

Welcome to the World of Creativity!

“Be brave enough to live life creatively. The creative place where no one else has ever been” is the words of an artist and creative thinker **Mr. Alan Alda**.



is offering that creative space for you to explore the land of imagination. We are organizing a **Story Writing Competition** under the project titled “*The Reader’s Nest*” and the registration/participation charges are free.

Every competition has its rules to make it a fair play, so let us check the rules for this competition;

- **Rule 1:** You must be a citizen of India and in the age group of 6 to 16 years;

- **Rule 2:** Topics for our competition are

Age 06 to 10 years- Science-Fiction

Age 11 to 16 years- Mythology-Fiction

- **Rule 3:** Your story must be in your own words;
- **Rule 4:** The story must be written in English language only;
- **Rule 5:** Once you have submitted your story, it will be considered as the final script for the competition;
- **Rule 6:** Story must be divided into four sections namely,

Name/Title of the Story

Moral of the Story (limited to 200 words)

Synopsis (limited to 300 words)

Content of the Story (Upto 4000 words)

- **Rule 7:** Multiple registrations from same participant, selection of an irrelevant topic, stories published before and stories by others shall be disqualified by the selection committee at its own discretion;
- **Rule 8:** Five stories from each age category will be selected and the selection will be based on strength of the content and its presentation, vocabulary, and narrative flow. The decisions by the selection committee will be final and binding;
- **Rule 9:** Winners will be notified on their contact details and will be awarded with a certificate from “**Curtains Up Academy**” along with a historic coin from “**Mintage World**” and the winning stories will be developed into a video which will be uploaded on the **YouTube channel** owned or associated with

“Curtains Up Academy”. All the rights of the winning stories shall be solely reserved by “***Curtains Up Academy***”.

- **Rule 10:** Your personal details such as Name, Contact number, Address, Proof of age, Name of School and a Photo are required for the registration process.

Note: The competition is exclusively organized for minors hence, it is understood that the participation of minor is with the consent of the minor’s legal guardian and any portion of the personal information containing personal data relating to minors provided by the minor shall be deemed to be given with the consent of the minor’s legal guardian. Such consent is deemed to be provided by your registration with “*Curtains Up Academy*”.

Acceptance of the aforementioned rules will take you to the application form, where you can fill your details and upload your stories.

So Why Wait? Hurry Up!! Registration dates starts from 01/05/2020 and ends on 30/06/2020, GOOD LUCK!