

Circular No.43/2023-24 Date: 06 September, 2022

Dear Parents,

Project Veer Gatha was instituted under Gallantry Awards Portal (GAP) in 2021 with the aim to disseminate the details of acts of bravery of the Gallantry Awardees and the life stories of these brave hearts among the students so as to raise the spirit of patriotism and instill amongst them values of civic consciousness. Project Veer Gatha deepened this noble aim by providing a platform to the school students to do creative projects/activities based on gallantry award winners. As part of this, the students framed different projects through various media like art, poems, essays and multimedia on these gallantry award winners and best projects were awarded at national level by the Ministry of Defence and the Ministry of Education.

The project has been coterminous with Republic Day Celebrations each year. Veer Gatha has been a phenomenal success with 8 lakhs participation in Veer Gatha 1.0 conducted in 2021-22 and 19.5 lakhs in Veer Gatha 2.0.conducted in 2022-23. Hon'ble Raksha Mantri and Hon'ble Minister of Education have commended Veer Gatha as '*heralding of a revolution amongst the students of India*'.

The Ministry of Defense (MoD) in collaboration with the Ministry of Education (MoE) has now decided to launch **Project Veer Gatha 3.0** in the current year 2023-24.

The details of the activities are given below:

CATEGORIES	ACTIVITY/ ENTRY IN THE FORM OF THE FOLLOWING	TOPIC	TYPE OF ENTRY	TEACHER IN- CHARGES
III to V	*Painting / Drawing /	i) My role model is (Gallantry Award winner) The values which I have learnt from his/her life are Or ii) The Gallantry Award winner gave the	Painting / Drawing	Mr Faiz A
VI to VIII	*Painting/ Drawing/	supreme sacrifice for our nation. If given a chance for keeping his/her memory alive, I would like to. Or iii) Rani Lakshmibai came into my dream. She wanted me to serve our nation by	Painting/ Drawing	Mr Niladri
IX & X	*Painting/ Drawing	or iv) 1857 Mutiny has been marked as the First war of Indian Independence. The life story of (name of the freedom fighter) motivates me to	Painting/ Drawing	Mr Yuvraj
XI & XII	Essay (1000 words)	V) Role of Tribal Uprising in Freedom Struggle. (Gallantry Award Winner) has inspired me to join the Armed Forces of India. I will join Armed Forces to	(English)	Ms. S Walia

^{*}The paper for painting may be of any size. However, the student should click photo and upload the same with maximum file size of 5 MB in JPG/PNG format.

All interested students are required to submit their entries to the Teacher In charges latest by **12**th **September 2023**. **One best entry** from each category will be submitted at the CBSE- Veer Gatha Portal by the teacher in charges by **14**th **September 2023**.

REWARDS AND RECOGNITION

There will be winners at every level. The number of winners to be declared is as follows:

• <u>National Level</u> - 100 winners (Super 100). No Veer Gatha Winner (at National Level) of earlier versions will be included in 100 winners (at National Level) of Veer Gatha Project 3.0.

Category:	Class	3rd	to	5th	=	25	winners
Category:	Class	6th	to	8th	=	25	winners
Category:	Class	9th	to	10th	=	25	winners
Category:	Class	11th	to	12th	=	25	winners

- **State / UT Level** 08 Winners (two from each category) at State / UT level irrespective of Board (Will not include students selected in Super 100)
- <u>District Level</u> 04 winners (one from each category). These will not include students selected in Super 100 and the students selected at State/UT level.

Students whose entry is uploaded at the Portal (CBSE/MyGov) will get an E-Certificate of Participation.

WEBSITES FOR REFERENCE:

The following links can be referred by the students:

- 1. Website https://innovateindia.mygov.in/veer-gatha-3/ in to know in detail about the brave-hearts.
- 2. NCERT book on Param Vir Chakra Awardees at the link https://ncert.nic.in/pdf/publication/otherpublications/veergatha.pdf

Parents of students from classes III to XII are requested to motivate and encourage their wards to participate in the event and submit their original work to the Teacher In charges as per the timeline provided.

Overall In- charges

- Ms Vinaya Pujari (H.M Primary)
- Ms Sarika Passi (H.M PP)

Asha Prabhakar (Principal) स्वच्छ भारत एक कदम स्वच्छता की ओर

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