

All island art & animation video competition organised by the Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs in collaboration with Ministry of Education, Science and Technology, Ministry of Health, National Dangerous Drugs Control Board, Colombo Plan and Dialog Axiata PLC.

“EMPOWERING CHILDREN AND YOUTH FOR BRIGHT FUTURE WITHOUT DRUGS”

The Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs in collaboration with, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology, Ministry of Health, National Dangerous Drugs Control Board, Colombo Plan and Dialog Axiata PLC organizes an all island art & animation video competition in 2024.

Competition	Topic
Art Competition Category I – grade 6,7 and 8 Category II – grade 9,10 and 11	Empowering children and youth for bright future without drugs
Animation Video Competition Category I – grade 10,11,12 and 13 Category II – from 19 to 30 years	

Prizes for winners:

Art Competition

- 1st Place (A winner from each category) – A cash prize of Rs. 50,000/= will be awarded.
- 2nd Place (A winner from each category) – A cash prize of Rs. 35,000/= will be awarded.
- 3rd Place (A winner from each category) – A cash prize of Rs. 20,000/= will be awarded.
- Merit certificates will be awarded to twenty winners, with ten winners chosen from each category.

Animation Video Competition

Category I

- 1st Place – The student will receive Rs. 100,000/= and his/her school will also be awarded Rs. 100,000/= in prize money.
- 2nd Place – The student will receive Rs. 75,000/= and his/her school will also be awarded Rs. 75,000/= in prize money.
- 3rd Place – The student will receive Rs. 50,000/= and his/her school will also be awarded Rs. 50,000/= in prize money.
- Merit certificates will be awarded to 05 more winners.

Category II

- 1st Place – A Mobile phone worth the prize of Rs. 200,000/= will be awarded.
- 2nd Place – A Mobile phone worth the prize of Rs. 150,000/= will be awarded.
- 3rd Place – A Mobile phone worth the prize of Rs. 100,000/= will be awarded.
- Merit certificates will be awarded to 05 more winners.

Terms and conditions

Art Competition

- Students ranging from grade 6 to grade 11 are eligible to take part.
- Each contestant can submit only one painting.
- All paintings must be done on A3 size paper, and any medium (pastel, watercolors, etc.) can be used.
- The painting should not be framed.
- Your painting must be certified by the Principal as your own.
- The following details should be mentioned in the top left corner of the envelope.
 - Contestant's name
 - Name of the school
 - Grade
 - Category (I or II)
- All submissions must be either mailed or delivered in person to the Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs at Navy Headquarters, Colombo 01, on or before 31st October 2024.
- Please ensure that the provided application form below is filled out and submitted along with all paintings.
- Chosen paintings will feature in publications by the Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs.

Animation Video Competition

- Students ranging from grade 10 to grade 13 and individuals from 19 to 30 years of age are eligible to take part.
- Animation videos can be submitted individually or in groups. (Groups must apply through a lead presenter).
- Any language can be used for animation videos be it Sinhala, Tamil or English.
- The maximum number of animated videos an individual / group can submit is one.
- When naming the video file (file name), students in the first category should use the lead presenting student's initials and the school's name. Presenters in the second category should use the main presenter's initials and National ID number.
- All information should be communicated through the lead presenter.
- Videos must begin with a 'full screen title' lasting around 5 seconds, displaying the following information.
 - Name with initials of lead presenter
 - Name of school (For first category only)
 - Personal address of lead presenter (For second category only)
 - Contact number (A whatsapp number is preferable)
 - National Identity Card number of the lead presenter (For second category only)
- The video file format must be MP4.
- Animated videos should be between 15 and 50 seconds long.
- Visual content should be appropriate for all audiences.
- The content must adhere to national laws and must not include the following.
 - Encouragement of unlawful behavior

- Fueling of racial, religious, sexual, political, or other tensions
 - Provoking sexual arousal or creating a riot
 - Breach of laws or rights
 - Intrusion into someone's privacy
 - Deemed unsuitable by the Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs
- Animated videos must be original.
 - The publication must not contain infringing commercial content (eg: music, video animation).
 - Professional assistance cannot be sought in video creation.
 - The content of the theme must be included in the animated video.
 - Your creation should be uploaded to your Google drive and the link should be sent to this email taskforceantinarcotics@gmail.com.
 - In the subject of the e-mail, the following information should be included
 - First category – Name of lead presenter and name of school
 - Second category - Name and National Identity Card number of the lead presenter
 - The application form given below should also be completed and submitted to the e-mail along with the link of the animation video.
- The closing date for submitting animated videos is 31st October 2024.
 - The creator retains ownership of the animation video. However, the Task Force to Combat the Use of Poisonous and Dangerous Drugs reserves the right to reproduce, distribute, and display the video.
 - All videos, photos and other aids (such as 3D images) used for animation and the original animation file (Project File) should be sent to the above e-mail address.
 - A complete description of the software and additional plugins (3rd party plugins) used for the animation should be sent.
 - The video you submit should be in Full HD (1920x1080) resolution or a similar size.
 - Artificial intelligence-generated creations face rejection.

Judgment

- The competition will be judged by a panel of expert judges.
- The decision of the panel of judges is final.

Considerations for Judgment

- Relevance – Containing the theme of the competition
- Clarity – Information is presented clearly and well
- New Perspective – Does the message offer a new perspective? (The creativity of the idea)
- Was creativity and innovation demonstrated in the presentation through the innovative use of materials, design styles, and ideas?
- Effectiveness – the overall effectiveness of delivering the message
- Attractiveness – ability to attract the attention of the doer.
- Technical quality – quality of editing

For information and application download

Visit the website of the National Dangerous Drugs Control Board – nddcb.gov.lk

Phone

Art Competition – Lieutenant Commander (VNF) JVPA Chinthaka (0763003905)

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- Please comply with the Sinhala document, if there is any ambiguity in the details of Sinhala, Tamil and English language documents.

APPLICATION FORM FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS
ALL ISLAND ART & ANIMATION VIDEO COMPETITION 2024

1. Full name of the submitter (as it should appear on the certificate):
2. Age:
3. The names and grades of the team members belonging to the first category applied for the animation video competition should be submitted. (Only for group submissions)
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

4. Details of the school

Name :
Address :
Telephone No :

5. Competition (Tick relevant box)

Art Competition
Animation Video Competition

6. Category (Tick relevant box)

Category I
Category II

7. Consent of parent / guardian

Name of parent / guardian :
Telephone No :

I give my consent for my child to participate in this competition

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Signature of parent / guardian

8. Certification of the Principal of school

I certify that this work was created by the person whose name is stated above

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Date

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Name, signature and rubber stamp of the Principal

APPLICATION FORM FOR OPEN CATEGORY CONTESTANTS
ALL ISLAND ART & ANIMATION VIDEO COMPETITION 2024

1. Full name of the submitter (as it should appear on the certificate):
2. Age:
3. Applicants belonging to the second category of youth must submit their names and National Identity Card numbers. (Only for group submissions)
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
 - e.
4. Personal address:
5. I hereby declare that the information provided by me is true and accurate and that I have personally prepared this creation.

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Date

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Lead presenter's signature and National Identity Card No

Telephone No - (Lead presenter's WhatsApp No. is preferable)