



RULES & REGULATIONS

Please carefully review the following rules and regulations before participating in our event. All participants are expected to comply with the following regulations to ensure a fair and competitive setting for everyone involved. By participating in this event, you agree to abide by these rules and regulations.

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ZENTHACK | CYBER SECURITY AND ETHICAL HACKING QUIZ

OVERVIEW

ZENTHACK IS A CYBERSECURITY AND ETHICAL HACKING COMPETITION DESIGNED TO SIMULATE REAL-WORLD DIGITAL THREATS THROUGH AN INTENSE, KNOWLEDGE-DRIVEN CHALLENGE. PARTICIPANTS WILL TAKE PART IN THE CYBER DEFENSE & ETHICAL RECOVERY QUIZ CHALLENGE – A MULTI-STAGE QUIZ THAT TESTS ADVANCED CYBERSECURITY CONCEPTS, ETHICAL HACKING TECHNIQUES, AND INCIDENT RESPONSE STRATEGIES.

THIS COMPETITION PROMOTES ETHICAL AWARENESS, TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE, AND SHARP DECISION-MAKING UNDER PRESSURE, ENCOURAGING PARTICIPANTS TO DEMONSTRATE BOTH THEORETICAL KNOWLEDGE AND REAL-WORLD THINKING IN DIGITAL DEFENSE.

ELIGIBILITY

- THIS COMPETITION IS FOR INDIVIDUALS ONLY.
- NO LIMITATION IS ADDED TO THE NUMBER OF CONTESTANTS PARTICIPATING FROM A SCHOOL..
- THE COMPETITION IS OPEN FOR ANY CATEGORY. ALL CONTESTANTS STUDYING IN GRADE 6-13 ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE.
- ONLY ONE SUBMISSION IS ACCEPTED FROM EACH CONTESTANT.

COMPETITION FORMAT

CYBER SECURITY & ETHICAL HACKING QUIZ CHAIN.

- A 2-STAGE QUIZ COMPETITION:

ROUND 1 – PRELIMINARY (ONLINE):

20 MCQS | 7 MINUTES | REAL-TIME SCORING

ROUND 2 – FINAL (ONLINE):

20 MCQS | REDUCED TIME LIMIT

- QUIZ CONTENT FOCUSES ON ETHICAL HACKING, CYBERSECURITY FUNDAMENTALS, AND SAFE DIGITAL PRACTICES.

INSTRUCTIONS

- ONLY ONE ATTEMPT IS ALLOWED PER ROUND.
- DO NOT CLOSE OR REFRESH THE QUIZ WINDOW.
- EACH QUESTION MUST BE ANSWERED BEFORE MOVING FORWARD.
- ONLINE ROUNDS MAY REQUIRE CAMERA/MIC USAGE.

DISQUALIFICATION CRITERIA

- USE OF AI OR SEARCH ENGINES DURING COMPETITION.
- SUBMITTING MULTIPLE ENTRIES OR COPIED WORK.
- PLAGIARIZED OR AUTO-GENERATED CONTENT.
- FAILURE TO FOLLOW FORMAT, RULES, OR TIME LIMITS.
- DISRUPTIVE OR UNETHICAL BEHAVIOR.

TIME MANAGEMENT

- TIME ALLOCATION : EACH QUESTION WILL HAVE A SET TIME LIMIT. TEAMS MUST SUBMIT THEIR ANSWERS WITHIN THE GIVEN TIME FRAME.
- LATE SUBMISSIONS : LATE ANSWERS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

EQUIPMENT AND TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

- PERSONAL LAPTOP OR DEVICE CAPABLE OF RUNNING SECURITY TOOLS.
- PRE-INSTALLED WITH APPROVED SOFTWARE.
- NO INTERNET ACCESS UNLESS SPECIFICALLY ALLOWED.

CONCLUSION

CYBERQUEST PROVIDES AN ENGAGING AND EDUCATIONAL PLATFORM TO TEST PARTICIPANTS' KNOWLEDGE OF CYBERSECURITY, ETHICAL HACKING, AND SAFE DIGITAL PRACTICES. WITH A 10-QUESTION CHAIN, REAL-TIME FEEDBACK, AND INSTANT SCORING, THE QUIZ REINFORCES KEY CONCEPTS WHILE PROMOTING ETHICAL AWARENESS IN THE DIGITAL WORLD.

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