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INNOVATION FEST 2019

The Science India Forum is delighted to announce the UAE Children's Innovation Fest 2019 in November 2019 (November 1st and 2nd 2019) at Bilva Indian School, Dubai. Various interesting events are planned as part of the UAE Children's Innovation Fest 2019. The main events of the fest include:

- 1) Event 1 - Science Innovative Skit Contest
- 2) Event 2 - Poster Making Contest
- 3) Event 3 - The Third Eye –Photography contest
- 4) Event 4 - To commemorate the 150th Birth anniversary of Mahathma Gandhi, SIF jointly with Embassy of India and Department of Science and Technology is organizing a Drawing & painting competition.

The last date for submission of entries to class teacher is 23rd October, 2019. Please find the circular attached for further details.

Thanking you and looking forward to your support.

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Event 1 - Science Innovative Skit Contest -ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- **Junior Category-Lower Group:** 10 years to less than 14 years, -Maximum 4 entries per school. Each team can have a maximum of 5 team members.
- **Senior Category-Upper Group:** 14 years to less than 17 years –Maximum 4 entries per school. Each team can have a maximum of 5 team members.
- All Videos should be 5 minutes or less. We will call for youtube links from the schools.
- The skits will be judged according to the following: creativity and presentation (40%), originality (30%) and relevance to the theme (30%).

Last date for submission of youtube links is October 23rd 2019

Event 2 - Poster Making Contest - ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- **Junior Category-Lower Group:** 10 years to less than 14 years, -Maximum 2 teams per school. Each team to have 2 participants.
- **Senior Category-Upper Group:** 14 years to less than 17 years –Maximum 2 teams per school. Each team to have 2 participants.
- The posters will be judged according to the following criteria: creativity and presentation(40%), originality (30%) and relevance to the theme (30%).
- Topic will be announced 1 hour before the contest. All material required for contest to be brought by participants. A3 size sheets will be provided. All posters should have a caption.
- 1 ½ hours will be provided for making the poster.
- The posters will be displayed and will be adjudged.
- The contest will be held simultaneously in a separate room and judges will select the winners
- Last date for submission of entries is October 23rd 2019

Event 3 - The Third Eye - ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Photography contest -Engage youth in science, technology, engineering, by: Exploring visual aspects through the art and science of photography; capturing images to demonstrate and communicate scientific concepts and phenomena; applying techniques to the capture of digital images.

Theme: We are looking for eye-catching images that show science being done, show how photography helps science or how science impacts upon our daily lives. The best will be exhibited at CIF 2019

- **Junior Category**-Lower Group: 10 years to less than 14 years, -Maximum 3 entries per school. Each team to have 3 team members.
- **Senior Category**-Upper Group: 14 years to less than 17 years –Maximum 3 entries per school. Each team to have 3 team members.

Image Eligibility –

The entry form requires the contestant to describe briefly the concept or phenomenon associated with each image.

Images must be the sole work of the contestant.

Images must be captured using a digital camera – images created in software are not permitted

Processing, including cropping and adjustments to correct or enhance exposure or colors, is acceptable; the addition, removal or distortion of significant content is not permitted.

Images must not include a watermark or descriptive text.

Photos to be sent to cif@sifuae.com on or before October 23rd 2019

Event 4 - To commemorate the 150th Birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, SIF jointly with the Embassy of India and Department of Science and Technology is organizing a

Drawing & painting competition.

Categories are: 5 to less than 8 years, 8 years till Less than 12 years, 12 years to less than 16 years

For the 5 to less than 8 years category: Only coloring. Paper will be provided. Color pencils/Crayon to be brought by participants.

From 8 years till less than 12 years category: Drawing & coloring. Paper will be provided. Pencils, Color pencils/Crayon/Sketch pens to be brought by participants.

From 12 years to less than 16 years category: Drawing & painting using water colors.

Paper will be provided.

This is an open category contest and any child can participate

Registration can be done through our SIF website www.sifuae.com starting October 15th 2019. A registration charge of AED 15 is applicable for each entry in Drawing & colouring competition alone.