

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs) for Fit India Quiz Contest-2021

This document is an attempt to provide answers to some common questions posted to us by the candidates. However, this list is neither exhaustive nor does it purport to be a source of complete information on the subject. Hence candidates are advised, in their own interest to refer to the "Information Bulletin" on this site, besides referring to the Fit India website for detailed information and ensure that they meet eligibility criteria. FAQs may be referred for a quick reference only

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General- About Fit India Quiz Contest-2021		
1.	What is the quiz called?	The test is called "Fit India Quiz 2021"
2.	Who is conducting it?	Fit India Mission under Sports Authority of India (SAI), Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports is conducting the quiz contest
3.	What is the objective of the quiz?	The objective of the quiz is to provide a National platform for students to showcase their knowledge about fitness and sports, also endeavors in its philosophy to create awareness among students about India's rich sporting history, including centuries-old indigenous sports, our national and regional sporting heroes.
4.	Who can participate in Fit India Quiz?	All schools across India can participate in the quiz by registering on registration link provided on Fit India website (www.fitindia.gov.in). The quiz will be open for students (up to class XII) from all age groups
5.	What is the process of selection of schools for participating in the Fit India Quiz Contest?	The Fit India Quiz Contest will be held in the following phases/rounds. A. Registration B. Preliminary Round (NTA Round) C. State Round D. National Round
6.	What areas will be covered under the quiz contest?	The various phases/rounds will have questions from multiple themes as outlined below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History of Indian Sports, Traditional Sports and Games, Yoga, Personalities etc. • Fitness topics with special emphasis on Indian traditional fitness methods. • Olympics, Commonwealth Games, Asian Games, Khelo India Games, and other popular sports.
7.	Will there be prizes for winners?	Yes. There will be cash prizes for Schools/candidates. Please visit Fit India Mission website for details.
8.	What will be the timelines for the Fit India Quiz Contest?	The quiz procedure shall start with the registration. The registration will start on 1 st September 2021 and end on 30 th September 2021
A. Registration and School Round		
9.	What is Registration and School Round?	In order to participate in the Fit India Quiz Contest, the schools will have to register themselves through the link provided on Fit India website.
10.	Who is eligible to apply?	Any School, private/public/Govt under any syllabus, State Board/CBSE or ICSE or any other authority, located in India, may apply. All students studying in any class up to Class XII in schools across India, are eligible to participate in the Fit India Quiz. However, they must be nominated by the School in

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		<p>which they are studying.</p> <p>There is no restriction of age of the candidate for participating in the test. However, the questions in the quiz contest are such that those studying in Class VIII and above would be able to answer them easily.</p>
11.	How many candidates a school can nominate?	<p>A school must nominate a minimum of 2 candidates. However, there is no maximum limit.</p> <p>Registration of 2 lakh students nominated by 1 lakh schools (Maximum two students per school on first cum first basis) for the Fit India Quiz will be free of cost. (i.e. 2 students nominated by each school can participate in Fit India Quiz for free).</p>
12.	What is the mode of applying for Fit India Quiz?	<p>Application Forms can only be submitted through online mode on the link provided on website www.fitindia.gov.in, from 1st September 2021</p> <p>The Application Form other than online mode will not be accepted</p>
13.	Can a candidate directly apply for the test?	No. He/she cannot apply directly. The school where he/she is studying should apply online, nominating him/her.
14.	Can a School apply online multiple times?	A School can submit its application only once. However, the school can make additions to the nominations during the registration window (before the registration end date) and pay the applicable additional fees
15.	What documents or certificates need to be uploaded along with the Application Form?	Scanned images of photograph and signature of the candidates are to be uploaded with the Application Form. No certificates are required to be uploaded along with the Application Form at the time of online submission.
16.	What is the application fee?	Registration of 2 lakh students nominated by 1 lakh schools (Maximum two students per school on first cum first basis) for the Fit India Quiz will be free of cost. (i.e. 2 students nominated by each school can participate in Fit India Quiz for free).
17.	How can the school pay application Fee?	<p>Fee can be paid using Payment Gateway provided on the registration portal through Debit Card/Credit Card/Net Banking/UPI. Schools need to keep proof of fee paid.</p> <p>In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee then the transaction is cancelled, and amount will be refunded to the School's account.</p> <p>However, the School must make another transaction, in case the Confirmation Page is not generated.</p>
18.	What will be the process of selection of students for nomination?	<p>The school has to hold the first round of selection of students internally and register the selected students for the Preliminary round.</p> <p>NTA/Fit India Mission has no role to play in nominations by the schools. Schools nominate candidates at their own discretion based on their own judgment about the ability of the candidates/through a selection process as they may deem fit.</p>
19.	How many candidates a school can nominate?	A school has to nominate a minimum of 2 candidates. However, there is no maximum limit.
20.	Do the schools need to send Confirmation Page to NTA?	No. The Schools are NOT required to send/ submit the Confirmation Page of Online Application Form (or any document) to the NTA. However, they are advised to

