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NOTIFICATION

Subject: State-Level Essay Competition 2026 organised by Lok Bhavan, West Bengal

It is hereby notified for information of all concerned that Lok Bhavan, West Bengal, is organizing its **First State-Level Essay Competition 2026** for school, college and university students studying in West Bengal. Students of Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay are encouraged to participate in the competition.

The details of the competition for college/university students are given below:

Topics for College/University Students
English: "Direct Action Day by All India Muslim League – A Fatal Assault on Civilizational Bharat"
Bengali: "অল ইন্ডিয়া মুসলিম লীগের প্রত্যক্ষ সংগ্রাম দিবস—ভারতের চিরায়ত সভ্যতার ভিত্তির ওপর এক মারাত্মক আক্রমণ"
Word Limit: 5,000–6,000 words.
Prize Structure (separately for English and Bengali essays):
- First Prize: ₹1,00,000 - Second Prize: ₹75,000 - Third Prize: ₹50,000

Important Instructions:

- Only students currently studying in educational institutions in West Bengal are eligible to participate.
- Each participant may submit only one essay, either in English or in Bengali.
- The essay must be handwritten, written on one side of each sheet only, and all pages must be numbered.
- The participant must submit a duly signed hard copy of the essay along with a separate sheet containing the participant's name, residential address, course/discipline, name of the educational institution, e-mail address and contact number.
- The participant's name, institutional details or any other identifying particulars must not appear on the essay itself.
- The prescribed Self-Declaration Form, duly signed by the participant, must accompany the essay. The declaration must confirm the originality of the work, proper acknowledgement of sources and references, and non-use of AI-generated content or generative AI tools in writing the essay.
- Essays must reach the Secretary to the Governor, Governor's Secretariat, Lok Bhavan, Kolkata – 700062, on or before **15 November 2026**, by post or courier only. Submission in person will not be accepted.

8. The envelope must be superscribed "State-Level Essay Competition 2026", along with the relevant category (College/University) and language (English/Bengali).
9. Plagiarism, copying without acknowledgement, or the use of AI-generated content or generative AI tools is strictly prohibited and may result in disqualification.
10. The winners will be felicitated on 26 January 2027 during the At Home Reception at Lok Bhavan. All interested students are requested to go through the detailed guidelines and the prescribed Self-Declaration Form available on the official website of Lok Bhavan, West Bengal: <https://rajbhavankolkata.gov.in>

Students are encouraged to participate in this state-level competition while strictly adhering to the prescribed rules and submission guidelines.

This is issued for information and necessary action by all concerned.

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Registrar (Acting)
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