



Team with HMOES and Secretary MoES



पृथ्वी विज्ञान मंत्रालय
Ministry of Earth Sciences



IESO-2025 team India with HMOES

INTERNATIONAL EARTH SCIENCE OLYMPIAD*

MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES AND GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF INDIA

- ➔ Will you be studying in IX, X, XI & XII Std. in August 2026?
- ➔ Were you born after 01-07-2007?
- ➔ Would you like to participate in the International Earth Science Olympiad (IESO) ?
- ➔ If your answers are YES, you should write the Entrance Test.

ENTRANCE TEST:

An entrance test has been scheduled on Saturday **24th Jan 2026** for 90 minutes at 10.30 am in English & Comprising objective type of questions spanning Geology, Geophysics, Meteorology, Oceanography, Terrestrial Astronomy and Environmental Science. For syllabus & limited reading materials, visit <https://www.geosocindia.org/index.php/ieso>

Four-stages of IESO: i. National Level Entrance Test (ET), ii. Training camp & Indian National Earth Science Olympiad (INESO). (Selection of the four-member team after 3-week training programme), iii. Pre-departure Training Camp (1 week), iv. Participation in the IESO.

TRAINING CAMP: The 3-week Training Camp will be held during May/June 2026 and will comprise lectures, discussions, data mining and poster presentation. The INESO will be held at the end of the Camp. The top four students will be declared as winners of 19th INESO. The four winners of INESO will participate in the IESO (2026) to be held in Italy.

In the recently concluded IESO-2025 organized at Jining, China between 8th to 16th August 2025, 31 countries participated. Team India represented by four students: Rayansh Gupta, Charuvrat Bains, Apam Nidhi Pandey, Priyanshi Ghangas.

| S.No. | Name of the Student | ITFI | ESP | Individual Test | Reporter's Award |
|-------|---------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Rayansh Gupta | Gold | | Silver | 3 rd Prize |
| 2 | Charuvrat Bains | Silver | Silver | Bronze | |
| 3 | Apam Nidhi Pandey | | Silver | | |
| 4 | Priyanshi Ghangas | Bronze | | | |

- Centre registration for the Entrance Test : upto **7th Jan 2026**.
- Student Registration : upto **7th Jan 2026**.
- For details visit our website:
<https://gsi.manageexam.com/>

| Table-2. Achievement of the Indian team members in the International Olympiads | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|
| Year | Venue | Students | G(E) | S(VG) | B(Gd) | Total |
| 2007 | South Korea | 2 | | 2 | | 2 |
| 2009 | Taiwan | 4 | | | 4 | 4 |
| 2010 | Indonesia | 4 | | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| 2011 | Italy | 4 | | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| 2012 | Argentina | | | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| 2013 | India | 4 | | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| 2014 | Spain | 4 | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2015 | Brazil | 4 | 1 | | 2 | 3 |
| 2016 | Japan | 4 | | 4 | | 4 |
| 2017 | France | 4 | 1 | | 1 | 2 |
| 2018 | Thailand | 2 | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2019 | South Korea | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 10 |
| 2020 | Covid lock down | | | | | |
| 2021 | Covid lock down | | | | | |
| 2022 | Italy (Virtual) | 8 | 10 | 4 | 6 | 20 |
| 2023 | IGEO (Virtual) | 8 | 3+ (1) | 7+ (9) | 6+ (4) | 16+ (14) |
| 2024 | Beijing, China | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| 2025 | Jining, China | 4 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 7 |

G- Gold, S-Silver & B-Bronze, E-Excellent(=Gold); VG-Very Good(=Silver) & Gd-Good(=Bronze)



IESO 2024 students with the Minister



Rayansh Gupta receiving Award



Team India: Prof. Devesh Walla (Mentor), Charuvrat Bains, Priyanshi Ghangas, Prof. Hema Achyuthan (Mentor & Team leader), Rayansh Gupta, Apam Nidhi Pandey and Dr. Jagvir Singh (Observer)

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Last date for Centre Registration - 05.01.2026; Student Registration - 05.01.2026.