

**THE BISHOP'S SCHOOL, CAMP - PUNE**

**JUNIOR SECTION**

**INTER-CLASS SPELL BEE COMPETITION 2023 – 2024**

**CLASS 2**

Spelling is the foundation of all languages. Spell Bee competitions are not just about spelling, they're about learning new words and improving your vocabulary. This year the highly anticipated first event of the academic year 2023 – 24 the Spell Bee Competition took place on 12th April 2023, at the prestigious Lorna Roberts Hall. This event, organized by the Bishop's Junior School, aimed to provide a platform for students to showcase their spelling prowess and foster a healthy spirit of competition among participants. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from all second-standard students of all the sections including the second-session school, making it a memorable and intellectually stimulating event.



A spelling test was conducted for the entire class 2 students who wished to participate, after which two students from each division with the highest marks were selected for the finals. The participants selected for the spell bee competition were as follows:

2 A - Aashray Bagi and Reyaansh Sharma

2 A second shift - Riaan Bagchi and Pratham Jaiswal

2 B - Ojas Jadhav and Shivram Patil

2 C- Raghvendra Lakhota and Eknoor Dhillon

2 D - Abbas Hirani and Jayden Thomas

2 E - Kiyaan Shah and Mohmmad Saad Khan.





The participants were familiarised with the different rounds and regular practices were taken to enhance their spelling skills. Mrs. N Banerjee, Mr. C Peters and Mrs. M Dsouza were the Spell Bee Masters and Mrs. A Reddy managed the scores.

The competition consisted of multiple rounds designed to test the participants' spelling skills, vocabulary, and memory. The rounds included:

1. **Gadget Fun:** This round involved spelling words related to various gadgets commonly used in daily life. It aimed to test the student's knowledge of technology-related terms.
2. **Mishmash:** In this round, participants had to unscramble jumbled words and spell them correctly. This round challenged the students' ability to rearrange letters to form meaningful words.
3. **Orthography:** The orthography round tested the participants' ability to spell words correctly. The students were given a series of words, and they had to spell them accurately.
4. **Memory Game:** In this round, participants were required to memorize a set of words and then spell them correctly from memory. This round assessed the students' memory skills along with their spelling abilities.
5. **Rapid-fire Round:** The rapid-fire round tested the students' quick thinking and spelling accuracy. The participants were given a series of words, and they had to spell them correctly within a given time limit.
6. **Ghost Around the Corner:** This round focused on words with silent letters. Participants had to identify and spell words that contained silent letters. It aimed to challenge the students' knowledge of silent letter patterns in words.

7. Synonym Task: The synonym task round required participants to provide a synonym for a given word. This round aimed to assess their understanding of word meanings and their ability to express similar concepts using different words.

After a series of challenging rounds, the competition finally concluded. The winners were determined based on their cumulative scores throughout the competition. The results were as follows:

1st Place – Class 2 D Abbas Hiran and Jayden Thomas

2nd Place – Class 2 A Aashray Bagi and Reyaansh Sharma

3rd Place – Class 2 C Raghvendra Lakhotia and Eknor Dhillon



The competition ended with a vote of thanks by Ms Sharon S Peters. We thank our former principal Mr. Joel Edwin and our Headmistress Ms. M Barsay for always extending their support and guidance. The event was well-organized, and the participants displayed impressive dedication and talent throughout the competition. The Spell Bee Competition undoubtedly left a lasting impact on the participants, encouraging them to further develop their linguistic abilities and embrace the beauty of words.

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