



## **Terms, Structure and Rules of the Competition**

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Only those students studying French in Middle, Secondary and Sr. Secondary schools in non-Francophone countries are eligible to participate. This competition is not open to native speakers or students of Francophone countries.

### **CATEGORIES:**

1. **Débutant:** School students up to 6<sup>th</sup> standard
2. **Intermédiaire:** School students of 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> standard
3. **Avancé:** School Students of 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> standard

### **STRUCTURE OF THE COMPETITION:**

The competition comprising of 3 rounds has been devised in five simple steps before the student reaches the gala finals i.e. Registration, Preparation, Taking Examination, Viewing Results and Participating in the next Round.

### **Registration Process for Schools in India:**

1. Registrations for schools are available only on our website <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>
2. A school is required to register a minimum of 25 (twenty-five) students irrespective of the levels except for the 1<sup>st</sup> time participating schools. (In case of any problems, please contact us at 9811237050 / 67 / 69)
3. Registration fee of Rs.400/- (Rupees four hundred only) per student is applicable for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> round respectively. No registration fee is charged for 3<sup>rd</sup> i.e. Final International Round.
4. The School/Channel will retain Rs.50/- (Rupees Fifty Only) per student and remit Rs.350/- (Three hundred and fifty Only) per student to

“ Frehindi Education P Ltd” .

5. All Payments can be made online or offline by the school after registration on our website <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>.

6. To make payment online, following are the bank details Name: Frehindi Education Private Limited

Bank: ICICI Pocket 4, Sector 11, Dwarka, New Delhi

A/C no: 163905000087

IFSC code: ICIC0001639

Swift Code: ICICINBBCTS

7. In case the school wants to make an offline payment via Cheque / DD / Pay order, then they have to update on the school registration form at <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>

8. The Cheque / DD / Pay order must be issued in favour of “ **Frehindi Education Pvt. Ltd**” and should be couriered at the following address-  
**The International French Spell Bee Competition C/O Frehindi Education P Ltd**

331, Vardhman Bahnof Plaza, Plot No.-10,

Pocket – 7, Sector – 12, Dwarka,

New Delhi -110078 Tel: 011-45537037

Mobile: 09811237050 / 67 / 69

9. In case of Offline Payments being sent via courier, the French Teachers must write the name of the school and number of participants at the back of the instrument (Cheque/DD/Pay order).

### **Registration Process for Schools Outside India:**

1. Registrations for schools are available only on our website <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>
2. A school is required to register a minimum of 25 (twenty-five) students irrespective of the levels except for the 1<sup>st</sup> time participating schools. (In case of any problems, please contact us at 9811237050 / 67 / 69)
3. Registration fee of 8 USD per student is applicable for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> round respectively. No registration fee is charged for 3<sup>rd</sup> i.e. Final International Round.

4. All Payments can be made online or offline by the school after registration on our website <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>.
5. To make payment online, following are the bank details  
Name: Société Générale, Agence Paris, Champs Elysées  
91 AV, Champs- Elysées 75008,  
Paris NAME OF BENEFICIARY:  
Le Frehindi  
BANK A/C NO.: 300030333000020912076-28  
IBAN: FR76 3000 3033 3000 0209 1207 628
6. In case the school wants to make an offline payment via Cheque / DD / Pay order, then they have to update on the school registration form at <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>.
7. The Cheque / DD / Pay order must be issued in favour of “ Le Frehindi” and should  
be couriered at the following address –  
The International French Spell Bee Le Frehindi  
11 rue de Cambrai, Immeuble l’ Artois,  
Cedex 19, Paris, 75945,  
France
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### **Preparation Guide, Mock Tests & Audios for the contest:**

1. All French learning students and French Teachers can prepare in advance by downloading previous year’ s guide books free of cost from our official website <https://lefrehindi.com/spellbee/>.
2. An additional latest and updated physical booklet will be provided to all the students after registration and payment of fees.

### **Sit for Exam/Contest:**

#### **1. ROUND 1: (SCHOOL ROUND)**

This is the School Round which is to be held in the respective school premises for each of the three levels (Débutant, Intermédiaire and Avancé). The exam is online. The cut off marks will be announced by the Examination

Committee after the completion of the “ School Round” and all those who score equal or more than the cut off marks will qualify for the second round. The test will be MCQ type with visual and audio evaluation. **Results will be published on the website and will also be mailed to all the schools.**

## **2. ROUND 2 (ZONAL ROUND):**

This is the Zonal Round which will also be held at the participating school. This will be an online exam where the time of completion of the exam will also be noted.

**Note:** Online exam should be conducted under strict supervision in the school premises failing which the school will be disqualified from the competition.

