



Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS)
Pre-Siddha Day event
Write-a-Thon Competition



This contest is conducted as a part of Pre-Siddha day event to propagate Siddha system of medicine among the general public. Siddha Day is celebrated every year on the birth star of Siddhar Agathiyar and this year it falls on 26th December, 2018 it is organized by Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS), an autonomous body under Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India

About the competition

Siddha Day Write-a-Thon is an essay competition organized to encourage and nurture writers to create stories / concepts / perception / visualization / ideas on Siddha system of medicine for the benefit of people.

The competition intends to open a platform for the student fraternity and public to participate and share their views on Siddha medicine and which in-turn raise the awareness of Siddha medicine amongst them.

The competition will be held at seven locations in the same day.

Eligibility

- The competition is open to all public and College students (except Siddha stream)
- Registration is free.
- Registration for the competition is compulsory for participation (Registration form is enclosed as Annexure).
- Last date for registration 10th December, 2018 by 5.00 pm
- Registration forms must be submitted to the below mentioned email ids of the seven institutes or can be directly submitted through post / in person in the corresponding location address.

Chennai - Siddha Central Research Institute, SCRI Building, Anna Government Hospital Campus, Arumbakkam, Chennai - 600 106. Landline: 044 – 26214925 Mail id: crisiddha@gmail.com	Puducherry - Siddha Regional Research Institute, Chellaperumal Street, Kuyavarpalayam, Puducherry - 605013. Landline: 0413- 2245072, 0413 – 2244042. Mail id: rrisiddha@yahoo.co.in
Thiruvananthapuram - Siddha Regional Research Institute, Poojappura, Thiruvananthapuram - 695 012 Landline: 0417 - 2341832 Mail id: srritvm10@gmail.com	Palayamkottai - Siddha Clinical Research Unit, Govt. Siddha Medical College Campus, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli – 627 002, Land line: 0462 - 2573736 Mail id: crusiddha.palay@gmail.com
Karol Bagh, New Delhi - Siddha Clinical Research Unit, A & U Tibbia College campus, Ajmal Khan Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi - 110005. Landline: 011-23521093 Mail id: crusiddhanewdelhi@outlook.com	Mettur Dam - Siddha Medicinal Plants Garden, 17, SDO Quarters, Opp. Ulavar Santhai, Cauvery Nagar, Mettur Dam - 636 401. Landline: 04298-243 773 Mail id: smpgmettur@gmail.com

Bengaluru - Siddha Clinical Research Unit,
Sri Jayachamarajendra Govt. Ayurvedic Hospital
Campus, Dhanvantri Road, Bengaluru - 560009
Landline: 080-29700053
Mail id: crusiddha@gmail.com

- Registration after the due date will not be considered
- The language for essay writing may be either in Tamil, English, Hindi, Malayalam, Kannada, Telugu

Theme

“Siddha way of living for a healthy life”

ஆரோக்கிய வாழ்விற்கு சித்த மருத்துவ வாழ்வியல்

Evaluation

- The essays should be legibly hand-written
- Essays should be written within a maximum of 1000 words
- The essay shall be disqualified if it is plagiarized.
- The winners will be judged based on the relevance to the theme, writing skills, creativity, originality and usefulness of the writeup for the general public.
- Due credit should be given to the concerned author and/ or publisher (s) in Bibliography and or reference.

Mode of Competition: in person

Venue will be intimated to the registered participants in their corresponding seven locations.

Date: 16th December, 2018 (Sunday)

Time: 10.30 am to 12.00 p.m.

All the registered participants are requested to report at the venue by 9.00 a.m.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded in each location separately in the following categories:

1 st Prize	–	Rs.2000/-
2 nd Prize	–	Rs.1000/-
3 rd Prize	–	Rs.500/-
Consolation prize (2)	–	Rs.250/- each

All participants will receive participation certificate.

Rules and Regulations

- The organizers shall not be responsible for being unable to contact the participants who provided unclear or incomplete information
- All participants retain copyright of their essays. However, the participants grant the organizers a non-exclusive license to publish their entry, in whole or in part in print or online/social media.
- The organizers reserve the right to alter the prizes, rules and regulations or cancel the competition.
- In virtue of your submission you hereby agree to be bound by all rules and regulations.
- The organizer reserves all the rights of publication and reproduction of essay/write-ups, due credit in this regard shall be given to the author.

About the Organisation

Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS), under the aegis of Ministry of AYUSH, Govt. of India, is the apex body pertaining to research in Siddha system of Medicine. CCRS is working towards the scientific validation of Siddha System of Medicine through clinical research, drug research, medicinal plants research, fundamental research, literary research and documentation. CCRS is carrying out its research activities and health care services mainly through 7 peripheral Institutes / Units – 3 located in Tamil Nadu, one each in Puducherry, Kerala, Karnataka and New Delhi.



**Central Council for Research in Siddha,
Arumbakkam, Chennai-106
Write-a-Thon Competition - Second Siddha Day**



Registration Form

1. **Name** (in capital letters) :
2. **Date of Birth** : **Gender** : M/F
3. **Category** : Student / Public
4. **Student** : UG / PG / Ph.D / Others
5. **College / Institution / Organization** :
6. **Address for Communication** :
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7. **E-mail id** :
8. **Mobile Number** :

Disclaimer:

By signing the entry form below, I hereby agree to the contest rules and regulations.

Date:

Signature: