



INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION

ENGLISH DECLAMATION

DATE : 26.08.2022
VENUE : Auditorium
TIME : Bal Sabha
CLASSES INVOLVED: VI-VIII

DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITY:

A declamation is a formal speech that includes rhetorical language, demonstrative gestures and emphasis to get a speaker's point across. Declamation requires students to select a speech that was delivered in public and perform an excerpt of that speech to the audience. The goal is not to mimic original speaker's voice or style but to develop personal style.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- * Two participants from each house. (One student from each class)
- * The language of the contest shall be English only.
- * The speech will be of 2-3 minutes. The time limit will be strictly enforced.
- * The speaker is expected to memorize their speech, and is not allowed to read any part of the speech from papers, notes or cards.
- * The speaker is to develop an oration that delivers the message of the writer in an original and engaging manner and not mimic the writer.
- * A short introduction that gives context to the performance is mandatory. The introduction should establish the title of the speech, the writer, and when it was delivered.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGEMENT:

- * Command over speech- fluency, articulation, voice strength, verbal clarity
- * Content- exposition of the main theme, clarity of message
- * Explanatory skills
- * Presentation Skills- engaging the audience, facial expressions, gestures

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