrain, Qatar, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and other Middle East countries), it is AED 25 (Dirhams Twenty Five Only)
- ✓ For Participants from US, Europe and other countries, USD 7 or Euro 7 (Seven Dollars only or Seven Euro Only)

11) Will it be a team performance event?

- ✓ No, it is an individual performance event.

12) What is the format?

- ✓ There will be batches formed for each category (mentioned above). Each batch will have 10-15 participants. All participants may or may not be from the same school.
- ✓ There will be 3-5 rounds such as Direct Spellings, Fill in the blanks (missing letters), Identify the picture & share the spelling, a surprise round.
- ✓ Each participant will be asked a question in each of the above rounds and provided a score. It will be a rapid-fire session with a max time limit of 5 secs to answer each question. However, time limit may vary, and the moderator will let you know about the same at the beginning of your session.
- ✓ One mark for every correct answer and zero for a wrong answer. There is no negative marking. Participants' first answer will be taken as the final answer and will be considered for scoring, in case the answer is changed.
- ✓ Students can pass a question in case they don't know the answer. However, they will not be allowed to come back to it. They will get a "Zero" score for a passed question.
- ✓ The top 3 scorers from each batch will proceed to the next round, Finale.
- ✓ Schoolalerts will provide an additional document of Spellings for the Finale. Selected students will need to prepare themselves with the additional document for the Finale along with the initial document.

13) Can a child participate in a higher-Grade category?

- ✓ No. A child can participate as per his present Grade, only. Higher Grade participation is not permitted. In case found, the participant may be disqualified from moving to the next stage.

14) What is the Prep book?

- ✓ The Spelling document will be shared with the registered participants for all Grades by 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022. Most of the questions will be from the same document. All materials shared during the event are the property of Schoolalerts and Errors and Omissions Excepted (E&OE)

15) I came to know about the event late and hence registered late. Can I learn spellings from selected pages only?

- ✓ No, until and unless informed by Schoolalerts team on such changes in written. All participants will be required to go through the complete document.

16) Are participants allowed to refer to English Dictionary or any other document during the event?

- ✓ No, participants are not allowed to use Dictionary, Spelling Document (provided by Schoolalerts) or any other document during the event.

17) Can participants use electronic gadgets or search engine during the event?

- ✓ No. Students are not allowed to use Mobile phone, Alexa, Google, Bing, or any other search mechanism to fetch answers or for any help.

18) Can parents or my siblings help to answer Questions?

- ✓ No. Any external help from parents, guardian, sibling, teachers, friends, relatives, etc. are not permitted during the event. You can only take their help for operational issues / purpose.

19) What are the scoring criteria?

- ✓ It is dependent on the numbers of correct answers given overall. The judges will do the scoring and announce the winners in that session if we have clear winners. In case of any doubt, the results will be withheld and will be announced post verification.

20) Word of Caution: Participants should not indulge in any malpractices such as getting answers prompted from other family members / friends / relatives / any other person, using dictionary or Schoolalert's Spelling material or electronic gadgets or projectors, or any other tools to get answers; will be disqualified immediately without providing any justifications whatsoever. Participants must keep their Audio & Video on throughout the session. Participants with Audio / Video problems will not be allowed in the session. Both hands should be clearly visible on camera. Logging from multiple devices is not permitted. Moderators are authorized to take decision in case the above is not adhered to. Participants may be asked to close their eyes and to answer questions.

21) Who will be the Moderators?

- ✓ Moderators will be Industry Experts who have good command on English Language.
- ✓ Senior Management Personnel from MNCs

## 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 transportation, purchase, repair, internet connectivity, etc. 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.
- 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.
- 9) Jurisdiction: Courts of Kolkata
- 10) 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.

**GOOD LUCK TO ALL OUR SPELLINGS CHAMPS!**