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CIRCULAR

Sub: DSE – Sports and Youth Services – Fit India Mission - **Conduct of Fit India School Quiz** - in the U.T of Puducherry - Reg.

Ref. : Circular F. No.19-2/Fit India/Quiz/2022, Sports Authority of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs, Government of India, dated 22.08.22.

Fit India Mission under the aegis of Sports Authority of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has decided to launch Fit India Quiz for schools across the country in the month of November, 2022 to provide a National platform for students to showcase their knowledge about fitness and sports. The Quiz endeavours to create awareness among students about India's rich sporting history, including centuries-old indigenous sports, our national and regional sporting heroes of the past and how traditional Indian lifestyle activities hold the key to a Fit Life for all. It is the first National-Level Quiz for students which will give out total **cash awards of Rs. 3.25 crore to schools and students.**

The quiz will also be the first-ever fitness and sports quiz to be telecast on India's one of the largest sports television channels, Star Sports as well as on National TV channel. Students who make it to the national round as representatives of their schools, will therefore get a chance to showcase their talent before the entire nation. More details of Fit India Quiz are attached as Annexure.

All the Heads of Government, Government – Aided and Private Schools, U.T. of Puducherry are requested to encourage their students and register their schools for the preliminary round *without fail*.



(P. T. RUDRA GOUD)
DIRECTOR OF SCHOOL EDUCATION

To

1. All the Heads of Schools (Govt./Govt.Aided/Private), U.T. of Puducherry - And
2. The Joint Director of School Education (SE), DSE, Puducherry.
3. The State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, DSE, Puducherry.
4. The Deputy Director (SE), Karaikal, DDE (W), Puducherry.
5. The Deputy Director (Elementary), DSE, Puducherry.
6. The Deputy Director (Sports & Youth Services), DSE, Puducherry.
7. The Chief Educational Officer, Puducherry / Karaikal / Mahe.
8. The Delegate to the Director of School Education, Yanam.
9. The Deputy Inspector of Schools – Zone I,II,III,IV & V, Puducherry & Zone I&II Karaikal.

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Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports

FIT INDIA

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No. 19-2/FIT INDIA/QUIZ/2022

Dated: 22/08/2022

CIRCULAR

Subject: Fit India School Quiz 2022

1. The Fit India Movement was launched in August 2019 to popularise fitness as a way of life among citizens. Envisioned as a People's Movement, the endeavour has been to inculcate the philosophy that Fitness is Free, Fun and Easy among citizens of all age groups – from school children to senior citizens.
2. In a bid to further reiterate the need to create awareness about fitness and sports among school children, who are the future of India, the Fit India Mission under the aegis of Sports Authority of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has decided to launch second edition of Fit India Quiz for schools across the country.
3. Fit India Quiz 2022 will be launched on 29th August 2022 and Launch will be live telecast on Fit India Mission YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/c/FitIndiaMovement2019>) and Fit India Movement FB Page (<https://www.facebook.com/FitIndiaOff>). The registrations for schools for participation shall begin from 3rd September 2022 on Fit India website (<https://fitindia.gov.in/>).
4. The objective of the quiz is to provide a National platform for students to showcase their knowledge about fitness and sports, also endeavours in its philosophy to create awareness among students about India's rich sporting history, including centuries-old indigenous sports, our national and regional sporting heroes of the past and how traditional Indian lifestyle activities hold the key to a Fit Life for all.
5. The quiz is the second edition of the National-Level Quiz for students which will give out a total cash award of Rs 3.25 crore to schools and students.
6. The quiz will also be the second edition of the first-ever fitness and sports quiz to be telecast on India's one of the largest sports television channels, Star Sports as well as on the National TV channel. Students who make it to the national round as representatives of their schools will therefore get a chance to showcase their talent before the entire nation.
7. The four rounds of the quiz will include the following:
 - a. **School Round** : To be conducted by the school to select students for registration in the Fit India Quiz Preliminary Round. It is the responsibility of the school that they encourage maximum students to participate in the Fit India Quiz 2022.

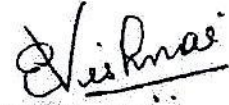
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- b. **Preliminary Round:** To be a multiple-choice online round conducted by the National Testing Agency (India's premiere examination body that conducts national-level exams such as JEE and NEET). The country-wide quiz will be organised in 13 languages for benefit of students studying in regional-medium schools.
- c. **State Round:** To be conducted by each State/UTs with the support from FIT India Mission amongst Schools qualified after the preliminary round. The detailed process of qualification of the school is described in the annexure. This round will be anchored by a professional quiz master and will be telecast on Fit India Mission social media handles.
- d. **National Round:** Final round in which the winning team of each State/UT will participate and fight for the TOP TITLE of the National Winner of FIT INDIA QUIZ 2022. First Runner Up and Second Runner Up prizes will also be decided. This will be a grand event to be hosted by Fit India Icon.

