# **WONDER WRITERS ACADEMY**

# PRESENTS

# **ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION 2024**

**THE ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION 2024**, organized and sponsored by **WONDER WRITERS ACADEMY**, aims to inspire creative thinking and expression among grades 4 to 9 students.

Through this contest, we aim to nurture writing skills, encourage reflection, and celebrate the unique perspectives of young minds.

## Theme: NEW YEAR, NEW BEGINNINGS

#### Who can participate?

All students belonging to grades 4 to 9

#### **Guidelines for Participants:**

**Essay Length:** 

For Juniors (4th, 5th, and 6th grades) – not more than 100 words

For Seniors (7th, 8th and 9th grades) – not more than 200 words

#### Formatting:

All the submissions should be neatly typed, double-spaced, and in Arial Font Size 12.

#### Language:

Submissions should be in English language only.

## Topics:

For Juniors (4th, 5th, and 6th grades):

- 1. If I were in charge of New Year celebrations.....
- 2. My favourite memories of the past year.
- 3. How can I help the Planet in the new year?
- For Seniors (7th, 8th and 9th grades):

- 1. How not to break resolutions in the New Year?
- 2. If I could visit any New Year in history, what would I change?
- 3. How does 'looking back' help in shaping my 2024 New Year resolutions?

#### Originality:

All submitted works should be original. PLAGIARISM will not be tolerated. Do not use AI or other online tools to write your essay.

#### Submission Deadline: January 31, 2024

#### Submission Process:

Fill up the Google Form with the correct details and write-ups. The files need to be in PDF or DOC format.

#### https://forms.gle/Mgj8oXnf687gGiXg6

#### **Evaluation Criteria**:

Essays will be judged on creativity, clarity, coherence, relevance to the theme, originality, grammar and punctuation. Hence, sharpen your creative mind before you pen down your essay!

#### Before submitting it to us, proofread your essay or request a family member.

#### Result Date: February 15, 2024

#### Prizes:

Prizes will be separately given to Juniors and Seniors.

**1st Prize** – Gold Medal, Digital Certificate, and the reward of getting published on a leading children's website.

**2nd Prize** – Silver Medal, Winning Certificate, and the reward of getting published on a leading children's website.

**3rd Prize** – Bronze Medal, Digital Certificate, and the reward of getting published on a leading children's website.

All the participants will receive a digital participation certificate and feedback as well.

#### Organizer

**Ankita Patil** is an Award-winning Author and Founder of Wonder Writers Academy. She has selfpublished two novels, 'Frustration Reloaded' and 'C before my name with a S.' She won the SuperWriters Award 2022 for her mystery novel, 'Googling my Past.' She is a freelance writer, an online trainer, and a solo traveler.



Judge

**Mandeep Kaur** has been a self-employed Principal for the past one and a half decades to the present. She is also an educator, a novelist, a poetess, and overall an accomplished writer. She is done with her final Ph.D. thesis submission and will be awarded her Ph.D., the highest educational degree shortly.



Judge

**Siddhartha Taya** is a Success Mindset Coach and Founder of Supersonic Success Academy. He is a mountaineer, a Black Belt in Karate, and a Poet of an inspirational poetry book, 'The Edge of Floor 17.' He is also an award-winning Entrepreneur and motivational speaker.



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We can't wait to read your enchanting write-ups as you weave with your pen! Remember,

#### Your Voice Matters to Us!