

Secondary School Food Safety and Nutrition Labelling Quiz Competition
Prospectus of Competition – Semi-final Round

Date: 12 April 2014 (Saturday)

Time: 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm (in three sessions of around 1 hour each)

Venue: Assembly Hall, Lai Chi Kok Government Offices, 19 Lai Wan Road, Lai Chi Kok, Kowloon

(1) Eligibility and Grouping

- Winning schools from the preliminary round must send a team of 9 members to the semi-final round. Teams are not required to use the same players in the preliminary round. Secondary 1 to Secondary 6 students are welcome.
- 9 teams will be spilt up into 3 groups by drawing lots and compete against each other in 3 separate sessions. The team with the highest score from each group will advance to the final round.
- The drawing will be held at 3 pm on 8 April in Room 105, 1/F, 4 Hospital Road, Sai Ying Pun, Hong Kong. Each team may send one representative to observe the drawing process. The teacher-in-charge will be informed of the drawing result and the allotted time by email.
- Only competing teams of the allotted session will be allowed in the hall.

(2) Language

- Cantonese and traditional Chinese

(3) Rules and Regulations

- Contestants must arrive at the venue at the designated time and produce their student identity card for registration.
- Contestants must wear tidy school uniform.
- Team members and team captain for each round must be determined before the competition. The completed registration form (Annex 1) should be returned to the CFS on or before 10 April via email or fax.
- If any contestant is unable to attend the competition for some special reasons, the participating school could submit a written application for replacement by post or email. A replacement may be accepted if the reason is valid. The place will be taken by the first person on the substitute list.
- If a contestant calls in sick in the morning on the event day, the teacher-in-charge should apply for replacement and provide information of the substitute student via email by 10am. The substitute student should bring a print-out of this email (with transmitted date and time) to the venue for verification.
- Any contestant who is absent from the competition without prior notice will cause disqualification of the entire team.
- Contestants will not be allowed to use any kind of electronic devices, including camera, mobile phones or tablet. They will not be allowed to bring any notes or paper with them during the test.
- Contestants shall not disclose any information about the questions to other participating teams during the semi-final round.

- The Organiser's decision on the answers to the questions in the competition shall be final and unchallengeable.
- Any coaching or discernible answers from the spectators may cause disqualification of that team.
- The Organiser reserves the right to disqualify immediately any teams that are found cheating at the competition.
- The team with the highest score from each group will advance to the final round. If the score is tied, the tie is broken in a sudden-death playoff. The first team to answer a question correctly wins.
- The Organiser reserves the right to make modifications to the competition format and rules.

(4) Format

- Questions will be read verbally on the spot.
- Semi-final will run in three rounds. Round One is compulsory questions; Round Two is quick response questions on video and Round Three is quick response questions.
- Questions are in the form of multiple-choice.
- Questions are based on food safety and nutrition labelling.
- Teams shall be comprised of 3 members for each round. Each team shall designate one member to serve as team captain.
- Each team has 200 points at the start of the Round One.

Round One (Compulsory Questions)

- Each team will be asked 10 questions. Correct answers will be worth 20 points with NO deductions for incorrect or no answer. The question will not be forwarded to the opposing teams.
- Once a question is read, the team has 5 seconds to answer the question. Failing to do so will be counted as a pass.
- Contestants should respond to a question by speaking the letter representing the answer, i.e. A, B, C or D. Response in any other way will be counted as an incorrect answer.
- Only one person may answer a question. If there is more than one response, the team captain shall decide on the answer given.
- If a contestant interrupts before the host has completed a question, the host will stop and the timer will be started. The contestant has to answer the question within 5 seconds.

Round Two (Quick Response Questions on Video)

- A video clip will be shown and 5 questions will be asked based on the video. The team who presses the button first gets to answer the question.
- Contestants must wait for the host to call on them by their team number before attempting to answer a question. If a team begins their response before they are acknowledged by the host, the answer is counted as an incorrect answer. 20 points are awarded for each correct answer. 20 points are deducted for each incorrect answer. The question will not be forwarded to the opposing teams.
- Contestants should respond to a question by speaking the letter representing the answer, i.e. A, B, C

or D. Response in any other way will be counted as an incorrect answer.

- Only one person may answer a question. If there is more than one response, the team captain shall decide on the answer given.
- The contestant must answer the question within 5 seconds after being acknowledged by the host or lose 20 points.
- If a team begins their response before they are acknowledged by the host, the answer is counted as an incorrect answer and 20 points will be deducted.
- If a contestant interrupts before the host has completed a question, the host will stop and the timer will be started. The contestant has to answer the question within 5 seconds.
- If no teams press a button within 5 seconds after the host reads the question, the question will be discarded.

Round Three (Quick Response Questions)

- 10 questions will be read and the team who presses the button first gets to answer first.
- Contestants must wait for the host to call on them by their team number before attempting to answer a question. If a team begins their response before they are acknowledged by the host, the answer is counted as an incorrect answer. 30 points are awarded for each correct answer. 30 points are deducted for each incorrect answer.
- Contestants should respond to a question by speaking the letter representing the answer, i.e. A, B, C or D. Response in any other way will be counted as an incorrect answer and result in the deduction of 30 points.
- Only one person may answer a question. If there is more than one response, the team captain shall decide on the answer given.
- The contestant must start to answer the question within 5 seconds after being acknowledged by the host or lose 30 points.
- If a team begins their response before they are acknowledged by the host, the answer is counted as an incorrect answer and 30 points will be deducted.
- If a contestant interrupts before the host has completed a question, the host will stop and the timer will be started. The contestant has to answer the question within 5 seconds.
- Only one attempt is allowed by the opposing teams for each question answered incorrectly. The opposing teams can only press the button after the host announces that the answer is incorrect. 20 points are awarded for a correct answer. 20 points are deducted for an incorrect answer. The contestant must answer the question within 5 seconds after being acknowledged by the host or lose 20 points.
- If no teams press a button to answer within 5 seconds after the host reads the question, the question will be discarded.

(5) Special Weather Arrangement

- If Typhoon Cyclone signal No. 3 or Amber / Red rainstorm warning is in force on the event day, the competition will be held as scheduled.

- If Tropical Cyclone Signal No. 8 or above or a Black Rainstorm Warning is in force at 7:00 a.m. on the event day, the competition will be cancelled. Contestants will be informed of the rescheduled date.
- If Tropical Cyclone Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted during the competition, the competition will be suspended immediately. Participants will be informed of the rescheduled date.

Secondary School Food Safety and Nutrition Labelling Quiz Competition **Registration Form for Semifinalists**

Please complete and return the registration form to the CFS on or before 10 April by email (tcchan7@fehd.gov.hk) or fax (2803 0534). Participating schools must send 9 students to the semi-final round. 3 students will compete in each round and one of the members shall serve as team captain. Teams are not required to use the same players in the preliminary round.

Name of School: _____

Round One (Compulsory Questions)

Name of Student	Level	Team Captain ("✓" where appropriate)	Email Address	Contact No.
1.				
2.				
3.				

Round Two (Quick Response Questions on Video)

Name of Student	Level	Team Captain ("✓" where appropriate)	Email Address	Contact No.
1.				
2.				
3.				

Round Three (Quick Response Questions)

Name of Student	Level	Team Captain ("✓" where appropriate)	Email Address	Contact No.
1.				
2.				
3.				

Substitute Members

Name of Student	Level	Email Address	Contact No.
1.			
2.			

Teacher-in-charge

Name: _____

Contact Number: (School)_____ (Mobile)_____

Email Address: _____ Fax: _____

School Chop:	Name of Principal:
	Signature of Principal:
	Date:

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