9th Year

QUIZABLED 2023-24

Quiz for Children & Youth with Disabilities

"Celebrating Diversity & Empowering Lives"





INTRODUCTION

Quizabled has been a distinctive event in the space of disabilities for the past nine years for children & youth with disabilities. It is designed to include five different categories of disabilities namely: Intellectual Disability (ID), Cerebral Palsy (CP), Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD), Visual Impairment (VI) and Hearing Impairment (HI).

The 9th year of Quizabled has become a pan India program and reached out to 10 States with 3000 children & youth with disabilities from 320 schools. It was extended to Kolkata, West Bengal & Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh & this year continued with Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Delhi, Bhubaneswar Odisha, Kerala, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh. Quizabled has progressed with the theme of "Celebrating Diversity & Empowering the lives". It has provided with a platform to nurture the abilities and celebrating diversity to develop an inclusive society.

Impact of Quizabled

The impact of Quizabled has been tremendous with 3000 children participating from 10 states. It has generated an awareness regarding the abilities of differently abled children and the need for creating an accessible, engaging, & sustainable knowledge development platform. This event has created opportunities to empower the lives of the differently abled so as to ensure that they can experience quality access to knowledge development, socialization and a step towards feeling inclusive. It has broken myths about children with intellectual disabilities. participation were highest compared to other disabilities.



320 No. of

Schools



2950+ Total no. of **Participants**



TOTAL PATRICIPANTS

2968

1364 Disability

Intellectual Cerebral Palsy & Autism Spectrum



Visual Impairment



Hearing *Impairment*

TOTAL NO OF PARTICIPANTS IN QUIZABLED 2023 – 24

KARNATAKA - 612 TAMIL NADU - 536 MAHARASHTRA - 402 **DELHI - 254** KERALA - 176 ANDHRA PRADESH - 250 TELANGANA - 236

ODISHA - 176

UTTAR PRADESH - 182

WEST BENGAL - 144

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR 2023-24



Quizabled reached out to 3000 children and youth with Intellectual Disability, Cerebral Palsy, Autism Spectrum Disorder, Visual Impairment and Hearing Impairment and participated from all the 10 States



First time National Finals organised for winners from visual impairment group and hearing impaired group in Bangalore



Karnataka covered 90% of the Districts (22) and reached out to 612 children & youth with disabilities in the preliminary round.



First time Deaf blind child with help of interpreter participated as finalists in Maharashtra.



A child with cerebral palsy in Tamil Nadu devised a novel method to respond by indicating options with a stick attached to his head.



Mr. Krishna from Maharashtra & Mr. Bharath from Tamil Nadu Alumni's of Quizabled did one round of Quiz for Children with Visual Impairment.



Parents quiz round was conducted for enthusiastic parents in Kolkata.



In order to make Children with Visual Impairment independent prelims were conducted through braille in Karnataka



Mr. Himanshu Gupta, Director Education Govt. of NPT, New Delhi. This year in majority of the states Chief guests & guests of honours were from the Education & Disability Dept from the Govt sector.

Testimonials

Hi team Seva in action, LTIMindtree and Sujaya foundation, our students enjoyed the quizzing programme very much. We are lucky enough to be part of this event. It would surely give and exposure to enhance knowledge of our students, because we have spotted change within two weeks that children are busy at work and they are started thinking and learning broadly.

Thanks a lot giving our students this this wonderful experience. And thanks for organising the event in such a grand manner. We are excited to come to national final at Bangalore.

- Ms.Sangita Ghule, Teacher-NFBM Jagriti School for Blind Girls **Karthik**, student from Arvi Special school, Dindugal district stated that "quizzing through web portal gave me a new experience to explore my knowledge and it would be great if it is conducted every year".

One very good initiative taken by Seva in Action. They are doing real Seva tapping the talent of differently abled. This initiative helps in widening their knowledge by watching videos of quiz shows and reading books & papers. Doing this by themselves is really amazing. Hats off to you!

– Ms. Lata Naik, Principal – Rotary Sanskardham







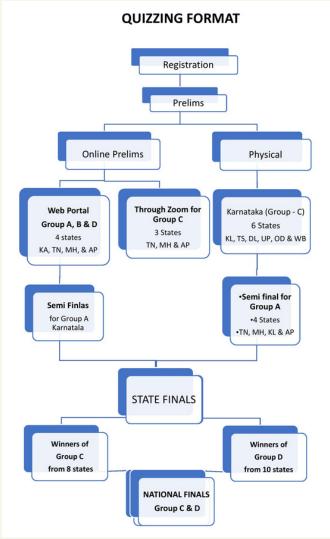
Registration (Online - www.quizabled.com)

In the online registration form for Group A, B, C & D, the team of two children/youth with disabilities were asked to select their respective state to complete their registration.

- ·Group A Children & youth with Intellectual Disability
- ·Group B Children & youth with Cerebral Palsy & Autism Spectrum Disorder
- ·Group C Children & youth with Visual Impairment
- ·Group D Children & youth with Hearing Impairment

Prelims, Semi finals, State finals & National Finals

Preliminary round was conducted through web portal & Zoom application, followed by semi-final. The State Finals was conducted physically in their respective States. For the first time since 2016 Quizabled started, this year we conducted National Finals for Group C & D for the winners from all the states.



CASE STUDY

SHIBNATH SHAW belongs from a family having very low socioeconomic background & parents are unable to support his education. So, he discontinued his education. He has participated this year for the first time in Quizabled State finals at Kolkata & became the winner in the Group visual disabilities (C) & came to Bangalore for the first National Finals held on 6th January 2024 & led his team to become champion. He has the ability to learn from the society, social media, electronic and print media without having any proper guidance & educational training from school or individual level. He wants to become teacher aiming to teach poor & challenged persons. Willing to get admitted in 11th std for continuing further education. He wishes to spend the winning amount for his education.





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