

THE BISHOP'S SCHOOL, CAMP

JUNIOR SECTION

CLASS - 4

SPELL BEE COMPETITION (2023-2024)



“To learn to read is to light a fire; every syllable that is spelled out is a spark.”

The National Spelling Bee **began in 1925 when nine newspapers joined together to host a Spell Bee.** Little did they know that more than 90 years later their literacy effort would reach 11 million students each year.

The benefits of spelling bee competitions extend beyond language: Since children are required to spell words while on stage, kids also **develop self-confidence, communication and public speaking skills, and the ability to thrive under pressure.**

The Inter-Class Spell Bee Competition for class 4 was conducted **on the 11th of April, 2023 in the Lorna Roberts Hall.** This gave our students a platform to learn spellings in different ways, and enrich their vocabulary.

An elimination round was conducted before the event. The top two scorers from each class were selected to represent their class for the final competition. We also, had the students from the second shift batch who enthusiastically participated in the competition.

The competition was conducted by quizmasters Mrs. Nidhi Mehta and Mrs. Ramita Mascarenhas ably assisted by Mrs. Megha More in the technical department.

Our competition was initiated by a word of prayer by our Headmistress Miss. Mayura Barsay. The participants representing their classes were as follows-

4A-Asad Imran, Neel Mutha

4B-Abdullah Shaikh, Atharv Agarwal

4C-Dhairya Abhishek, Aadit Oswal

4D-Malank Banthiya, Fuzail Shaikh

4E-Usher Umap, Priyansh Shah

Second shift 4A-Aaron Mukherjee, Vivaan Jadhav



The young minds participated with great gusto in all the 9 rounds planned for them. Keeping in mind their Spelling, vocabulary, application of concepts learnt in English, the rounds included:

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| 1. Power Spell | 2. Memorize Me | 3. Sense- Ability | 4. Silent Letters |
| 5. Out of the box | 6. Look out for me | 7. Who am I? | 8. Great mind at school |
| 9. Rapid Fire | | | |

The students enjoyed the challenging questions and participated enthusiastically.



The results were declared by our headmistress Mrs. Mayura Barsay. The participants of **class 4B grabbed up the first place** followed by **class 4E in second place** and **4C in the third place**. It was a healthy, positive and an enjoyable experience for all.

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