More details of Fit India Quiz are attached as Annexure.

II It is, therefore, requested that the Principal Secretary/Secretary in charge of the School Education Department of all State/UT Governments may kindly give necessary publicity and share this information with all schools in the state so that maximum students from the State/UTs participate in this unique programme. It is with the support and active participation of all states/UTs that the Fit India Quiz can become a grand success.

III This issues with the approval of the Secretary (Sports), Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.



(Ekta Vishnoi)

Mission Director (Fit India)

Encl.: As above

To:

Principal Secretary/Secretary in charge of School Education Department of States/UTs

Copy to:

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Principal Secretary/Secretary in charge of Sports Department of States/UTs

The Chairperson, Central Board of Secondary Education

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The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti

The Chairperson, Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE)

Director in charge of State School Education Boards of States/UTs

Copy also for information to:

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Sr.PPS to Secretary D/o Sports, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Govt. of India

GUIDELINES FOR FIT INDIA QUIZ

Preface

The Fit India Movement was launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister in August 2019 with a vision of encouraging every Indian citizen to adopt a physically active lifestyle. Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (MYAS) is the nodal ministry for implementing the Fit India Movement in coordination with other stakeholders. The aim of Fit India Movement is to encourage the citizens to include physical activity in their daily lives and to showcase the ease of simplicity of doing activities which can make them fit. In a bid to increase awareness about the importance of physical fitness in our daily lives, the Fit India Mission has conceptualised and conducted multiple events and campaigns. Fit India Movement has been able to mark its presence in more than **4 lakhs schools** across the country through Annual Fit India School Week Celebrations and Fit India School certifications.

Objective

To further propagate the message of Fit India Movement among the school children and strengthen its presence in schools, a Fit India Quiz has been envisioned to involve school children across the country. Fit India Quiz, while providing a national platform to students to showcase their knowledge about fitness and sports, also endeavours to create awareness among students about India's rich sporting history, including centuries-old indigenous sports, our sporting heroes of the past and how traditional Indian lifestyle activities hold the key to a Fit Life for all.

Structure of Fit India Quiz

The Fit India Quiz is primed to be the first-of-its-kind nation-wide quiz on fitness and sports for school children. The quiz will have representations from every State/UT in the country and will be a mix of online and broadcast rounds. The quiz format has been designed in an inclusive manner wherein school students from across the country will get an opportunity to test their fitness and sports knowledge against their peers. The quiz will be open for students from all age groups, but the questions shall be framed in a way that can be easily answered by students of class 8 and above.

Following table provides the summary of phases/rounds involved in the Fit India Quiz:

Phases/Rounds	Description
REGISTRATION AND SCHOOL ROUND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The school to hold the first round of selection of students internally and register the selected students for the Preliminary round. • Registration for preliminary round will be open to all schools across India. • Schools will be required to register minimum 2 students for the quiz on link available on Fit India website (www.fitindia.gov.in). Schools can register more than 2 students. There is no upper limit for number of students to be registered for Fit India Quiz from a single school. • A registration fee for Rs. 50 per student shall be applicable. School to deposit the registration fees for each student at the time of registration. • The registration and payment by the schools shall be done by visiting the registration link provided on the Fit India website
PRELIMINARY ROUND (NTA ROUND)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered students will compete individually on an online platform hosted by NTA (National Testing Agency). The quiz questions shall be framed in a way that can be easily answered by students of class 8 and above. • Provision will be made to have quiz questions in 13 languages- English, Hindi, Tamil, Malayalam, Telugu, Kannada, Marathi, Gujarati, Odiya, Assamese, Bengali, Punjabi and Urdu. However, in case of any discrepancies or invalidation, questions in English / Hindi language will prevail. • The necessary links for accessing the quiz, username, and passwords for nominated individual student will be shared with the school and students before the NTA round. • The quiz under NTA round will be of 30 minutes duration and will consist of 60 multiple choice questions (MCQ). Negative marking will be given for incorrect answers (Each correct answer carries 4 marks and for each wrong answer 1 mark will be deducted). • The NTA round will be taken by individual student through mobile device with Andorid 5 or above and internet connectivity, using the dedicated mobile application. <p>Evaluation and Results of NTA round</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be evaluated based on the scores achieved in the NTA round. If more than one student gets the same score, the younger student (age-wise) will rank higher in the merit list. • The school whose student is there in the merit list will qualify for the state round. • Top ranked 4-32 schools from each State/UT will qualify for the next round as per the following table:

S.No.	Activity	Start Date	End Date
1	Launch of Fit India Quiz	August 29, 2022	
2	Registrations	September 3, 2022	October 15, 2022
3	Preliminary or NTA Round (including mock tests conducted by NTA)	Nov 5, 2022 to Nov 10, 2022	
4	State Round	December 10, 2022	December 31, 2022
5	National Round	January/February 2023	

Role of Schools

The schools will be the key drivers for the propagation and promotion of the quiz within their respective schools which shall be essential for the greater success and participation from students.

