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All the Principals/Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE.

Subject: National-level Cybersecurity Awareness Competitions on Safer Internet Day as part of ISEA Program - reg.

The Information Security Education and Awareness (ISEA) initiative, launched by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India, aims to develop human resources for a safe, trusted, and secure cyberspace. The ISEA Project Phase-III adopts a targeted approach to promote cybersecurity and privacy practices. The Cyber Aware Digital Naagrik (Mass Awareness) program seeks to empower individuals with essential cybersecurity skills, fostering safer digital practices.

As a part of this initiative, a web portal <https://www.staysafeonline.in> has been developed to cover emerging areas in cybersecurity. It includes activities such as quizzes, competitions like Drawing/Painting, Cartoon Storyboard, Reels/Shorts, Slogan Writing, Cyber Awareness Tale: Character-driven storytelling, Short Awareness videos/ Short Film, Technical Papers, My Success Story: Thanks to Digital Nagrik to boost engagement and enhance learning.

CIET-NCERT vide mail dated 6 December, 2024 has informed about the National-level Cybersecurity Awareness Competitions on Safer Internet Day as part of ISEA Program initiative. The details of the program are attached with the circular.

Guidelines for national level competition can be accessed and submitted online at the portal <https://www.staysafeonline.in/competitions>. For any further communication, please contact mjagdish@cdac.in or isea@cdac.in and mobile: 9849287132

All Principals/ Heads of schools affiliated to CBSE are requested to disseminate the information suitably for benefit of educators and students.

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16. The Deputy Secretary to Chairperson, CBSE - for kind information of the Chairperson, CBSE.
17. All the Heads of Department of the Board.
18. Director, (Media & Public Relations), CBSE with a request for proper publicity.
19. All the Regional Directors/Regional Officers/Head-COEs, ACCPD- Rae Bareli, CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions for compliance.



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NATIONAL LEVEL CYBERSECURITY *Competitions*

Stay Safe Online program is a **National level** cyber awareness program that aims to educate Digital Naagrik about safe and secure digital practices at different levels starting from Children, Teens, Youth, Teachers, Women, Parent, Senior Citizens, Government Employees, NGOs, Common Service Centres(CSCs), Micro Small Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) through Mass awareness programs, user engagement programs(competitions, quizzes etc) and role-based awareness progression pathways that will help to establish career pathways in the domain of cybersecurity.

As part of this initiative, a web portal

<https://staysafeonline.in>

has been developed with abundant multimedia content for various user segments by covering the various areas of the cybersecurity

To make your learning journey exciting, flexible and rewarding it includes various activities and competitions like

Quizzes | Drawing and Painting | Creating a Cartoon story board | Reels / shorts

Slogan Writing | Cyber Awareness Tales: Character-driven storytelling |

Short Awareness videos/ Short Film | Technical Papers | My Success Story: Thanks to Stay Safe Online

The program also includes **game-based learning, activities, exercises, case studies, Awards and reward points etc.** specifically tailored for different roles to boost engagement and make learning more effective.

Objective

The objective is to organize these competitions to inculcate Cyber Hygiene among the Digital Naagrik

Cybersecurity competitions theme: Safer Internet day

Important Dates

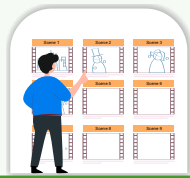
- Last date for submission —→ **5th January 2025**
Announcement of State level winners —→ **21st January 2025**
Announcement of National level winners —→ **30th January 2025**
Award Ceremony —→ **TBD**

Types of competitions

These competitions give a unique opportunity to all the participants to showcase their talent and creativity in Cybersecurity domain on the above theme



