

Japanese Language Speech Contest ***JLSC***

Regulations & Application Form

2018

MOMBUSHO SCHOLARS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA (MOSAI)

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Introduction

MOSAI started All India Japanese Language Speech Contest in 1985 to encourage students to express spontaneously their own thoughts in Japanese Language. It is not a memory test of a written speech.

Speeches on Religious or Political subjects are not allowed.

Candidates are nominated by a registered Japanese Language teaching organization in Junior and Senior Categories

Eligibility

Age limit: Minimum is **18** and maximum is **35**.

Learning Hours

- Junior Category: students who have studied Japanese for less than or equal to 500
- Senior Category: Not more than 1500 hours
- *Additional Eligibility conditions are contained in the application form.*

Type of Nominating Japanese Language Institution

1. Department or affiliated College or Centre of University : **Both Junior & Senior** Categories.
2. Registered Society /Trust : **Both Junior and Senior Categories**
3. Other Registered Organization : **Only Senior Category**
For 2 and 3 copy of Registration Certificate has to be submitted

Evaluation Procedure

A panel of Judges including prominent Japanese evaluate the performance of each participant and their decision is final. Speech is followed by a two minute question answer session. Questions relating to the level and content of the delivered speech are asked by language experts

Evaluation Parameters

Some of the parameters taken into account in judging the performance include:

- Content: 10 points : Content should be well structured and reflect personal thinking
- Delivery: 10 points : Delivered with fluency and feeling; not as reproduction of content learned by rote
- Grammar & Vocabulary : 10 points : Appropriate to the level (Junior or Senior)
- Etiquette & Manner: 10 points: Appropriate intonation (pauses and emphasis) and gestures during the speech matching the Japanese culture of speaking
- Questions and answers: 10 points

Disqualification

- Revealing your name or name of your institution: Disqualifies

Minus Points:

- For reading or consulting a script
- For speech duration more than 4 minutes

Certificate & Prizes:

All participants receive certificates. The first, second and third prizewinners in each category are also given special prizes.

Organizers

Zonal Contests are organized by

North Zone: Mombusho Scholars Association of India, New Delhi : mosai.india@gmail.com

West Zone: Indo Japanese Association, Pune: indojapanese.pune@gmail.com

East Zone: Indo Japan Welfare & Culture Association, Kolkata: indojapanwca@gmail.com

South Zone: ABK-AOTS DOSOKAI, Chennai : rangaots@gmail.com

All India Contest : Winners of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd positions in Zonal Contests participate in All India Japanese Language Speech Contest Organized by MOSAI in New Delhi.

How to Apply

Nominating Institution can submit the following application form to the Contest Organizer

Number of Candidates that can be nominated by one institute will be separately informed by the organizer for each contest.

Application Form (Junior Category)
2018

I attach required details of :a candidate nominated for Zonal Contest and certify that the candidate :

1. Is enrolled in our Institution as a Japanese Language student
2. Has not studied Japanese language for more than 500hour
3. Has not studied Japanese language for more than 5 years
4. Has not studied in Japan for a total of more than 3 months
5. Is not engaged in teaching Japanese Language at any institution
6. Does not have a native Japanese mother or father
7. The content has not been copied from any earlier delivered speech accessed through any written or electronic source .
8. Candidate's age is between 18 and 35 years

I also undertake to email draft of Candidates Speech at least one week before the date of the Speech

Copy of registration Certificate is attached (only applicable to Registered Society/Trust):

Forwarding Institution:

Forwarding authority's

Name:

Designation:

Signature

(place scanned copy of your signature)

Date:

e-mail:

Telephone:

Organizers reserve the right to reject application that is not complete in all respects.

In case the undertaking is found to be incorrect the institution may be debarred from sending candidates to the contest.

Send by email: Subject Line: **JLSC Regional (mention North, South, East or West) to your regional organizer: .-**

North Zone: mosai.india@gmail.com

West Zone: indojapanese.pune@gmail.com

East Zone: purabi2001@gmail.com , indojapanwca@gmail.com

South Zone: rangaots@gmail.com

Application Form (Senior Category)
2018

I attach required details of :a candidate nominated for Zonal Contest in the Senior Category and certify that the candidate :

1. Is enrolled in our Institution as a Japanese Language student
2. Has not studied Japanese language for more than 1500 hours
3. Has not studied Japanese language for more than 5 years
4. Has not studied in Japan for a total of more than 3 months
5. Is not engaged in teaching Japanese Language at any institution
6. Does not have a native Japanese mother or father
7. Is not an employee or intern in our Institution and is associated with us only as an outside Japanese Language student and does not participate in any of our business related activities
8. The content has not been copied from any earlier delivered speech accessed through any written or electronic source .
9. Candidate's age is between 18 and 35 years

I also undertake to email draft of Candidates Speech at least one week before the date of the Speech

Copy of registration Certificate is attached (only applicable to Registered Organizations):

Forwarding Institution:

Forwarding authority's

Name:

Designation:

Signature

(place scanned copy of your signature)

Date:

e-mail:

Telephone:

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Details of the Nominated Candidate

Please cross out the items not applicable or write NA. Do not leave any item unanswered. Any false information or incomplete application will disqualify your participation.

Category: Junior/Senior

1. Name:
(Mr./Ms.) Given Middle Family

2. Date of Birth: / /
(Day / Month / Year)

3. Address:
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4. E-mail:.....

5. Mobile Number:

6. Passport Number:
(write NA if you do have a passport)

7. Previous Participation in Zonal /All India contest:

(write NA, if not applicable)

Contest Zonal (North/South/East/West) All India	Junior / Senior (J/S)	Year	Position If 1 st /2 nd /3 rd	Year of Last Visit to Japan sponsored by Japanese Govt./Agency

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8. Academic Background:

Highest Degree	Year of passing	Name of Institution	Main Subject (s) Studied

9. Japanese Language Learning Background

Name of the Institution	Period From: Month/year To Month year	Number of Hours of Japanese Language Studied at the Institution	Nature: Full Time/Part Time Cross the non-applicable
			Part Time/Full Time
			Part Time/Full Time
			Part Time/Full Time
TOTAL Number of Japanese Language Study Hours:			

10. Japanese Language Proficiency Test of Japan Foundation:

Please circle the level(s), if any, you have passed:

Level: **N1 N2 N3 N4 N5**

11. Stay in Japan, if any

From

To

(Month & year)

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Most recent visit to Japan.....

Name of Agency that sponsored your most recent Visit:.....
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12. Topic of Speech in:

Romaji:.....
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Japanese:

English translation

Declaration

I certify that I have read and understood the rule and regulations and my application meets all the conditions mentioned there in and that all the information given in this form is correct.

Signature of the Applicant

Date:

Name:.....

Place:.....

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