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		retain the following documents with them for any future reference/correspondence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of the Confirmation Page of Online Application Form (Download, save and Print at least 3 copies) • Proof of fee paid (Download, save and Print at least 3 copies)
21.	If the school makes any mistake(s) while registering/applying, can it make changes later in the Application Form?	Once the applicable fee is paid, submission of the application is deemed to be complete and thereafter details submitted in the form cannot be edited/changed. School can only add more students in their application before the registration end date.
22.	The school has made the online payment, but the confirmation page has not been generated. What to do?	Such problem occurs because of drop in connectivity from Banks' server to the NIC server on which NTA website has been hosted. You are advised to wait for 24 hours if such problem has been faced by you. In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee then the transaction is cancelled, and amount will be refunded to the school's account. In such cases, the school has to make another transaction, to confirm and complete the application process.
23.	The school has made the online payment, but its status is not updated on the system.	If it is not updated within 24 hours, send a mail at fitindia@nta.ac.in giving details of the mobile number, application number, payment reference number and proof of payment
24.	The school has made double payment of test fee. When will the school get the refund of extra payment made	Any extra payment made by the school will be refunded to the school, within 15 days of the closure of the form submission window, after verification. In case you do not receive the refund as stated above, you may write to us at fitindia@nta.ac.in stating your application number, name, email ID, phone number, payment reference number, name of the bank through which payment was made.
25.	Can the schools change the nominations made, after submission of the application?	Schools cannot change the nominations they had made earlier, even if they want to.
26.	What should the applicant do, when 'continuous timeout', 'Server Error' or 'file not found error' occurs while filling in Application Form?	Use updated version of Mozilla Firefox/Internet Explorer/Google Chrome and good internet connection while filling application form. In case of continuous time out, one can clear cookies and history of the browser and fill during off-peak hours
27.	I have forgotten my application number. How do I get it?	On the log in screen of the portal, click the "forgot application number" button and follow the procedure given there. You will get your application number.
28.	Is there any specification for the photograph to be used on the application form?	The photograph should be colored or black and white (80% face coverage, ears clearly visible and clear contrast). Please read the instructions given in the Information Bulletin in this regard.
29.	Should the candidates give their own email address/mobile number when registering for the test?	Yes. School has to provide Candidates' own email address/mobile number or that of any of their parents. They should not give the email address or mobile phone number of their friends or others because, all communications from NTA regarding the test will be

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		through registered e-mail ID or SMS given by the candidates in their application form.
B. Preliminary Round (NTA Round)		
30.	When will Fit India Quiz Contest 2021 be conducted?	The test will be held on 29.10.2021 (Friday). Candidates are advised to visit NTA website to check updates for further information
31.	What is the duration of the test?	Duration of the test is 45 minutes.
32.	What is the test format? How many questions would be there in the test?	Each test would consist of 75 Multiple Choice Questions, on general knowledge relating to Sports & fitness. All Questions shall be Multiple Choice with 4 options.
33.	Will the test be held in a single session?	It will be held in a single/multiple session depending on the number of students who apply and on technical considerations.
34.	How will the candidate get his/her admit card?	The admit card will be uploaded on NTA website whose link will be provided on Fit India website https://fitindia.gov.in as per the schedule communicated through the website. Generally, they will be hosted about 15 days before the date of the test. Schools can login to the site and view the details of the candidates nominated by them, admitted to the test, with their names, gender, class, roll number, language opted, time slot, etc. Individual candidates can view, download, and print their admit card from the site using their School Application Number, mobile number (own or that of any of their parents entered in the application form) and date of birth.
35.	If I do not get my Admit Card, whom should I contact?	You can call 011 4075 9000 between 10.00 am and 5.00 pm or write to NTA at fitindia@nta.ac.in
36.	Whom can I contact in case my admit card has some issue, or I am not able to download my admit card?	You can call 011 4075 9000 between 10.00 am and 5.00 pm or write to NTA at fitindia@nta.ac.in
37.	Where can I get the name of test centers?	This is an online test. There are no test centers. You are not required to go to any test center. You can appear in the test, from wherever you are, on mobile phones with Android 5 or above operating system. The candidates will have to download the required application to appear in the test. The details of the mobile application will be shared with the participating students along with their admit card
38.	Where can I take the free online mock test or practice test?	NTA is providing opportunity to all aspirants to take online Mock Test. NTA will make the announcement regarding the same on its website. Hence, please be in touch with the on NTA website whose link will be provided on Fit India website https://fitindia.gov.in . Candidates will also be sent individual communication by email or SMS. Mock test will be held 2-3 days before the actual test. Mock test is conducted only to familiarize the candidates with the online test process. Performance in the mock test is not taken into consideration for any purpose.
39.	Is it mandatory to take the mock test?	Yes. Candidates are required to take the test compulsorily.

