



Toycathon 2021

Calling students of class 8-12 to submit their ideas. Last date is January 20, 2021

Toycathon 2021 is an inter-ministerial initiative organized by the Ministry of Education with the support from All India Council for Technical Education, Ministry of Women and Child Development, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Ministry of MSME, Ministry of Textiles and Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.

Toycathon 2021 is a unique opportunity for Students, Teachers and other staff of CBSE schools to submit their innovative toys / games concepts and to win large number of prizes. Winners of Toycathon 2021 will also get an opportunity to showcase their concepts during 'India Toy Fair' starting from 27th February 2021 which will be attended by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India.

A. FOCUS OF TOYCATHON 2021:

- Toy/Games concepts based on Indian civilization, heritage, culture, mythology, history, ethos, technology, ethnicity, national heroes and important events.
- Inculcate positive behaviour and good values ('Sanskaar').
- Toys for specially-abled/ Divyanga children.
- Boosting physical and mental fitness.
- Using eco-friendly, indigenous, non-hazardous or recycled material.
- Focus on promoting Vedic Mathematics.
- Encouraging national unity and respecting the cultural diversity.
- Supporting missions like Swachh Bharat, Beti Bachao Beti Padhao, Environment Conservation, Climate Change, Digital India, Skill India, Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat.
- Rediscovering and redesigning of traditional Indian toys.
- Toys for pedagogy (for teaching students' difficult concepts in Math, Science, Languages, Social Sciences, etc.)
- Design should confine to basic toy guidelines issued by Govt. of India.

For details, please see the link <https://toycathon.mic.gov.in/index.php>

Get inspired by watching this session by Mr Arvind Gupta https://youtu.be/E_yECaY9VIg

Interested students (team of minimum 3 and maximum 6) to contact Ms Sangeeta Gulati with their ideas before January 18(Entries need to be compiled as a presentation) Send a mail at sangeetagulati@sanskritischool.edu.in