

CENTURY & FOBISIA English Competition Rules

Important dates

The CENTURY & FOBISIA English Competition will run from 6th-17th November 2023.

The last chance to enter the competition will be 11:59 PM GMT on Monday 30th October 2023.

The competition will start at 00:00 GMT on Monday 6th November 2023.

The competition will end at 23:59 GMT on Friday 17th November 2023.

Participation

In order for FOBISIA Member Schools to participate in the competition, they will need to have a CENTURY account set up.

If you're an existing CENTURY customer, you will be able to use your account for the competition.

If you're not an existing CENTURY customer, your school will receive a temporary free account for the duration of the competition. You will have an option of extending your access upon request to the CENTURY team.

Categories

Each school with a registered FOBISIA account will participate as an individual school. All schools will be ranked by type and size into four categories, these are:

Large - All Through or Secondary

Small - All Through or Secondary

Large - Primary

Small - Primary

There will also be an overall category winner.

Schools will be divided into the above four *categories based on the number of participating students at each school. The exact category bandings will be determined once all entries have been received by 3rd November. We will divide schools across the four categories to ensure a fair competition and an even split across all categories.



Competition Terms

School totals and associated scores will be based on the **average number of questions answered correctly by each** ****active student within your school**. This will be calculated by dividing the overall number questions answered correctly by the number of active students on CENTURY at each school throughout the competition period.

We will also provide data on the total number of questions answered correctly and this number will include all **correctly** answered questions from all attempted nuggets. It won't include data from skipped questions or any incorrectly answered questions.

<u>Please note that only the first 3 attempts at any nugget will be counted towards the competition</u> metrics. This is to avoid excessive repetition of questions so please tell your students

*Category: This is the grouping of organisations according to the number of active students and organisation type.

**Active students are defined as those who complete at least one nugget on the platform during the competition period.

Competition monitoring

Week on week we will monitor each school's usage, based on the average number of questions answered correctly by the students at participating schools. This metric is how we will rank schools in each of the categories.

Every week we will send you an email update to let you know how you are doing within your category and there will also be a live leaderboard for you to track.

At the end of the final week, we will rank schools to decide the winners of each category based on their usage across the competition.

Prizes

1st place winners of each category will win a £250 Amazon voucher for their school. 2nd and 3rd place winners will receive certificates to celebrate their achievements.