The schools will be responsible for registering minimum two students for the quiz on the Fit India website and shall ensure fair selection process being carried out for the identifying the students.

The schools to pay the require registration fee per student.

The qualified school must nominate an additional student from the respective school as quiz partner, based on their discretion, for the State Round to form a team of two quizzers.

The schools to adhere to the guidelines as available on the Fit India website.

Schools to make necessary arrangements in case of travel etc for the students.

Role of States/UTs

States/UTs to ensure wide publicity to Fit India Quiz and encourage to the schools to register and participate in the Fit India Quiz. The information on Fit India Quiz to be shared with all the schools in the state to ensure maximum participation.

States/UTs to conduct State round in respective states with the support of Fit India Mission and select state/UT champion for National round.

Event Management agency will be finalised by FIT India Mission.

Role of Fit India Mission

Fit India Mission under Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India shall be the chief benefactor for the Fit India Quiz and shall provide all necessary financial support and guidance to the stakeholders. The Fit India Mission will co-ordinate with the concerned state departments and facilitate in providing guidelines and defining SOPs at various stages of the Fit India Quiz.

- Olympics, Commonwealth Games, Asian Games, Khelo India Games and other popular sports.

The State and National rounds of the quiz will have innovative concepts such as 'phone a teacher/ parent, Ask an Expert, Flip a Question, Trump Card etc. to make it fun, interactive and engaging for the audience. The quiz will also have multi-formats featuring buzzer rounds and audio/video recognition round, etc.

Prize Structure for Fit India Quiz

The Fit India quiz provides an opportunity for schools and students win cash prizes worth more than Rs 3 Crore. The detailed prize structure for the Fit India Quiz is as below:

Fit India Quiz Budget Estimate		
Prize money to winners		
Particulars	Cash Prize for schools (in INR)	Cash prize for Students* (in INR)
National Champion	25,00,000	2,50,000
1st Runner Up- National Round	15,00,000	1,50,000
2nd Runner Up- National Round	10,00,000	1,00,000
State/UT Champion **	2,50,000	25,000
State/UT 1st Runner Up **	1,00,000	10,000
State/UT 2nd Runner Up**	50,000	5,000
State qualifiers after NTA round***	15,000	2,000
Cash prizes to teachers, principals and parents who will be part of the quiz in various rounds#		9,69,000
Total Prize money -----		3,25,00,000

It is suggested that the cash prize may be utilized only for the purpose of promotion of sports and fitness.

*Awarded to team of 2 students

**Awarded to each State/UT

***Awarded to all qualified schools for state round

Subjected to nature of rounds included in the State and National Rounds

Tentative Timeline for the Fit India Quiz

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Government of India
Department of Sports
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports

D. No. Fit India/Quiz/2022

Dated: 22nd August, 2022

Dear Anita Ma'am,

I am glad to share the success of the first edition of Fit India Quiz which was launched by the Hon'ble Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports in the presence of the Hon'ble Minister of Education on 1st September 2021 to commemorate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM). As you are aware, this Fit India Quiz entailed prize money of Rs. 3.25 Crore for students/ schools, in which 36,299 students from 13,502 schools participated from all over India.

2. After the huge success of the first edition of this Quiz, the second edition of Fit India Quiz is proposed to be launched on 29th August 2022 on the auspicious occasion of the National Sports Day. The Fit India Quiz 2022 will have a cash prize of Rs 3.25 Crore for Schools and Students, and Schools across India will be invited to participate in maximum number. The registration of students in the Fit India Quiz 2022 is going to commence from 3rd September 2022.

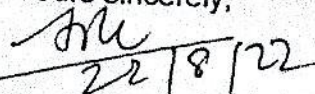
3. The Fit India Quiz 2022 will be launched by Hon'ble Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports on 29th August 2022, and this launch will be telecast live on the Fit India Mission YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/c/FitIndiaMovement2019>) and the Fit India Movement FB Page (<https://www.facebook.com/FitIndiaOff>).

4. In this regard, I would request your kind support by issuing directions to the State/UT Education Departments to promote the launch of the Fit India Quiz 2022 among the schools and students, and to encourage the schools and students to participate in the Quiz by visiting the Fit India Mission website (<https://fitindia.gov.in/>).

I look forward to your support in the above endeavor.

Best Regards,

Yours sincerely,


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