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- Winner prize amount INR 10,000/-
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General Rules:
- Based on the performance in prelim round only 8 teams will be selected for the finals.
- Time limit to answer will be 10 seconds only during the final quiz round.
- The decision of the Quiz master will be final and binding.
- Participants should be in their school uniform.
- Each team will be given a registration number.
- All the participants will be provided high tea and snacks during the break.
- All school students should report at the venue at 8.30 am on 17th December 2022.
- No TA/DA will be provided to teachers / students.
- All the certificates will be distributed only after the final quiz round with no exception.