Drawing / Painting



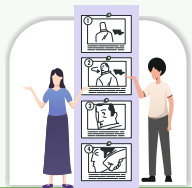
Cartoon story board



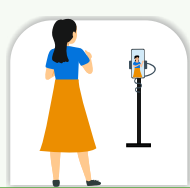
Reels / shorts



Slogan Writing
on the theme



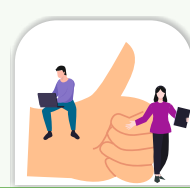
Cyber Awareness Tales:
Character-driven story writing



Short Awareness
videos/ Short Film



Technical Papers



My Success Story:
Thanks to Stay safe online

Upload your work

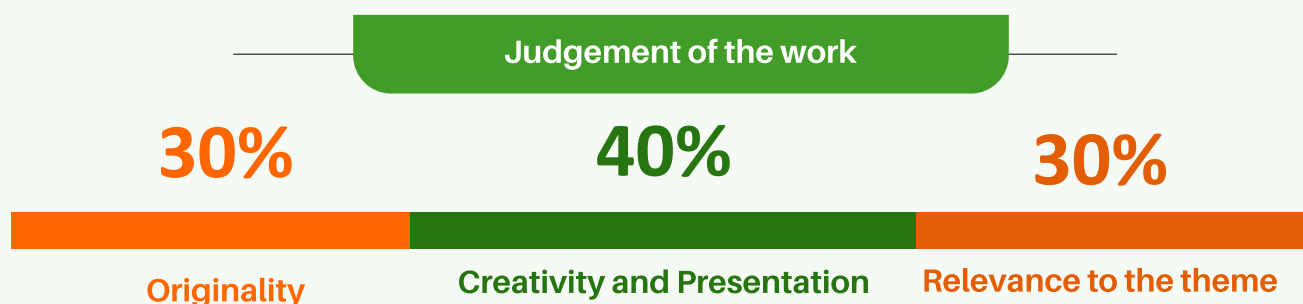
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Who can participate ? The competition is
OPEN TO ALL
NO AGE LIMIT

Financial Awards and Certificate

Type of Competition	State Level Winners (for each State(s) and UT(s))	National Level winners
Drawing / Painting	For each type of competition*: • First Prize: Rs. 3,000.00 • Second Prize: Rs. 2,000.00 • Third Prize :Rs, 1,000.00	For each type of competition*: • First Prize: Rs. 10,000.00 • Second Prize: Rs. 5,000.00 • Third Prize :Rs,3,000.00
Slogan Writing on the theme		
Reels / shorts		
Short Awareness videos/ Short Film		
Technical Papers		
My Success Story: Thanks to Stay safe online		

***State and National level winners will be awarded with Certificates**



Selection Process

Top three participants will be awarded in each category at **State and National level**

The decision of Jury/Expert committee of the competition will be final

Contact details for any clarifications or information

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Copyright of all the works entered will be assigned to the organizers.

Disclaimer

- The selection made by the committee is final and binding.
- No individual correspondence shall be entertained.
- The results will be displayed and announced through our web portal <https://staysafeonline.in/> and MyGov Platform .
- An event will be planned at the National level during the month of February 2025(TBD) for distribution of prizes and certificates to all winners and associated agencies, Schools/ Colleges etc. Separate intimation may also be sent to each of the winners.

Terms & Conditions

- The decision of the Jury/Expert committee of the competition will be final.
- The work received is the property of ISEA project, C-DAC Hyderabad. The work will not be returned and the same can be used as part of project promotions and appropriate acknowledgement will be given.
- The organization reserves the right to cancel the competition without any prior intimation.
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- If less number of works are received in any of the above categories may be dropped or given a limited number of awards based on the selection process.
- Each individual can submit only one piece of work in each category, and the work should be his/her original work.
- All the above guidelines should be followed by the participant, failing which the works/submission may be disqualified.
- By participating in the competition, you give us the right to publish any of your work on our website, social media platforms, and other promotional channels like (www.staysafeonline.in/ www.isea.gov.in/)
- Once your submission has been sent for the competition, it cannot be repurposed for another competition. If found, the entry will be disqualified.

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