

GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR  
DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION (SCHOOLS)

**NOTIFICATION**

Imphal, the 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2020

No.8/15-1/4/13- DE (S) Pt. The Directorate of Education (Schools), Manipur in the interest of School students to keep them engaged in learning, during the period of the closure of Schools has initiated a number of measures. One such measure include organizing a number of competitions in scholastic (academic) as well as co-Scholastic/extra-curricular activities for ***all students studying in Government Schools***. The competitions are class specific. All Government School students shall participate in at least 1 (one) category, if not more, of the competition(s).

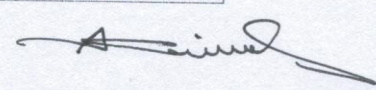
2. During the period schools are closed, heads of schools and teachers of the respective schools shall ensure that information is disseminated to their students about various categories of competitions as indicated in the table below and their need for preparation accordingly.

Sl. No	Category of Competition	Classes covered	Remarks
1.	Painting Competition	Class I-V	Painting competition shall be on the theme 1. Covid 19. 2. Scenic beauty of Manipur 3. Favourite Cartoon Character 4. Save Environment 5. Cleanliness 6. World we live in
2.	Recitation	Class I-V	<b>Patriotic poems</b> (Students can learn and memoriz any poem from their English or Manipuri lesson or parents/teachers can help them in separate preparation)
3.	Hand washing competition for students	Class I-XII	<b><u>There shall be 4 categories</u></b> Class I-II Class III-V Class VI-VIII (with explanation) Class XI-XII (with explanation)  Initially it shall be conducted at School level, then at Zonal Level and finally at State level.
4.	Reading Competition	Class I-V	Each competing student shall be given Language books appropriate to their class (English/Manipuri) and they would be asked to read certain para(s). Lesson /Chapter 1-5 may be used or the school may separately inform the children.





5.	Slogan Writing Competition	Class VI-X	<p><b><u>There shall be 2 categories</u></b>  Class III-V  Class VI-VIII</p> <p>The competition will be from the Broad themes  a. Health &amp; Hygiene. b. Our Future (c) wildlife conservation (d) disasters (e) Covid-19</p>
6.	Story Telling	Class III-X	<p><b><u>There shall be 3 categories</u></b>  Class III-V  Class VI-VIII  Class IX-X</p> <p>Theme: Folk stories / stories with moral lesson.</p> <p>Language: State Level (either English/ Manipuri)  District Level (for Recognised dialects can also be used)</p> <p><b><u>Time allotted</u></b>  5-10 minutes for Class III-V  &amp; 8-10 minutes for Class VI-X</p> <p>Video clips of the 10 Zonal/District wise winners shall be uploaded in the Department's youtube channel and public would be required to vote for the candidate.  The district winners (on public voting) shall then participate at the State level and similar voting procedure to be followed.</p>
7.	Debate & Extempore	Class IX-XII	<p><b><u>There shall be 2 categories</u></b>  Class VI-VIII  Class IX-XII</p> <p>Topic for Debating Competition:</p> <p>Topic:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Social media does more harm than good</li> <li>2) Students' organization is essential for students welfare</li> <li>3) COVID 19</li> <li>4) Science and technology for betterment of humankind</li> <li>5) Human is greater than Nature</li> </ol> <p>Extempore:  Topics shall be on Current Affairs</p>



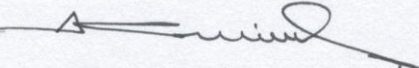


8.	Quiz competition	Class VI-XII	Shall be conducted for various groups at the Zonal Level.  Written quiz competition for qualifying round  Final round for state level will be from amongst the Zonal Level winners.
9.	Talent Hunt.	Class I-XII	The programme is meant to nurture budding Talents in the fields like artistic performances, literary programmes, cultural performances, mimicry, etc It will be taken up District/Zone wise.

3. All Heads of Schools shall work out on the modalities as per their school specific requirement in close coordination with the Zonal Education Officers. In case of any doubt or confusion, clarification may be sought from the Department through the Additional Directors (School/Valley or Hills) or ZEOs concerned.

4. The detailed date and time for each of the competition along with other criteria for the competition shall be separately notified in due course.

5. All ZEOs, Principals, Heads of Schools shall ensure that the information reaches to all the students well in time and necessary assistance is provided, wherever needed, about their participation.

  
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