



Ministry of Earth Sciences & Geological Society of India INTERNATIONAL EARTH SCIENCE OLYMPIAD (IESO) - 2023 Entrance Test

The Geological Society of India, Bangalore will be conducting the Indian National Entrance Test for the selection of TEAM INDIA to participate in the International Earth Science Olympiad 2023. This is an outreach programme of the Geological Society of India Bangalore and the Ministry of Earth Sciences, New Delhi. This programme is supported by the Ministry of Earth Sciences, New Delhi. The guidelines for the smooth conduct of the entrance test and evaluation are given below:

1. The test centers must register online through this [link](#). The website has instruction and a help desk for the registration of the center and the students. Once the required information is filled in, an OTP will be received to activate the registration and login credentials. Now the Centre is ready to register students.
2. The Centre Code, a 6-digit alpha numeral, will be auto generated with a 2 character state code, one character for school type and a 3-digit number. A three-digit student registration number must be entered at the time of receiving a student application
3. The application forms for the entrance test can be received from the students studying 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th during August 2023 and born after 1.7.2005 along with Rs. 150/- as registration fee. An acknowledgement can be given to the student with his serial number. An amount of ₹10/- will be retained by the Centre and the remaining ₹140/- will be transferred to the Geological Society of India account through the payment gateway.
4. The Hall ticket will be generated and uploaded. The Centers/Students can download and print the hall ticket before the test.
5. The question papers will be sent to the Principal/Centre-in-Charge in a sealed cover which can be opened at the time of the test.
6. The students will answer the questions on OMR sheets. After the test, the OMR sheets should be sent to the Society address as per the instructions provided.

7. The test starts at 10.30 am to 12.00 noon on 10th June 2023 and will be for 90 minutes duration. Students will have to answer 100 multiple-choice questions.
8. During the course of the entrance test, Centre-in-Charge (**one person for each centre only**) will get the signatures of the students and the invigilator in the examination hall on the OMR sheet. For every 24 students, there will be one invigilator. Each Centre can make use of the services of an attender.
9. The remuneration for the services will be paid as in the previous year as indicated below and will be paid after the test, through NEFT:
 - a. Centre-in-Charge - ₹1,500/-
 - b. Invigilator - ₹ 750/-
 - c. Attender - ₹ 250/-
10. Confidentiality of the question papers should be strictly maintained. Any leakage of the question paper may lead to total cancellation of the centre for final selection in the future programme of the IESO. All the centers must take necessary precautions. The entrance examination is designed for a fair and healthy competition amongst the young students. We once again thank you all for your co-operation from all parts of the country for encouraging students to participate in the Earth Science Olympiad, in turn, creating awareness of Earth System Sciences among youngsters.
11. Soft copies of the application form and the pamphlet/brochure and the registration link can be accessed from the Society website www.geosocindia.org/index.php/ieso. Kindly feel free to contact us if you need any clarification.

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