

ALL INDIA LETTER WRITING COMPETITION “DHAI AKHAR”

BAPU INSPIRED MUNNA BHAJ AND INSPIRED MILLIONS. DOES HE INSPIRE YOU TOO?

Win Rs. 50,000. Express your views towards Mahatma Gandhi.

Theme: “Dear Babu (Mahatma Gandhi) you inspire me...”

Eligibility and Submission Rules

- This contest is open for participation by contestants of all age groups. Applications will be judged as per the following age groups:
 - ❖ Participants who are above the age of 18
 - ❖ Participants who are below the age of 18
- Essays may be submitted in the following sub categories.
 - ❖ **Inland Letter Card category:** 500 word essay using an Inland Letter Card
 - ❖ **Envelope category:** A 1000 word essay written on a plain A4 size paper and submitted using an envelope
- **Age Declaration:** All applications should be accompanied with a letter from the applicant as follows:
 - Participant above 18 years age: “I certify that I am above the age of 18”
 - Participant below 18 years age: “I certify that I am below the age of 18”

Application Process

To participate in the letter writing competition, visit the post office and post the letter in the letterbox titled as ‘Letter Writing Campaign’.

- The letter should be addressed to Chief Postmaster General of your area.
- In **Rural area**, letter will be given to the local BO (Block Officer). The BOs will dispatch it to respective HO/SO.
- In **district headquarters, larger towns and cities**, a special letter box named “letter writing campaign” will be placed separately.
- In **small town**, the letters can be posted via main post office of the area.

Prizes and titles:

- First prize in each category: INR 50,000 and a title of Patron of Posts.
 - Second Prize: INR 25,000 and a title of Companion of Post
 - Third Prize: INR 10,000 with title as Post Pal.
- The prize winning letter will be published in local / national newspapers.

Circle level prize winner:

- First prize in each category: INR 25,000
- Second Prize: INR 10,000
- Third Prize: INR 5,000

The prize winning letter will be put up on exhibition on 2nd October 2017 in Sabarmati Ashram.

Note: For winning entries age and other ID documents will be verified.

E-Mail

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