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To All the Heads of Institutions Affiliated to CBSE

Circular No.77

Subject: 40th UPU Letter Writing Competition 2011

Dear Principal,

The Department of Posts shall be organizing the 40th UPU Letter Writing Competition 2011 for school going children upto 15 years of age on 2nd January 2011. The purpose of this Letter Writing Competition is primarily to develop faculty in composition and subtlety of thought amongst the young people and to contribute to the strengthening of International friendship. The subject for this year's letter writing competition is

"Imagine you are a tree living in a forest. Write a letter to someone to explain why is it important to protect forests".

International Bureau of the Universal Postal Union, which is coordinating this Letter Writing Competition, shall select the three prize winners from amongst the best entries received from each member country of the UPU. The three winners will be awarded gold, silver and bronze medals by the UPU along with an album of the official postage stamps of the Universal Postal Union.

The Department of Posts shall select three best entries at National level that will be given cash prizes and certificates. In addition, a consolation prize and certificate will also be given to one best entry from each circle. The best entry at the National level shall qualify as the official Indian entry for the UPU level International Competition.

The language to be used in holding the competition will be English or any of the recognized languages embodied in the 8th Schedule of our Constitution.

You are requested to organize this competition in your school in consultation with the Chief Post Master General/Postmaster General of your respective Circle/Region. **The participating schools may forward their entries to the Chief Postmasters General of their States** for evaluation and further forwarding the best three entries to the Postal Directorate, New Delhi.

Enclosed:

- Annexure-1. Detailed instructions / Rules for participants, issued by the Department of Posts, Government of India.
- Annexure-II. Details of the 40th UPU Letter Writing Competition, 2011
- Annexure-III Address List of Chief Postmasters General (CPMG) / Postmaster General (PMG)/DPS.

Yours faithfully

Shashi Bhushan

Director (Academic)

Copy with a request to respective Heads of Directorates/KVS/NVS/CTSA as indicated below to also disseminate the information to all concerned schools under their jurisdiction:-

- 1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-110 016.
- 2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, A-28, Kailash Colony, New Delhi.
- 3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054.
- 4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160 017.
- 5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim 737 101.
- 6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar-791 111.
- 7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair-744 101.
- 8. The Secretary, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini, Delhi-110 085.

- 9. All the Regional Officers of CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions.
- 10. The Education Officers/AEOs of the Academic Branch, CBSE.
- 11. The Joint Secretary (IT) with the request to put this circular on the CBSE website.
- 12. The Library and Information Officer, CBSE
- 13. EO to Chairman, CBSE
- 14. PA to CE, CBSE
- 15. PA to Secretary, CBSE
- 16. PA to HOD (AIEEE)
- 17. PA to HOD (Edusat)
- 18. The PRO, CBSE

Director (Academic)

Annexure-1

40th UPU Letter Writing Competition for Young People, 2011

Rules for Participants

- (a) The 40th Universal Postal Union (UPU) Letter Writing competition shall be open to school going children up to 15 years of age on 31.03.2011.
- (b) The age of participants is to be certified by the school authorities where the participant is studying.
- (c) Date by which participants should declare their 20.12.2010 intention to participation the competition (last date) to CPMG/PMG/School Principal.
- (d) Date and time of the 'on the spot competition'. 02.01.2011 10.00 to 11.00 hrs.
- (e) The participants will make their own arrangements to reach the venue of the competition. The Department / schools will provide the answer books for the competition to the children but they will bring their own pen/ pencil etc.
- (f) All the candidates shall be required to apply in person to the Chief Postmaster General / Postmaster General/ School Principal in duplicate. Both copies must have a Passport size photograph of the candidate affixed on them.
- (g) The participants will apply for participation in the competition along with three Passport size photographs in the following format on plain paper.
- I. Name of the competition: 40th UPU Letter Writing Competition for young people 2011.
- II. Full Name of the participant
- III. Father's/Guardian's Name.
- IV. Full Address for correspondence.
- V. Name of the School/ Institution where studying with full details.
- VI. Age with exact date of birth to be certified by the Head of the Educational Institution.
- VI. Sex (Male / Female)
- VII. Centre.

