

#### RULES

- The competition is open to children all over the world. They should have been born on or after January 1, 1994.
- 2. There is no entry fee.
- Competitors are free to choose the theme/subject they are interested in, or like most, for their paintings/drawings/writings.
- Each entry should be certified by the parent/ guardian/teacher as the original, unaided work of the competitor done during 2009. Entries should be an individual effort and NOT a combined work.
- 5. Every entry should carry the following information in **English** and in **Block Letters**, at the back of the painting/drawing or at the end of the written work:
  - \* First Name
  - \* Last Name

(Please do not give expanded names)

- \* Boy or Girl
- \* Date of birth
- \* Nationality
- \* Full postal address
- \* Subject/title of the entry
- No entry will be returned. The copyright of all entries will rest with Shankar's International Children's Competition.
- 7. All packets should be pre-paid/adequately stamped and mailed directly to reach:

Shankar's International Children's Competition Nehru House 4 Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg New Delhi-110002

- 8. Entries sent by air cargo will not be accepted.
- 9. The last date for receipt of Indian entries is **December 31, 2009** and of foreign entries is **February 28, 2010.**

## **PAINTINGS/DRAWINGS**

- 10. The drawings can be in any medium. Computer printouts/lino-cuts/batiks will not be accepted.
- 11. The size of each entry should **not** be less than 30 x 40 cm.
- 12. A competitor may submit any number of entries. They should **not** be mounted/framed.

### **WRITTEN WORK**

- Only entries in ENGLISH will be considered.
  Translations from other languages do not qualify for the competition.
- 14. Entries may be in the form of poems, plays, short stories, essays, descriptive writing, and the like.
- 15. A competitor may submit any number of entries. They should be in a neat handwriting or typed.

# **PRIZES**

- 16. The entries will be judged by the organizers with the help of a jury. The judges' decision will be final.
- 17. The following prizes are offered:
  - The President of India's Gold Medal for the best painting/drawing.
  - ii. The Shankar's Award for the best written work.
  - iii. 18 Jawaharlal Nehru Memorial Gold Medals for the next best paintings/drawings/written work.
  - iv. About 400 Silver Medals and 400 prizes.

- Results will be announced in August 2010.
  Prizewinners will be informed individually by post.
- 19. The best entries will be published in *Shankar's Children's Art Number*, Volume 61. Selected entries will also appear in the monthly magazine for children, *Children's World*.
- 20. All competitors are entitled to a copy of the Art Number, Volume 61, at a concessional price. They can reserve their copies by mailing the attached coupon.

#### **CONCESSIONAL RATES**

U.S. \$ 20.00/£10.00/€12.00 for foreign participants.

Rs. 100/- for participants in India.



# SHANKAR'S INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S COMPETITION

NEHRU HOUSE

4 BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG

NEW DELHI-110002 (INDIA)

I wish to reserve a c	opy of Shankar's Children's Art
Number, Volume 61,	at the concessional rate. I am
remitting	by draft/money order in favour of
Shankar's Internatio	nal Children's Competition.

(IN BLOCK LETTERS)

ddress	 	
	 and Mileteralization	