



Netaji Subhas Open University

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ESSAY WRITING

COMPETITION

(প্রবন্ধ প্রতিযোগিতা)

ON NEP 2020

NEP SAARTHI

Activity of April 2025



Aims and Objectives of the Programme:

This essay competition, organised by the NEP SAARTHI team of Netaji Subhas Open University, aims to promote awareness of the key features and impact of NEP 2020. The policy envisions a learner-centric, flexible, inclusive, and globally aligned education system, while staying rooted in India's traditional knowledge heritage. Open universities are vital to this mission, enabling equitable access to education. The competition seeks to highlight the transformative changes NEP 2020 is bringing to the Indian educational landscape.

Essay topics (any one):

Changing landscape of higher education in the context of NEP 2020 (NEP 2020 এর প্রেক্ষাপটে উচ্চ শিক্ষার পরিবর্তিত চিত্র)

Higher Education with Purpose: Encouraging Youth Employment through NEP 2020 (উদ্দেশ্যপূর্ণ উচ্চশিক্ষা: এনইপি ২০২০-এর মাধ্যমে যুবকর্মসংস্থানে উৎসাহ প্রদান)

Emphasis on Vernacular and Traditional Knowledge Systems: Inclusivity through NEP 2020 (আঞ্চলিক ও ঐতিহ্যগত জ্ঞান ব্যবস্থার উপর গুরুত্ব: এনইপি ২০২০-এর মাধ্যমে অন্তর্ভুক্তিমূলক শিক্ষা নিশ্চিতকরণ)

Target audience for the competition:

Group A- Students at Undergraduate level

Group B- Students at Postgraduate level

Group C- Students at Ph.D. level



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Guidelines for Submission:

- The essays should be typed in Times New Roman, in font size 12 and doubled spaced for English essays. The essays in Bangla should be typed in a clearly readable font, of a sufficiently legible font size. Scanned handwritten essays will also be considered, provided they are clearly legible. All submissions must be made in PDF format.
- The body of the essay should be preceded by a cover page clearly mentioning the name of the participant, course of study and university.
- The essays should be free from plagiarism or use of AI and should come with a declaration from the participant mentioning the same.
- The word limit for the essays is 1000 words.
- Mode of submission: Online, through google form, on first come first served basis.
- Deadline: 27th April, 2025. However, the link will close once the maximum number of submissions is reached.

Link of Submission:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_fXJ7Z7H4yjCyVRZ1Z0D4S78Slh2Rn7KxsMrr9MXfRw/edit?usp=drivesdk

Deadline of Submission: 27 April 2025, Sunday

Links of Event:

YOUTUBE: <https://youtube.com/live/LimyLrLSJEw?feature=share>

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84590852459>

Event Date, Time & Venue: 29 April 2025, Tuesday, 3PM, BOARD ROOM, NSOU

Organised by NEP SAARTHI Team, NSOU

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