(h) Entry in the examination Hall will be by Hall permits to be issued by the Chief Postmasters General/ Postmaster General / School Principal concerned. Each participant will be allotted a Roll No. by the concerned Chief Postmaster General / Postmaster General / School Principal.

IMPORTANT :- All the particulars as mentioned above including the full name and address of the participant should appear on the first page of the Answer Book also. Entries, which do not furnish all relevant details, would not be considered valid.

DETAILS OF THE 40TH UPU LETTER WRITING COMPETITION, 2011

1.	Subject	"Imagine you are a tree living in a forest, Write a letter to someone to explain why it is important to protect forests".	
2.	Participants eligibility	Children up to 15 years of age as on 31.03.2011	
3.	Content and form	Composition must be presented in the form of letter about 500 to 800 words length on the given subject.	
4.	Date & Time	Sunday, 2 nd January, 2011, 10.00 am. to 11.00 am.	
5.	Language	English or any language listed in the 8 th schedule of the Constitution of India.	
6.	Last date for submission of forms	20.12.2010	
7.	 Prizes (At national level) a) One First Prize b) One Second Prize c) One Third prize d) Consolation Prizes 	Rs. 2000/- and a certificate. Rs. 1500/- and a certificate Rs. 1000/- and a certificate Rs. 250/- to the best entry from each postal Circle and certificate.	

The best entry at the national level shall qualify as the Official Indian Entry for the International level Competition

The Universal Postal Union shall select the award winning entries. The top three entries will be awarded Gold, Silver and Bronz Medal respectively along with Certificate and album of UPU official postage stamps from UPU.

8. <u>It may be ensured that each and every entry must have the following details on its first</u> page in respect of the candidates.

- 1. Candidate's name
- 2. Date of Birth
- 3. Male / Female.
- 4. Father's / Guardian's name.
- 5. Name of the School / Institution
- 6. Full Postal Address.

For further details, please contact the Chief Postmasters General / Postmasters General / Director Postal Services of your Circle / Region. Information will also be available on the Department's Website: http://www.indiapost.gov.in

Annexure-III

Venues

Address List of Chief Postmaster General (CPMG) / POSTMASTER General (PMG)/ DPS

S.No.	Circle	Address and Phone No. of CPMG	Address and Phone No. of PMG and DPS
1.	Assam	CPMG, Assam Circle,	PMG, Dibrugarh-786001
		Guwahati-781001 Phone: 0361-2603636	Phone: 0373-2329131
2.	Andhra	CPMG,Andhra Pradesh	1. PMG, Visakhapatnam Region,
2.	Pradesh	Circle, Hyderabad-500001	CBM Compound,
		Phone: 040-24744555	Visakhapatnam-530013 Phone: 0891-2544934
			2. PMG, Vijayawada Region, Vijaywada-520010
			Phone: 0866-2496324
			3. PMG, Kurnool Region, Ashok Nagar,
			Kurnool-518005
			Phone: 08518-250210
3.	Bihar	CPMG, Bihar Circle, Patna-	PMG(N), Muzaffarpur Region,
		800001 Phone: 0612-2225051	Muzaffarpur-812001 Phone: 0621-2282593
		Filolie. 0012-2223031	Filone. 0021-2282393
4.	Chattisgarh	CPMG, Chattisgarh Circle, Raipur-492001 Phone: 0771-2233400	
5.	Delhi	CPMG, Delhi Circle, New Delhi-110001	
		Phone: 011-23620144	
6.	Gujarat	CPMG, Gujarat Circle,	
		Ahmedabad-380001	1. PMG, Rajkot-360001
		Phone: 079-25505424	Phone: 0281-2233200
			2. PMG, Vadodara-390002
			Phone: 0265-2791890
7.	Haryana	CPMG, Haryana Circle,	
		Ambala-133001	
		Phone: 0171-2603100	