India has been divided in 10 zones with the 11<sup>th</sup> zone being the International zone whereby each country represents an independent zone. The students from each independent zone will represent their zones at the **International French Spell Bee 2021** at New Delhi tentatively on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2022. The Zones are listed below:

1. North-East Delhi Zone
2. South-West Delhi Zone
3. NCR & Central Delhi Zone (Gurgaon, Noida, Ghaziabad, Faridabad)
4. Jaipur Zone (Rajasthan, Gujarat)
5. Mumbai Zone (Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Goa)
6. Bengaluru Zone (Karnataka, Kerala)
7. Chennai Zone (Tamil Nadu, Puducherry)
8. Hyderabad Zone (Andhra Pradesh, Telangana)
9. Kolkata Zone (West Bengal, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Bihar and 7 North eastern States)
10. Chandigarh Zone (J & K, Himachal, Uttarakhand, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh, Haryana)
11. International Zone (Each country representing an Independent zone)

From every zone, all qualifying students of each participating school will compete with their counterparts in their respective zones after re-registering themselves by paying the registration fees as mentioned above.

Three top students (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>) will qualify from each level (3 from débutant, 3 from intermédiaire and 3 from avancé = 9 students) from each zone who will go to the 3<sup>rd</sup> and the final round in New Delhi.

The test will be MCQ type with two visual and two audio evaluations. **Results will be published on the website & will be e-mailed to concerned schools.**

**Note:** In case of a tie, the time taken to complete the exam will be a deciding factor in the second round. In case of a tie in time, a tie breaker round will be conducted online within a week of the Zonal round to determine the 3 toppers.

### **3. ROUND 3 (The International Round)**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> round which is the International Round will be held offline at New Delhi in mid-January 2022 where students participate in a Live Contest where they are expected to spell the word correctly. The exact venue and day will be communicated at the time of Round 2. No registration charges will be applicable at this level.

**Note:** Outstation students accompanied by parents or teachers will have to arrange for their own transportation, boarding and lodging at New Delhi.

**Results will be declared the same day and prizes and trophy will also be distributed the same day at a ceremony in the presence of principals, parents & teachers of various participating schools and foreign dignitaries representing different Francophone Embassies.**

Rules for the final round are mentioned in the guide book provided to the students.

### **Terms regarding the First Prize for Indian Students:**

1. If one of the parents of the student securing first position wants to accompany the child, he/ she would have to pay a sum of Rs. 1.35 lac.
2. In case both of the parents want to accompany the child, a sum of Rs. 1.50 lac per person would be charged.
3. In case any other student(s) or teacher(s) from the school wish to accompany the winners on their trip, irrespective of whether they participated in the competition or not, they can do so by paying a sum of Rs. 1.35 lac per head.

4. The winners would only be required to pay the charges applicable for visa for their trip to France.

### **Terms regarding the First Prize for International Students:**

1. If one of the parents of the student securing first position wants to accompany the child, he/ she would have to pay a sum of 1730 EUROS/ 1960 USD.
2. In case both of the parents want to accompany the child, a sum of 1924 EUROS/ 2178 USD lac per person would be charged.
3. In case any other student(s) or teacher(s) from the school wish to accompany the winners on their trip, irrespective of whether they participated in the competition or not, they can do so by paying a sum of 1730 EUROS/ 1960 USD per head.
4. The winners would only be required to pay the charges applicable for visa for their trip to France.

### **Other terms:**

1. In case of disputes at any point of time during the competition, the decision of the Five Member Central Organizing Committee will be final and binding.
2. The participating school agrees to provide the computer lab or any other such facility with WIFI/Broadband connection and audio support within the premises of the school to conduct various rounds for its own students. The school agrees to inform us in advance of the number of days required to conduct the online contest depending on the availability of broadband enabled computer systems so as to cover all the registered students.
3. The school also agrees to inform us at our hotline numbers **09811237050/67/69** in case of any technical issues in conducting the exam on real time basis so that the Organizing Committee may take appropriate steps to enable the students to take the exam on chosen dates or any other mutually decided dates.

4. The school will provide adequate Teachers who will supervise the online exam inside the school or plan arrangements for alternate models of evaluation.

5. The school agrees to abide by the decision of the Five Member Organizing Committee in case of any exam, prizes or result related issues.

The event is limited by acts of god and general clauses of FORCE MAJEURE.

6. All disputes subject to Delhi Jurisdiction.

For more information, regarding Registration, Free Workshop, Preparatory material and website related help, feel free to connect with us at:

**09811237050/ 67 / 69 / 011-45537037 (9 am – 5 pm; Monday to Friday)**

### **International French Spell Bee Team**

Email ID- [frenchspellbee@lefrehindi.com](mailto:frenchspellbee@lefrehindi.com)

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### **Head Quarter:**

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