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40.	I logged in 15 minutes after commencement of the test. Will my test end at the scheduled time or will my test end 15 minutes later than the scheduled closing time?	You will not be allowed to log in after the commencement of the test, under normal circumstances. However, such exceptional circumstances will be handled on a case to case basis, upon any receipt of request, if any, by NTA, in this regard, at the relevant time.
41.	What documents do I need to have to appear in the test?	Candidates MUST keep the following documents handy, before commencement of the test: I. Admit Card II. Any one of the original and valid Photo Identification Proof issued by the government – PAN card/School ID Card/ Passport/ Aadhaar Card (With photograph)/ E-Aadhaar/ Ration Card./ Aadhaar Enrolment No. with photograph/ Photograph and signature duly attested by the Head Master/Principal of the school where he is studying on the letterhead of the School.
42.	How will I login to appear in the test? Which website should I enter? How do I enter?	You will have to download the mobile application for appearing in the test. The application will host a mock test on the 2-3 days before the quiz so that the candidates can get familiar with the application and usage
43.	What precaution should I take while carrying documents?	The name on the photo identification must match with the name as shown on the Admit Card. If the name has been changed, candidate must show the relevant document like Legal Name Change Document at the time of the test.
44.	How will my identity be authenticated?	Your mobile should be equipped with a camera. Before you commence the test, you will be required to show your Admit Card and ID card (as given in your application form and indicated on your admit card) in front of the camera.
45.	How will NTA know if any Unfair Means (UFM) is adopted by a candidate?	The test will be proctored by human proctors in addition to Artificial Intelligence tools, on real time basis. The proctors will be able to see you real time while you are taking the test and also see your screen. In case of any suspicious movements, sounds or activities by the candidates, proctor will warn them. In case the candidate does not mend his ways, Proctor can terminate the test of a candidate.
46.	Should I keep a paper during the test for doing some rough work?	No. You are not allowed to keep any paper with you, for doing any rough work.
47.	How do I answer questions in the online mode?	Detailed guidelines on the Procedure for appearing in the online test are given in the Information Bulletin and also on the Admit Card. You may go through them. You are also required to attend the mock test that will be held 2-3 days before the test, without fail.
48.	Can I take the test from any mobile?	No. Only android enabled mobile devices with version 5 or above operating system
49.	Can I move back and forth between the questions?	Yes, candidates will have the option to navigate between the questions by following instructions available on the User Interface.

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		They may change even answer options, any time before they click the 'SUBMIT' button.
50.	How do I know when the test time has ended?	There will be an on-screen timer on the top right corner of your screen which will count down for the allocated time. Candidates are advised to check this timer regularly and allocate their time carefully. Once your time is over, the test will conclude automatically.
51.	What if I could not appear in the scheduled session?	No candidate will be allowed to appear at the test at a time slot other than that allotted to him/her in his/her Admit card.
52.	Can I cancel the test?	No, under no circumstances a cancellation / refund shall be allowed.
53.	If a candidate is not able to take the test, whether his fee will be refunded?	No, your fees will not be refunded in case you are unable to appear in the test.
54.	A candidate who was nominated by the school is unable to appear in the test. Can the school nominate another candidate in the place of the candidate who was nominated earlier?	No.
55.	Will I be able to leave early if I finish the test before the allocated test time has ended?	Yes.
56.	In case of any technical problems with the mobile phone, what should I do? What happens if there is a power failure and I am unable to continue the test? Will I lose time?	In case of any technical problems with the mobile and you are not able to continue the test, you may log out and re-log in either on the same device or on some other device and resume the test from where you stopped. If the problem persists, send us a message on the designated WhatsApp number that will be sent to you. Our Technical services team will help you. Your test time in the next session will commence from the time you discontinued your test on account of technical failure. You will not lose time when you are unable to continue with the test on account of technical failure.
57.	Can I exit the test before its scheduled closure time?	In case you want to exit the test, you can do so, before time, after final submission.
58.	What if the internet connectivity drops during the test?	You can re-login and continue with the test, from where you stopped once the connectivity is re-established.
Miscellaneous for Preliminary Round (NTA Round)		
59.	Is there any negative marking?	Yes. Scoring pattern is given below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 marks for each correct response • -1 mark for each incorrect response (negative scoring) • 0 for non-attempt
60.	If a question is wrong or none of the options is correct, how will it be handled?	If a question is wrong or none of the options is correct, the question will be dropped. The total number of questions and the total marks of the paper shall stand reduced accordingly.
61.	How will inter se seniority of candidates be decided, when more than one candidate secures the same marks?	In case more than one candidate secure same marks, their inter-se seniority will be decided based on their age. Younger candidate will be placed higher in merit.
62.	When and how will the results be declared?	Results will be hosted on the NTA website. Results/State wise merit list will be prepared and hosted on the NTA/Fit India Mission website.

