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Call for Creative Writing

Poems, Short Stories, Essays and Reflective Writings

Creative writing fosters imagination and creativity, expression, communication and persuasion skills and self-confidence which are also key traits of successful teachers, counsellors and social workers. Recognising the importance of creative writing for teachers, counsellors and social workers, Samtse College of Education (SCE) calls for the submission of original creative writings in English from its current students in the form of *Poems, Short Stories, Essays* and *Reflective Writings*.

- 1. The top two articles under each category will be awarded certificates with cash prize of Nu. 3000 and Nu. 2000 respectively besides finding its place for publication in SCE's biannual newsletter SHES-RIG PAGES under Kalapinka The Voice section. The articles should be submitted to Ms. Sangay Lhamo, Assistant Research Officer, on or before 15th July at sangaylhamo.sce@rub.edu.bt;
- 2. The participants should be current students enrolled at Samtse College of Education irrespective of course and year;
- 3. No participants can compete in more than two categories; and
- 4. The writing should be in word document format and author's complete and correct information such as name, course, year, phone number and email must be provided

Evaluation criteria:

1. Poetry

- Creativity
- Elements of poetry
- Poetic language
- Originality
- Theme

2. Short story

- Elements of short story
- Originality
- Coherence/readability
- Language use
- Theme/moral
- Word limit (About 1000)

3. Essay

- Thesis statement
- Structure and organisation of ideas
- Arguments to support ideas
- Language use
- Word limit (700 800)

4. Reflective writing

- Focus and clarity of topic
- Clarity of ideas
- Depth of reflection
- Language use
- Writer's voice (Inclusion of personal views)
- Word limit (700 800)

For more details, please call Sangay Lhamo at 17958416 or Ganeshman Gurung at 17528006 during office hour.

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