8.	Himachal Pradesh	CPMG, Himachal Pradesh Circle, Shimla-171009 Phone: 0177-2629000	
9.	J & K	CPMG, J & K Circle, Srinagar-190001 Phone: 0194-2452528 Jammu Tawi-180001 Phone: 0191-2561738	
10.	Jharkhand	CPMG, Jharkhand Circle, Ranchi-834002 Phone: 0651-2482345	
11.	Kerala	CPMG, Kerala Circle, Tiruvanathapuram-695033 Phone: 0471-2308300	PMG, Kochi-682016 Phone: 0484-2391800 PMG, Kozhikode-673011 Phone: 0495-2767900
12.	Karnataka	CPMG, Karnataka Circle, Bangalore-560001 Phone : 080-22258832	PMG, SK Region, Bangalore-560001 Phone: 080-22255293 PMG, NK Region, Dharwad- 580001 Phone: 0836-2742001
13.	M.P.	CPMG, M.P. Circle, Bhopal-462012 Phone: 0755-2550838	PMG, Indore Region, Indore- 452001 Phone: 0731-2702723
14.	Maharashtra	CPMG, Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai-400001 Phone: 022-22620049	 PMG, Aurangabad-431002 Phone: 0240-2370822 PMG, Goa Region, Panaji-403001 Phone: 0832-2225225 PMG, Nagpur Region, Nagpur-440010 Phone: 0712-2560517 PMG, Pune-411001 Phone: 020-26126157
15.	North East	CPMG, N.E. Circle, Shillong-793001 Phone: 0364-2220579	DPS, Tripura Dn., Agartala-791001 Phone: 0381-2323800 DPS, Mijoram Dn., Aizawal-

			795001
			Phone: 0389-2328024
			1 10110. 0307-2320024
			DPS, Nagaland Dn., Kohima-
			797001
			Phone: 0370-2290597
			Flione. 0370-2290397
			DPS, Manipur Dn.,
			Imphal-795001
			Phone: 0384-2220264
			DPS, Arunachal Pradesh Dn.,
			Itanagar-791111
			Phone: 0360-2214937
16.	Punjab	CPMG, Punjab Circle,	
	J	Chandigarh-160017	
		Phone: 0172-2706700	
17.	Orissa	CPMG, Orissa Circle,	DPS, Sambhalpur, Orissa
		Bhubaneswar-751001	Phone: 0663-2401009
		Phone: 0674-2392000	
			PMG, Berhampur (GM),
			Berhampur-760001
			Phone: 0680-2221555
18.	Rajasthan	CPMG, Rajasthan Circle,	PMG, Southern Region, Ajmer-
		Jaipur-302007	305006
		Phone: 0141-2372020	Phone: 0145-2433602
			PMG, Western Region,
			Jodhpur-342001
			Phone: 0291-2432800
19.	Tamil Nadu	CPMG, Tamil Nadu Circle,	PMG, Southern Region,
		Chennai-600002	Madhrai-625002
		Phone: 044-28520367	Phone: 0452-1532244,2532244
			DMC Western Passion
			PMG, Western Region, Coimbatore-641002
			Phone: 0422-2554100
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			PMG, Central Region,
			Tiruchirapalli-620001
			Phone: 0431-2463600
			1 110110. 0431-2403000
20.	Uttar Pradesh	CPMG, U.P. Circle,	PMG, Agra Region,
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		Lucknow-226001	Agra-282001
		Phone: 0522-2622000	Phone: 0562-2363310
			PMG, Kanpur Region,
			Kanpur-208001
			Phone: 0512-2306614,
			0512-2306022
			PMG, Gorakhpur Region,
			Gorakhpur-273008
			Phone: 0551-2200844
			PMG, Bareilly Region,
			Bareilly-243001
			Phone: 0581-2427005
			PMG, Allahabad Region,
			Allahabad-211001
			Phone: 0532-2624887
21.	Uttaranchal	CPMG, Uttaranchal Circle,	
		Dehradun-248001	
		Phone: 0135-2658396	
22.	West Bengal	CPMG, West Bengal Circle,	PMG, South Bengal Region,
		Kolkata-700012	Kolkata-711112
		Phone: 033-22120070	Phone: 033-22121080
			PMG, North Bengal & Sikkim
			Region,
			Siliguri-734411
			Phone: 0353-2436550
			DPS, A & N Island Dn., Port
			Blair
			Phone: 03592-230485
			DPS, Sikkim State, Gangtok
			Phone: 03592-222610

For further details, please contact the Chief Postmasters General/ Postmasters General/ Director Postal Services of your Circle/ Region.

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