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ASTI's Recovery Projects (ARP) Launch

We launched ASTI's Recovery Projects (ARP) on 8 April 2021 at Hilton Petaling Jaya, Selangor. We are planning ARP via some projects that we will be rolling out progressively over 2021-2022. These projects would be pedagogically sound and are designed to continue past the ARP period.



For more information, please visit www.asti.org.my/recoveryprojects



ASTI Feynman Challenge (AFC) 2021

Due to over whelming response from participants in 2020, ASTI has launched the competition again this year. ASTI Feynman Challenge 2021 was launched on 15 March 2021 via Facebook live.

STAND A CHANCE TO WIN
1st prize: RM 700
2nd prize: RM 500
3rd prize: RM 300

ASTI Feynman Challenge
Participation is FREE !!!

Association of Science, Technology and Innovation (ASTI) is a not-for-profit organisation with the main objective to empower young people to think independently through various science-based and skills-development projects.

The **ASTI Feynman Challenge (AFC)** is an online project first developed and implemented during the MCO period of 2020. AFC received a tremendous response with over **600 registrations** from **7 countries** and **318 videos** received.

AFC requires a team of two people or more (involving parents, child, brother, sister or friends), where you can work on the challenge from home! In AFC, you have to invent something simple that you use to teach a scientific principle you have learnt at school. The invention can be created with any object that you find at home, e.g. you can design and build a catapult made of clips and rubber bands to teach the 3rd Law of Newton. Just send us a video with your explanation of the scientific concept using your invention.

We also have up to **3 special inclusivity Awards** to give to teams who have gone above and beyond great odds to produce fantastic videos – each at **RM500**. All participants will receive digital certificates.

3 Categories
Category 1 : Primary (10-12 years old)
Category 2 : Secondary (13-17 years old)
Category 3 : above 18 years old

Important Deadlines To REMEMBER!!!
15 April 2021
Registration Submission
20 May 2021
Video Submission
15 July 2021
WINNERS Announcement

Register your team details and Download Terms & Conditions and modules. For Further Details:
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ASTI and FMT help schoolkids make up for lost time

PETALING JAYA: Malaysian students who lost precious time in the past year because of the Covid-19 pandemic can now look forward to a series of online workshops, quizzes and programmes which can bring them up to speed.

The initiatives are part of a project carried out in partnership between the Association of Science, Technology and Innovation (ASTI) and Free Malaysia Today (FMT).



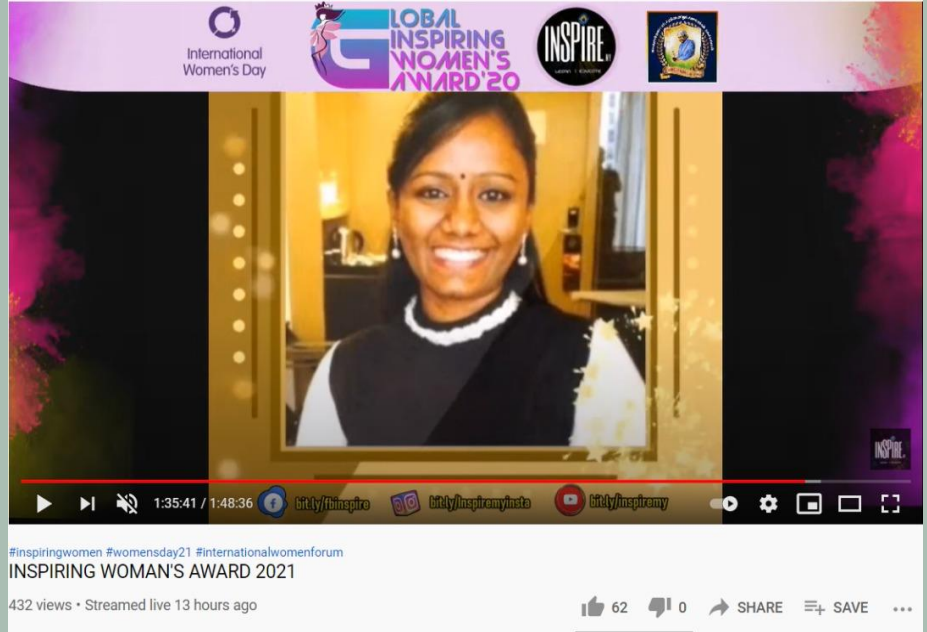
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<https://www.freemalaysiatoday.com/category/nation/2021/04/08/project-to-help-schoolkids-make-up-for-lost-time/>

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Global Inspiring Women's Award 2020

INSPIRE.MY organised first ever International Award Ceremony to celebrate all the inspiring women in conjunction with International Women's Day collaboration with Women's Empower, International Women's Day Organization, Abdul Kalam Organization & Life Skills Studio on 21st March 2021. Ms. Vanitha Vasu from ASTI was a recipient of the award.



GENERAL NEWS

Meet The Science Teacher Who Has Won Over 120 Awards For Her Inventions

How would you feel if your teacher from school starts winning awards for something she invented? We believe that students of SJKT Kangkar Pulai must be very proud of this unsung hero who's part of the DIGIyin Saathanai Hero-kkal campaign.

S. Gomathy, a science teacher based in Johor, used her passion in science and innovation to fuel her inventions, which led to her winning 73 international awards and over 50 national awards!

Since beginning her side hobby in 2010, her most recent inventions bagged her gold medals from the 5th Invention Innovation Competition in Canada (iCAN) 2020, an annual event that gives inventors and researchers around the world the chance to display their inventions.

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