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सद्गुरो पाहि  
भारतजननी विजयताम्

॥ श्रीः ॥  
॥सा विद्या या विमुक्तये॥  
गुरुरेव गतिः गुरुमेव भजे गुरुणैव सहास्मि नमो गुरवे ।  
न गुरोः परमं शिशुरस्मि गुरोः मतिरस्ति गुरौ मम पाहि गुरो ॥

राधे श्याम  
परमदयालो पाहि  
संस्कृतमाता विजयताम्

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## प्रतिभा-२०२१

### LITERARY AND CULTURAL COMPETITIONS

Sri Sri Sri Abhinava Vidya Teertha Mahaswamigal of Dakshinamnaya Sri Sringeri Sharada Peetham, a great scholar and lover of Samskrita language, blessed us and started Geetha Govinda Samskrita Sangha (GGSS) in 1976 in Sringeri Mutt, Bangalore. GGSS strives to nurture and preserve Samskrita and Samskriti. GGSS is a non-profit organization that is operating through over **nine** branches in Bangalore and **two** branches in Chennai. GGSS also conducts dharmic activities like pujas during special occasions, Jagannatha and Sharadamba rathotsavas, Sharannavaratri, summer camps for school students, annual Inter-school competitions (Pratibha), and the like in order to provide encouragement in the path of Samkritam. GGSS provides scholarship for students, financial aid for people who are in need of medical assistance and also lends a helping hand to the needy during special occasions like marriages.

'Pratibha' is the annual inter-school literary and cultural competition promoting Samskrita and Samskriti organised by Geetha Govinda Samskrita Sangha in the month of June every year in Bangalore. **Pratibha** is being conducted, since the year 2000, with an aim to provide a platform to school-children to bring out their talent in literary and cultural events focusing on Sanskrit and Indian Culture and grow as a true Indian. Every year the winners are awarded with invaluable books such as the Valmiki Ramayanam, Srimad Bhagavatam, Bhagavadgita, Ashtadhyayi, Amarakosha, etc.

This year, **Pratibha 2021**, will be held online due to the current circumstances of the pandemic in the country. The competitions are open to school students of Bangalore, from 2nd standard to 10th standard.

## GENERAL RULES FOR ALL CATEGORIES:

Categories	Dates of the competitions	Competition Details	Contact details (5pm – 8pm only) (Phone call only)
<b>Sub Juniors:</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> Std	4 <sup>th</sup> September 2021, Saturday	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/subjuniorsggss">https://tinyurl.com/subjuniorsggss</a>	Smt Suma Arun 9980511512
<b>Juniors:</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> Std	5 <sup>th</sup> September 2021, Sunday & 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2021, Sunday	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/juniorsggss">https://tinyurl.com/juniorsggss</a>	Smt Lakshmi Kumar 9620455533
<b>Seniors:</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> Std	5 <sup>th</sup> September 2021, Sunday & 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2021, Sunday	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/seniorsggss">https://tinyurl.com/seniorsggss</a>	Smt Asha Bhat 9844993003

1. Competitions are held online. The zoom details of the same will be communicated after registration on September 1st 2021, Wednesday.
2. Competitions are held for **Bangalore urban and rural students only**.
3. Find the Dates for each competition in the above given links.
4. Each participant can participate in up to **four** competitions.
5. For each individual competition, an institution can send up to **eight entries**.
6. **Online Participation certificate** is given to all the competitors.
7. Register using this link - <https://forms.gle/FHn9ejrpk7ojYvDz9>
8. **Last date for registration** – 25<sup>th</sup> August 2021, Wednesday.
9. Entry fee of Rs. 50/- per competition, per competitor is to be paid online and the **Transaction ID** of the same to be filled along with the Registration Form.
10. Details of payment –

Category	UPI Id
Sub Juniors	rama94@upi
Juniors	rama94@upi
Seniors	mvusha@oksbi

11. Please refer to the **“Additional instructions”** section for information regarding each competition.
12. Note – Please enter a functioning email ID in the registration forms. **The same email ID will be used by the organizers for future communications.**
13. Let us uphold our Samskriti by appearing for the competitions in **Traditional Attire only**.
14. Details of **Prize distribution** will be communicated during the competitions.
15. **Judges’ decision is final and binding.**
16. Do inform your neighbouring institutions and interested children regarding these events.
17. **Individual ideas are valued.** उत्तमटीका: प्रशंसार्हा: स्वीक्रियन्ते

You can contact us on the above-mentioned numbers or write to us at –  
**Email id - [pratibhaggss@gmail.com](mailto:pratibhaggss@gmail.com)**

**Let us preserve our rich Indian culture.**

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