

# Little Kingdom & St. Jude's Global School

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## I'M A STAR 2013 - ANNUAL TALENT COMPETITIONS

### General Instructions regarding the school level competitions

1. Competitions for Pre-K& KG of Little Kingdom Montessori will be held on 04<sup>th</sup> September 2013. Competitions for Grade 1 to 10 will be on 06<sup>th</sup>& 07<sup>th</sup> September 2013.
2. A student can register for a maximum of Six (6) individual stage items only. Essay writing, poem writing, drawing and painting and all group items are excluded from the above six.
3. Rules and other information on competitions will be available in school website and notice board.
4. Sahodaya Kalotsav (district level competitions) is scheduled from 5<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> October 2013 at Girideepam Bethany Central School. Rules and regulations will be uploaded as and when available. Changes in items, categories, duration and conditions etc. may be expected.
5. For registration, the parent shall submit name of their ward mentioning the Grade and the items selected ***in writing*** either to Ms.Liji (SJ Campus) or Ms. Susmi (LK Campus) on or before 17<sup>th</sup>Aug. 2013.
6. Registration Fee for all individual items will be Rs.100/- per stage item and Rs.50/- for all other items. There will be no registration fee for group items. A late fee of Rs.50/- will be charged for changes in events / new registrations made after 17<sup>th</sup> Aug 2013. No new registration or request for changes will be accepted after 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 2013.
7. For a student to participate in the forthcoming annual day events, his/her participation in a minimum of two single stage items is compulsory.
8. In the list, where an item is shown as common means that there will be no separate competition for boys and girls.
9. Parents will not be allowed inside the venue during the competition, except for fancy dress and dance.
10. Once the competition is over, the stage managers will do the tabulation of marks in the presence of the judges. When the tabulation is completed, the chest number and the grade of the winners will be announced by one of the judges.
11. Trophies will be awarded to "Kalathilakam" and "Kalaprathibha" based on the minimum criteria fixed for each level/category
12. Third prize will be given only, if there are more than 12 participants for an item.

13. Qualified and competent judges shall be appointed to judge the items. There shall be one external judge for selected items in upper categories.
14. The decision of the judges will be final and binding to all.
15. For items where there is a choice of languages, like Elocution, Recitation, Music, Action Song, Storytelling, Rhymes, Essay and Poem writing, a student can compete only in any one language (English / Hindi / Malayalam)
16. Subjects for essay writing, poem writing, drawing & painting will be given 30 minutes before their schedule.
17. For elocution, topics shall be given in advance. But for extempore, topic shall be decided by the judges five minutes before the competition.
18. For writing and drawing competitions, participants shall bring pen, pencil, colour etc. Only paper shall be provided at the venue. The subject / topic shall be decided by the judges.
19. Single dance competitions will be held separately for boys and girls from Category 2 onwards. A student can choose only two forms of dance items (folk/bharathanatyam/cinematic dance).
20. Only audio CDs will be allowed for dance items and mime. You are requested to record the song or music of each item in separate CDs. The CDs should be handed over to the stage manager 30 minutes before the performance. Another copy of the CD should be kept by the participant.
21. For classical music competition, sruthi box shall be allowed and participants can sing any raga.
22. There are no group competitions planned at school level for this year.
23. The committee constituted for group items will select the students based on their talents and performances in the competitions.
24. To learn about the latest updates and /or changes, parents are requested to check the school website or the school notice board regularly. No separate communication may be expected in this regard.

*For latest information and amendments, please visit school website: [www.sjonsite.com](http://www.sjonsite.com)*



**PROPOSED TENTATIVE TOPICS**

ELOCUTION	TIME (Max)	CATEGORY	SUBJECT
CATEGORY I Grade III & IV	5 mts	English	WATER CONSERVATION
		Malayalam	ജലസേചനം
CATEGORY II Grade V, VI VII	5 mts	English	CAN INDIAN DEMOCRACY BE AN IDEAL ONE?
		Hindi	वर्षकाल
		Malayalam	വായനാ ശീലം
CATEGORY III Grade VIII, IX, X	5 mts	English	SOCIAL NETWORKING- A BOON OR A BANE
		Hindi	आदर्श विद्यार्थी
		Malayalam	ചര്യങ്ങളുടെ അനിവാര്യതയും അപകടകരമായതും കുലുങ്ങലും

CATEGORY III	Extempore (Hindi)	प्रदूषण से बचाव
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**GROUP ITEMS – HOUSE WISE**

**(Category I – Grade III & IV, Category II – Grade V – VII, Category III – Grade VIII to X)**

Group Song	5 mts (Minimum 7 and Maximum 10 members representing all grades)
National Anthem	52 seconds (Minimum 7 and Maximum 10 members representing all grades)
Patriotic Song	5 mts (Minimum 7 and Maximum 10 members representing all grades)