

Guidelines for Balazine Contributions

We are looking for the following **original** contributions. Here are some **example** categories:

- Poems and Songs
- Stories, Essays, Articles or Book Reports
- Jokes, Drawings, Paintings or any artwork
- Travelogues
- Recipes (something whacky you tried and it turned out yummy)
- Letters to Balazine team from kids and Balavihar News

If you are a Balavihar graduate, we'd like to hear from you!

We hope your contributions will illustrate to current students how the values learnt in Balavihar are applied in everyday life after graduation! Or, what event prompted you to make the particular contribution? In other words, we welcome all your contributions; we want to be able to use them as a "Balavihar value proposition," for current or future students.

Guidelines for contributions:

- **Grades KG, 1, 2 & 3:** Maximum 150 words, 1 picture max.

We welcome all submissions as-is, bring them on!

- **Grades 4, 5, 6 & 7:** Maximum 250 words, 1 picture max.
- We welcome all submissions! Try to review it before sending.
- **Grades 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 and ex-students:** Maximum 500 words, 2 pictures max.

We hope that these contributions will require minimal "help" from the editors! So please keep relevance, brevity and clarity in mind when making submissions. And yes, review before sending!

For all reports and essays, please quote references.

Media for submission:

Electronic media is preferred.
Text: Word document, font size 12 with no formatting
Art: Scanned images are preferred and encouraged.

Submit contributions to:

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The fine print:

The editors reserve the right to exercise their editorial discretion as deemed necessary and their decisions will be final.