

Universal Postal Union 2023 International Letter Writing Competition for Young People

'International Letter Writing Competition for young people-2023' will be held under the aegis of 'Universal Postal Union', on 02.04.2023 at the following places: -

Centre	Centre In-charge
Central Kolkata	Senior Superintendent of Post Offices, Central Kolkata Division , Kolkata -700007 Phone 033-2273-5218
Durgapur	Senior Superintendent of Post Offices, Asansol Division , Asansol-713001, Phone-03412303583 \ 2303497
Siliguri	Superintendent of POs, Darjeeling Division, Darjeeling - 734101, Phone - 0354-2258404
Port Blair	Dy. Superintendent of Post Offices, O/O the PMG A & N Islands, Port Blair-744101, Phone-03192-230485/232346.
Gangtok	Dy. Superintendent of Post Offices , O/O the PMG Sikkim State, Gangtok-737103,Phone-03592-202611/202192

1. The subject of this competition is "Imagine you are a super hero and your mission is to make all roads around the world safer for children. Write a letter to someone explaining which super powers you would need to achieve your mission." Children upto 15 years of age as on 31.03.2023 can participate. Date & Time of the said competition: 02.04.2023, for one hour duration (11.00 Hrs- 12.00 Hrs.). Composition must be presented in the form of letter not exceeding 800 words. The language can be English or any language listed in the 8th schedule of the Constitution of India.

Those who are interested may apply to the Centre in-charge mentioned above, which should reach on or before **22.03.2023**.

2. The application form must contain the following details: -

1	Name of the Competition	
2	Full Name of the Participant	
3	Father's/Guardians' Name	
4	Full Address for correspondence	
5	Name and Complete address of the School/Institution with Pincode where studying	
6	Age with exact date of birth (Aadhaar/School ID to be enclosed)	
7	Sex (Male/Female)	
8	Centre	
9.	Passport size photographs of the candidate - Three (3) pieces	

One attendance sheet must be prepared in duplicate in the following format: -

Sl. No.	Name of the Candidate	Centre of Exam	Date of Birth	Signature of the Candidate

No candidate will be allowed to appear in the test until and unless Aadhaar/School ID (in original) are produced before the centre in charge.

No candidate will be allowed to carry laptops, mobile phone any books and exercise books at the time of examination.

Answer sheets will be provided by the Centre in charge. On the top of the answer sheet candidates should write his/her name, Roll No. , Name of the Centre, Name of the School, Class in which he/she is studying. The centre in-charge will make a rubber stamp with the above details, to be inscribed on each answer script, which are to be filled by the candidate in their own handwriting.

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The centre in-charge will ensure to send the **best three answer sheets** (irrespective of languages) to ADPS (BD&Phil), O/o the CPMG, WB Circle, Kolkata-12, which **should reach 'CO' within 06.04.2023**, with a copy of attendance sheet duly signed by the candidates.

Individual schools can also hold the said competition independently for their students. The students of the school may apply to the school authority. School authority may hold the exam on their own at the school premises on 02.04.2023, with a cut-off date for accepting application on or before 27.03.2023.

After holding the competition, individual schools must send the best three answer sheets (irrespective of languages) with a copy of attendance sheet duly signed by the candidates, & the application form submitted by the candidate so as to reach on or before 05.04.2023, directly to concerned Postal Division (Senior Superintendent of Post Offices / Superintendent of Post Offices) wherein the concerned school exist.

Concerned Divisional heads will ensure to collect the above answer sheets , application form & attendance sheet from school authority and send to ADPS (BD&Phil), O/o the CPMG, WB Circle, Kolkata-12, which should reach 'CO' within 06.04.2023.

The Prize will be awarded to the winners as below: -

Prizes (at Circle Level)

- a. First Prize Rs. 25,000/- and a certificate
- b. Second Prize Rs. 10,000/- and a certificate
- c. Third Prize Rs. 5,000/- and a certificate

Prizes (at National Level)

- a. First Prize Rs. 50,000/- and a certificate
- b. Second Prize Rs. 25,000/- and a certificate
- c. Third Prize Rs. 10,000/- and a certificate

The best entry at the National level shall qualify as the official Indian entry for the International level competition. The UPU shall select the award winning entries. The top winners will receive a special medal (gold for 1st, silver for 2nd & bronze for 3rd) and a certificate and such other prizes decided by the UPU. The Gold medalist may also be offered a trip to the UPU headquarter or some other prize.



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