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		<p>Schools within each State/UT will be selected on the basis of the position on the Merit List, of the candidates nominated by it.</p> <p>No separate intimation will be sent to the candidate.</p> <p>Soon after the results, E-Participation certificates will be hosted on the NTA website. Candidates who appeared in the test will be able to download and print their respective certificates.</p>
63.	How will I come to know if I am selected for the next round?	List of schools/candidates who are selected for the next round will be displayed on the Fit India/NTA website.
64.	If more than one candidate in the merit list is from the same school, how will it be handled?	<p>Candidates in a State/UT will be ranked on the basis of the marks secured by them in the online test conducted by NTA. A school will be selected on the basis of the position in the Merit List of its candidates.</p> <p>If more than one candidate from the merit list is from the same school, the school will be selected on the basis of the higher/highest of the marks secured by its candidates.</p> <p>For example, A and B are in the merit list securing 235 and 230 marks from the same school say XYZ. The school XYZ will get selected based on the marks 235 secured by A. The next candidate in the merit list who might have secured, say, 234 marks from some other school, say PQR, will get selected and his school (i.e. PQR) will qualify for the next level.</p> <p>The total number of schools that are to be selected from a State/UT is predetermined based on the total number of applications received from the schools/UT in the State/UT. The selection will cease once the predetermined number of schools for each State/UT, are selected.</p>
65.	Out of the candidates nominated by a school, only one of them got selected and his name appeared in the merit list. However, for the next State level round, the quiz team must have 2 members. How will the second member of the team be selected?	<p>The two candidate(s) whose names appear in the State/UT wise Merit List, ranked in order of their marks, will automatically be member(s) of the Quiz team representing the School at the next level.</p> <p>However, in case, there is only one candidate from a school in the Merit List, it can nominate the second member of the Quiz team to represent it at the State level contest, at its discretion from amongst its students,</p>
C. State Round		
66.	What are state rounds?	State rounds are the rounds in the quiz format where the schools qualified after NTA round to compete to become state champion. State rounds will be conducted for each state/UT
67.	What will be the number of teams participating in the state round?	The number of teams participating in the state round will be proportional to the number of schools participating in the preliminary (NTA) round. State Round will be of 8-32 teams from qualified schools participating on a customized digital platform
68.	What will be the mode of state round?	Format: The state round will be conducted by each State/UTs with the support from FIT India Mission amongst qualified schools. Depending on the number of teams qualified (8-32 teams), 3-11 rounds will be held to determine the State/UT champion These rounds will be anchored by a professional quiz master and will be

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		webcast on social media. The quiz could be in mixed language (local as well). Also questions on local sports will also be asked. Total of 36 school teams i.e., one team per State/ UT will move to the National Round
69.	Will there be prizes for state champions?	Yes. The winner and runners-up (teams and schools) will be awarded with cash prize. For more details, please visit Fit India website.
70.	What will happen after state rounds?	State rounds will identify 36 State/UT champions who will move to the national rounds.
D. National Round		
71.	How National finals will be conducted?	National Finals will be conducted in New Delhi and will be telecast on Star Sports and various digital platforms.
72.	What will be the format of the National Round?	<p>National Round shall consist of Quarterfinals, Semi-finals and Final Rounds-telecast on Star Sports and national television & Webcast on social media channels of Sports Authority of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Star Sports and Fit India.</p> <p>Quarter Final</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 36 teams will be divided into 12 groups of 3 teams each. The 3 teams will compete with each other and the top team from each group (a total of 12 teams) will move to the Semi Final Round. • For the remaining 24 teams, 4 best Runner ups will also move to the Semi Final Round • A total of 16 teams will therefore qualify for the Semi-Finals. <p>Semi Final</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 16 teams who enter the Semi-Finals will be divided into 4 groups of 4 teams each. The winner from each group will move to the National Final Round, which will be telecast on Star Sports. Final • 4 teams will compete to secure the Top Place of being India's No 1 school in the Fit India Quiz. • Winner of the Final round will be declared as National Champion