

Primrose Schools

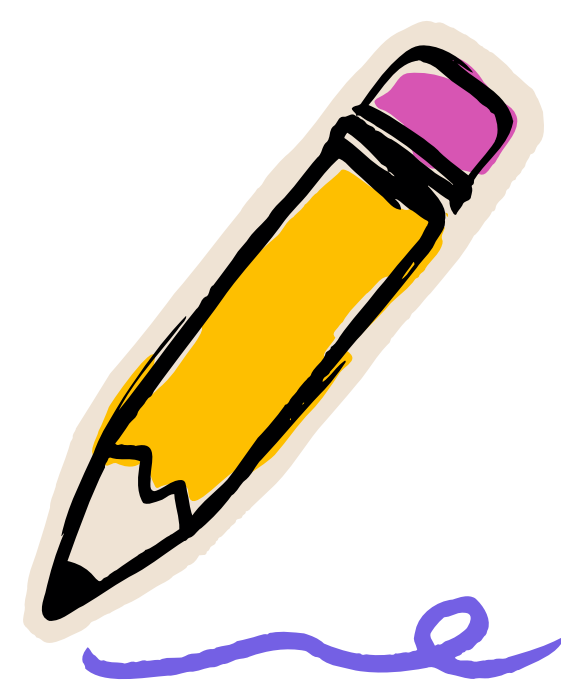
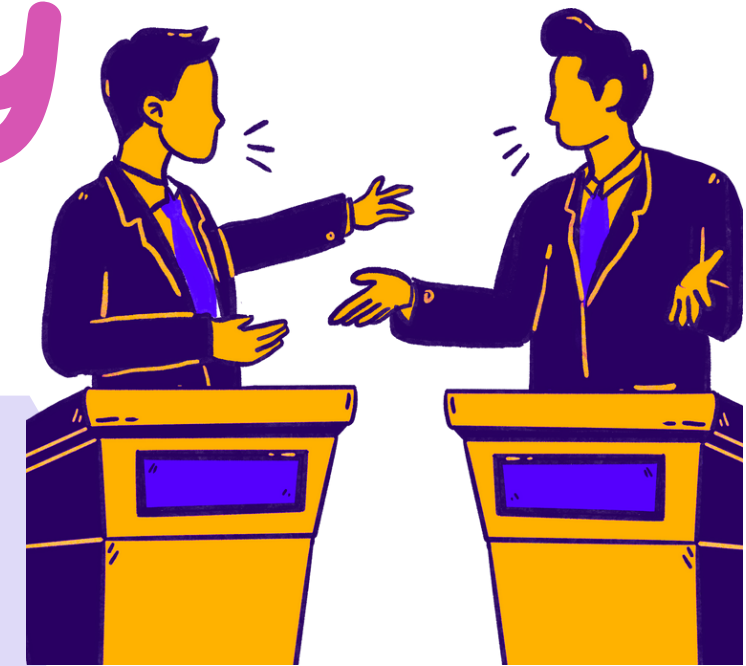
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INTRASCHOOL LITERARY COMPETITION

Thursday

18th April, 2024

- **Creative Writing**
- **Debate**
- **For Classes 9 to 12**



Creative Writing Competition



Creative Writing Competition

- Category I: Classes XI and XII
- Category II: Classes IX and X

Topic for Creative Writing

- Topic will be given on the day of the competition

General Instructions

- No internet services, no books, magazines, reference materials, mobiles, tabs/dongle or other electronic equipment are to be permitted/carried by the participants during the preparation time or while writing.

Preparation Time: 30 minutes

Writing Time - 1 hour

Word Limit

- **Category I - 750 to 1000 words**
- **Category II - 500 to 750 words**



Debate Competition

Topic & Preparation

- Topic will be announced 1 hour before the commencement of the debate.**
- Participants will be accommodated in the school library and may have access to books and journals for preparation.**
- Use of internet/any electronic gadgets during preparation time is not permitted.**

Speaker

- **Speakers will not be allowed to read out from prepared texts and if found reading out from a paper, he/she will be penalized by the judges appropriately.**

Categories

- **Category I - Classes 11 and 12**
- **Category II - Classes 9 and 10**

Time limit

- **Each speaker will be given 4 minutes (for Category I) and 3 minutes (for Category II) to speak.**
- **A bell will be rung at the end of 3 minutes (for Category I) and 2 minutes (for Category II) to indicate that only one more minute is left for the speaker to wind up his/her debate.**
- **Another bell will be rung at the end of 4 minutes for Category I and 3 minutes for Category II**

Rebuttal

- **After every speaker finishes his/her debate, 2 minutes will be allotted for Rebuttal.**
- **This rebuttal will be in the form of short precise questions asked by the members of the competing teams on the content of the speaker's presentation.**
- **In case, no question is asked within 10 seconds, then the judges will give full marks for Rebuttal to the speaker.**

