

Bureau of Energy Efficiency

(Government of India, Ministry of Power)

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Sub: School, State & National level Painting Competition on Energy Conservation-2018 for <u>Group 'A'</u> (4th, 5th & 6th standard students) and <u>Group 'B'</u> (7th, 8th & 9th Standard students).

To sensitize the school children towards Energy Efficiency and Energy Conservation in domestic sector, the Ministry of Power (MoP), Government of India (GoI) undertakes pan India National Awareness Campaign by organizing Painting Competition for 4th, 5th and 6th Standards under **Group 'A'** and for 7th, 8th and 9th standards under **Group 'B**'.

Cash prizes worth ₹ 95,000 per State/UT per Category (₹ 34.20 lakhs for 36 States/UTs per Category or ₹ 68.40 lakhs for both Categories) will be distributed to State level winners on day of the Competition on 14th November, 2018. For winners of both the categories of National Competition, cash prizes worth ₹ 10.35 lakhs will be awarded on 14th December, 2018. Therefore, in total ₹ 78.75 lakhs as prize money will be distributed in the painting competition scheme.

Topics for Group 'A'

- ✓ Energy is Life, Conserve it
 ✓ Saving Energy, a bright Idea
- ✓ Saving Energy for sustainable life

- Topics for Group 'B'
- ✓ Save Energy for others
- ✓ Conserve Energy, Save Nation
- ✓ Wind, Water, Sun, Energy for Long run

Methodology of Painting Competition - 2018 School Level Painting Competition

- School Principals are requested to organize painting competition of the 2 hours duration for 4th, 5th & 6th standard students under Group 'A' and for 7th, 8th & 9th standard students under Group 'B'.
- Students can use any size of paper but preferably A4 size and painting material such as pencil, colour pencils, crayons & water colours. Students can select any one of the above mentioned themes marked for their Group for painting.
- School principals will select 2 best paintings from each Group 'A & 'B' and send them along with the information on number of students participated in each Group at School Level Painting Competition to the Nodal Officer of the State/UT whose address is given below so as to reach him by 26th October, 2018 positively.
- > All participants will be issued certificate of participation.

State Level Painting Competition

- 50 (plus 5 reserves) best paintings each for Categories 'A' & 'B' will be selected by a Committee of Experts/Jury.
 Selected students from categories 'A' & 'B' will be called for two hours on-the spot Painting Competition to be held on 14th November, 2018.
- > Each participating student from **Categories 'A' & 'B'** will be paid ₹2000/- in cash and a participation certificate.
- To & fro Sleeper class / AC Chair Car / 3rd AC rail-fare or State Roadways bus fare for the participating student and two guardians for Group 'A' but only one guardian for Group 'B' will be reimbursed.

National Level Painting Competition

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners of State Level Painting Competition of the Group 'A' and 'B' from each State/UT will be invited to Delhi to participate in "National Level Painting Competition" to be held on 12th December, 2018.
- Boarding & Lodging, to & fro sleeper class / AC Chair Car / 3rd AC rail-fare or State Roadways bus fare by the shortest route for 108 participants and two guardians of Group 'A' and 108 participants of Group 'B' along with one guardian will be reimbursed. In addition, each participating student will be paid a sum of ₹2000/- as incidentals and given a participation certificate.
- National Level winners of both Groups 'A' & 'B' will be awarded cash prizes by the Chief Guest on the "National Energy Conservation Day Function" to be held in Delhi on 14th December, 2018.

Note

- The 1st, 2nd & 3rd prizes winners at State/UT level during the last two years (2016 & 2017) of Group 'A' and 'B' are not eligible to participate in this year Competition but the Consolation prize winners at State Level of both Groups are eligible to participate but they would be considered for prizes only if they secure 1st/ 2nd/ 3rd position.
- Use of Collage/Patchwork is not permitted in the paintings at all levels of competition.
- Two paintings selected at School Level, sketched paintings at State/UT Level and National Level would be the sole property of BEE, which will have the right to use it for any number it considers appropriate.
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- > The decision of the Jury/Expert Committee at all levels of the painting competition will be final.

For more details on participation at State/UT, National Level Painting Competition and List of State/UT wise Nodal Officers is available at <u>www.beeindia.gov.in</u>

It is further informed that the names of schools, recording 100% student participation in the categories 'A' & 'B' (as applicable), will be included in the Painting Competition Book prepared by BEE.

The Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Ministry of Power, Government of India) takes this opportunity to request school principals to encourage their students to participate in this National activity.