

## **PRESS NOTE**

The Vigilance Awareness Week for this year 2020, is being observed from 27-10-2020 to 02-11-2020 throughout India. The theme is “**விழிப்பான இந்தியா, செழிப்பான இந்தியா**” (“**VIGILANT INDIA, PROSPEROUS INDIA**”). At the Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption (DVAC), Tamil Nadu, officers and all the staff took Integrity Pledge on 27-02-2020 at 11.00 am and simultaneously by the officers in all its 40 detachments throughout Tamil Nadu. To envision the emergence of a robust and strong nation, the DVAC is conducting an online essay and poster designing competition in Tamil/English for School and College students on the above theme.

### **1. GUIDELINE FOR PARTICIPANTS**

- a) For School Students IX to XII the essay shall be within 400 words
- b) For College Students the essay shall be within 750 words
- c) The drawing for poster designing should be in A3 size sheet

### **2. PROCEDURE FOR SUBMISSION**

- a) The participant should submit the essay in PDF file format to [dvacvaw@gmail.com](mailto:dvacvaw@gmail.com) along with their name, address, email ID, contact number, Name of the school with address and email ID.

- b) If any participant wants to send hard copy, it shall be send to

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No.293, M.K.N.Road,  
Alandur, Chennai-16,**

along with their name, address, email ID, contact number, Name of the School/College with address and email ID **on or before 30.10.2020.**

- c) The title of the essay/poster competition to be written on the envelope containing the hard copy of the essay/poster.
- d) Only original essays/posters will be considered for the competition. Plagiarism will result in disqualification of the essay/poster.

### **3. PRIZES**

Selected Top three Essay / Poster will be awarded suitably (Both category).

All participants will be awarded certificate of Participation by the Director, DVAC. The essays/posters getting the top three prizes will be displayed in the DVAC website and separate intimation will be sent to each of the winner.

The winners will be asked to show their original photo identity card at the time of receiving prizes.

The School/College heads are requested to motivate their students to participate in the programme and express their ideas / views for transforming the concept of “**விழிப்பான இந்தியா, செழிப்பான இந்தியா**” (“**VIGILANT INDIA, PROSPEROUS INDIA**”) against corruption, into a reality.

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