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Subject: Contest for Participation in Pariksha Pe Charcha 2020

The Ministry of Human Resource Development in partnership with MyGov has launched a ‘short essay’ competition for students of classes 9 to 12 for the third edition of Prime Minister’s interaction programme with school students “Pariksha Pe Charcha 2020” proposed to be held in the third week of January, 2020. The online contest inviting entries from students is live on www.MyGov.in w.e.f. 2nd December, 2019. As in previous years, Students are also being invited to send their questions for the event online. The students whose entries are judged the best for both the competitions will be invited to take part in the programme to be held in Delhi.

The participating students will submit a brief write-up on the following themes:

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<td><strong>1. Gratitude is Great</strong></td>
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<td>A short write-up on the people who a student thinks has played an important role in his/her academic journey so far mentioning why he/she is grateful to them.</td>
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<td><strong>2. Your future depends on your Aspirations</strong></td>
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<td>A short write-up on the goals and career aspirations a student sets for himself/herself.</td>
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<td><strong>2.1 Brief Pointers:</strong></td>
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<td>2.1.1 What are the goals you set for yourself in the future? What is it that you want to pursue as a career and why?</td>
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<td><strong>3. Examining Exams</strong></td>
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<td>Opinion of students on prevailing examination system and suggestions on ideal examination system.</td>
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3.1 Brief Pointers:
3.1.1 Do you think our examination system helps in evaluating the true potential of students? Share your suggestions for how an ideal examination system should be?

3.2 Word Limit: Maximum 300 Words

4. Our Duties, Your take
Write-up on duties of citizens and how one can inspire everyone to become more dutiful citizens.

4.1 Brief Pointers:
4.1.1 Our Constitution emphasises upon duties as much as it does on rights
4.1.2 While we need to be aware and alert about the rights, we should also treat our duties similarly
4.1.3 What are the duties that people can inculcate in their daily lives and how?

4.2 Word Limit: Maximum 500 Words

5. Balance is Beneficial
Write-up on balanced activities of students apart from studies.

4.1 Brief Pointers:
4.1.1 A student’s life is not just about books and studies
4.1.2 it is also about extra-curricular activities, hobbies, sports and more
4.1.3 What are these activities that you do apart from studies? How do you maintain a balance between all of these?

4.2 Word Limit: not exceed 500 Words

All are requested to encourage participation of maximum students from their schools. Write-ups can also be submitted through the link www.MyGov.in available at www.cbse.nic.in & www.cbseacademic.nic.in

Selected winners of this contest will stand a chance to attend Pariksha Pe Charcha 2020.

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