



To promote reading, writing and book culture in the country, project India and Indian writings globally, The Ministry of Education, Government of India, has launched the scheme called **YUVA (Young, Upcoming and Versatile Authors)**. As part of the **India@75 Project (Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav)**, it aims at author-mentorship to train young and budding authors.

This scheme will bring to the fore the perspectives of the young generation of writers on themes like Unsung Heroes, Unknown and Forgotten Places and their role in National Movement and other related themes in an innovative and creative manner.

To encourage the same, Lotus Valley International School, Noida Extension invites its young learners to participate and submit their creative work in this online National Contest.

Details of the scheme are as follows:

- **Online Contest:** An online National Contest is being organised from **1st June to 31st July 2021** to select the authors under the Scheme.
- **Selection:** 75 authors will be selected.
- **Scholarship:** Scholarship of Rs. 50,000 per month for a period of six months is to be paid to each of the selected 75 authors.

National Book Trust, India will be publishing the books produced by the young authors as part of the Mentorship Scheme.

The details can be accessed at <https://www.nbtindia.gov.in/> and at <https://www.mygov.in/>, as per the details given below:

Main Link:

https://www.nbtindia.gov.in/news_pressreleases_10528_pm-s-mentorship-scheme-for-yYoung-authors.nbt

Link for the detailed scheme document:

<https://www.nbtindia.gov.in/writereaddata/attachmentNews/tuesday-june-1-202111-31-05-amyuva-scheme-for-mentorship-of-young-authors.pdf>

Link for Frequently Asked Questions:

<https://www.nbtindia.gov.in/writereaddata/attachmentNews/friday-june-11-202110-05-41-Pmyuva-frequently-asked-questions-faqs.pdf>

Link for application Form:

<https://www.nbtindia.gov.in/writereaddata/attachmentNews/tuesday-june-8-20219-28-17-ampm-mentorship-scheme-application-form-english-.pdf>

P.S.: Once you register for the competition, please share a snapshot of the form with the Class Teacher.

Warm regards

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Principal