
What is MaRRS International?

MaRRS International is an international organization which creates 360° learning opportunities to empower children outside the classroom. These include competitions, orientations and workshops which are led by innovative learning strategies, techniques and technological innovations.

1 Million+ students attend our programs each year!

What are the different competitions available for my child?

Pre-School Students

MaRRS Play2Learn Carnival

(Nursery, Junior KG, Senior KG)

An activity-oriented program which stimulates the key areas of a child's development. The competition involves questions which test the child's ability and holistic development with topics ranging from colors and shapes to patterns.

MaRRS Spell Bee Junior

(Junior KG, Senior KG)

An English language competition which develops and tests communication and comprehension skills. It also enhances their vocabulary and cognitive skills.

School Students

MaRRS International Spell Bee

(Grades 1 - 12)

The world's largest self-motivated learning program for school children, it helps them acquire every vital skill for language acquisition - from vocabulary development to spellings and grammar.

MaRRS International Math Bee

(Grades 1 - 8)

The competition ignites curiosity for foundational numeracy skills and applied mathematics in students. The comprehensive syllabus helps children develop abilities for theoretical and conceptual understanding of the subject.

How does participating in different competitions help students?

Participating in spelling bees enhances students' spelling and vocabulary skills through comprehensive learning that includes definitions, pronunciations, and word roots. The competitions boost students' confidence, helping them develop public speaking skills and self-assurance.

Furthermore, participating in spelling bees encourages a healthy competitive spirit and exposure to students of various international cultures. Moreover, the process of learning and preparing for spelling competitions goes beyond rote memorization, as it involves understanding word origins and etymology, thus expanding students' knowledge base and cognitive skills.

How many rounds are there in the competition?

MaRRS Play2Learn Carnival: 5 Rounds

MaRRS Spell Bee Junior: 5 Rounds

MaRRS International Spell Bee: 6 Rounds

MaRRS International Math Bee: 6 Rounds

What are the steps for the school to register for and conduct the competition?

Step 1: Fill out the school consent form for participation. The Little Genius team will then dispatch the requisite number of student forms.

Step 2: Distribute the forms to your students and collect the fee. We suggest giving students 10-12 days to submit the fee to their teachers.

Step 3: Send us the list of students who have agreed to participate and we shall generate the CIN for each student. The students can then download their learning material from the website.

Step 4: The Little Genius <> MaRRS team will conduct the exam at the school premises, evaluate the papers and announce the results.

When and where will Round 1 of the competition be conducted?

Round 1 is a school-level round which will be conducted on school premises during school hours. The exact date of each exam will be communicated to you by the school. Different competitions will be conducted on different days for students.

In case your child misses the date provided by the school, one alternate date will be provided on which the child can appear online for the exam.

What is the fee for Round 1 of the competition?

For one exam, the fee for Round 1 is INR 250, which includes free downloadable learning materials and a graded e-certificate.

For two exams, the fee for Round 1 is INR 400, which includes free downloadable learning materials and a graded e-certificate.

What is included in the fee?

The fee includes participation Round 1 of the competition, downloadable learning material for the students and an e-certificate for all students.

Can our students get hardcopies of the learning material and certificate?

Students can get hardcopies of the learning material and certificate for a minimal charge of INR 50 per program per student.

Does the school get to retain any portion of the fee?

School Retention

One Competition: INR 50/- per student

Two Competitions: INR 100/- per student

However, if the school wishes, they can charge an additional, administrative fee from students, which can be retained by the school.

How our students prepare for the competition?

Upon registration, each candidate will be able to download learning material from the MaRRS International website. This learning material will help the student prepare for Round 1.

When is the exam to be conducted?

Round 1 is a school-level round which will be conducted on school premises during school hours. The school can choose a date of their convenience between 10th August and 10th December. Different competitions will be conducted on different days for students. However, we recommend a date post October so students have covered a larger part of the school curriculum.

In case a child misses the date provided by the school, one alternate date will be provided on which the child can appear online for the exam.

Who will conduct the exam at the school level?

The Little Genius team will supervise the administration of the test paper, with support from the school faculty.

What support will be required from the school?

The school will be responsible for collecting the fees from students and providing the list of registered students. The venue for the exam will be within school premises.

Will there be any training sessions for the participating students?

The rounds are designed to increase in difficulty with advancing levels. For the school level, no training is required for preparation. For the Interschool Round and onwards, there will be training sessions to help students prepare for the round.

How are these competitions different from Olympiads?

Most Olympiads are conducted in a single OMR answer format and are structured over just two or three rounds. Additionally, these are only conducted at a national level.

The MaRRS competitions encourage self-directed learning, and are structured over multiple levels which helps children advance and engage with their peers. There are different rounds in each level, from oral to written, which evaluates students from multiple perspectives. The MaRRS competitions are conducted at an international level.

In how many days should the school submit the collected fees and forms to the MaRRS team?

We recommend providing students 10-15 days to submit the form with the fee to their class teacher.

What if a child wants to register after the last date has passed?

We can allow some number of students to register after the last date has passed on a limited basis, for exceptional cases.