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27th July 2017

SOF Olympiads for Grades VI to XII

Dear Parents,

As every year, it is time for us to register for the Olympiad examinations conducted by the **Science Olympiad Foundation**. Our students have given a very enthusiastic response to these examinations and fared very well in the Olympiads last year. I congratulate the parents of all the students who participated and won laurels for the school.

Mahir Shah (Grade 2) secured First International rank whereas Vanini Chhabra and Anushka Verma (Grade 9) secured 9th and 10th International rank in IEO. Many students secured top ten zonal positions and cash prizes worth Rs. 5000 each in NCO, NSO and IMO.

The details of the SOF Olympiads (2017 -18) are as follows:

S. No.	Name of Olympiad	Grades	Date of Olympiad
1	International General Knowledge Olympiad - IGKO*	Grades VI to X	10th October, 2017
2	International English Olympiad in partnership with The British Council -IEO	Grades VI to XII	12th October, 2017
3	National Science Olympiad - NSO	Grades VI to XII	23rd November, 2017
4	International Mathematics Olympiad - IMO	Grades VI to XII	14th December, 2017
5	National Cyber Olympiad - NCO	Grades VI to XII	30th January, 2018
6	International Company Secretaries Olympiad in partnership with The Institute of Company Secretaries of India, Govt. of India - ICSO*	Grades XI and XII only Science/ Commerce/ Humanities	30th January, 2018

Note: SOF has also organized **INNOVATION CHALLENGE (IC)*** in partnership with Tech fest **IIT BOMBAY**.

*Introduced from year 2017

Students of Grades VIII, IX and X who appear in the SOF-NSO are entitled to appear in the Innovation Challenge. No separate registration is required for IC.

NSO papers will carry a question common for all classes. Students may upload the answer along with the answers of 10 MCQ's appearing at IIT BOMBAY site as per schedule to be provided in the NSO paper.

Top 15 rank holders will be selected for the final round to be held at IIT Bombay on 29th December, 2017. This will be a three hour paper. Result will be declared on 30th December, 2017 at IIT Bombay. Each of the 15 students qualifying for the final will be permitted to have an adult accompany her/him to IIT Bombay. Boarding, lodging and reimbursement of travel expenses for the qualifying student and accompanying adult will be provided. Following awards will be provided. Each participating student will get a Participation Certificate. **Top 15 students will be awarded.**

- Merit Certificate
- Conducted tour of IIT Bombay.
- Pass to attend all programs at IIT from 29th to 31st December, 2017
- Trophies for top 3 rank holders.
- Tablets for top 5 rank holders and other prizes

Venue: All Olympiads (level 1) will be **held in school premises, within school hours.**

Fee: A fee of **Rs.120/-** per Olympiad exam shall be charged. A practice booklet is available for each exam with an additional cost of **Rs 60/-** per booklet (**Except for IEO for Grades XI and XII and ICSO**).

Eligibility: The Olympiads are open for students of Grades VI to XII.

Students who qualify in the first level of the English, Science and Mathematics Olympiads will take the second level exam subsequently as per the schedule set by the SOF.

Each participating student gets the following benefits:

- Participation/ Merit Certificate
- Detailed Performance Analysis Report
- Her/ His rank at International, Zonal and School level
- Chance to win an award out of over 8 lac awards worth Rs. 15.2 crores.

In case you wish your ward to participate in the SOF Olympiads 2017-18, kindly fill the consent form below and send it to the respective class teachers latest by Friday, 4th August, 2017. The fee for the exam will be charged along with the school fee of the next quarter.

We look forward to see maximum participation from our school.

Warm regards,

Pramod Sharma
School Director

Consent Form for SOF Olympiads (2017-18)

Kindly fill the consent form given below in case you want your ward to take the Olympiad exams. A student can take any or all of these exams. The filled form should be sent to the class teacher latest by **Friday, 4th August, 2017**. Alternatively, you can also mail a scanned copy to Mr. Dharmender Kumar at dharmenderk@genesigs.edu.in

PLEASE NOTE THAT INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

(Please fill the details in block letters)

Name of the student: _____ **Class/Section:** _____

Class Teacher: _____

I would like my ward to take the following Olympiad Exams.

S.No.	Name of Exam	Exam fees	Yes/No	Booklet charges	Yes/No
1.	SOF-IGKO	Rs 120/-		Rs 60/-	
2.	SOF-IEO	Rs 120/-		Rs 60/-	
3.	SOF-NSO	Rs 120/-		Rs 60/-	
4.	SOF-IMO	Rs 120/-		Rs 60/-	
5.	SOF-NCO	Rs 120/-		Rs 60/-	
6.	SOF-ICSO	Rs 120/-		N/A	

Total amount to be debited to the imprest account =

Father's / Mother's name:

Signature:

Contact number:

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