



THE INTERNATIONAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

OLYMPIAD 2026

Organized by E-Cell, IIT Bombay

ABOUT E-CELL, IIT BOMBAY

E-Cell stands for the Entrepreneurship Cell of the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay. We are a completely student-run non-profit organization. In 27 years, we have become Asia's Largest student-run entrepreneurship promoting organization.

Our main aim is to cultivate the spirit of entrepreneurship across the country and to help enthusiasts grow their idea. We conduct multiple competitions and initiatives that cater to every category of the entrepreneurship community.

ABOUT IEntO

IEntO is India's **first offline International Entrepreneurship Olympiad** for school students (classes 6–12). It provides a dynamic platform to nurture **leadership, business acumen, and entrepreneurial skills** in young minds, positioning entrepreneurship as a **rewarding career** through competitive collaboration.

KEY FEATURES



Offline
National-Level
Olympiad



Entrepreneurship-
Focused
Learning



Business &
Innovation
Exposure



Entrepreneurial
Mindset
Development



Nationwide
Student
Participation

OLYMPIAD PAPER STRUCTURE



DURATION
1 HOUR



TOTAL QUESTIONS
50 MCQS

SECTION BREAKDOWN

10

MENTAL ABILITY

Logical reasoning, patterns, and analytical thinking skills

5

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Current affairs, business awareness, and general aptitude

30

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Business concepts, innovation, and entrepreneurial thinking

5

HOTS

High Order Thinking Skills with complex problem-solving scenarios



All questions are multiple-choice format with equal weightage across sections

OLYMPIAD OVERVIEW

Everything you need to know about IEntO 2026



ELIGIBILITY

Open to Students of **Classes 6–12.**



COMPETITION CATEGORIES

CATEGORY I

Classes **6–8**

CATEGORY II

Classes **9–12**

COMPETITION FORMAT



ROUND 1 – SCHOOL LEVEL ROUND

Exam Dates: 25 September 2026 or 6 October 2026

- Conducted within participating schools.
- Students appear for the Olympiad at their own school.
- Top-performing students from each category qualify for the **Finals.**



ROUND 2 – GRAND FINALE

**During E-Summit 2026
(2nd Week of December)**

- Conducted at IIT Bombay.
- Qualified students compete in the Final Round.
- National winners are announced and recognized at **E-Summit.**



EXAM DATES (SCHOOL LEVEL)

25 Sep 2026 or 6 Oct 2026



CONDUCTED IN SCHOOLS

Round 1



FINALS AT IIT BOMBAY

2nd Week of December 2026



OPEN TO STUDENTS

Classes 6–12

HOW TO REGISTER (FOR SCHOOLS)

Follow these simple steps to complete your school registration and confirm participation in IEntO 2026.



MINIMUM REQUIREMENT: Schools must have a minimum of **40 students** to conduct the exam.



1

REGISTER YOUR SCHOOL

Create your school's profile on the IEntO portal and nominate a School Coordinator.



2

UPLOAD STUDENT LIST

Upload the details of students (**Classes 6–12**) who wish to participate using the provided CSV template.



3

SELECT EXAMINATION DATE

Choose any one examination date as per your convenience:



25 SEPTEMBER 2026

OR



6 OCTOBER 2026



4

CHOOSE PHYSICAL QUESTION BOOKLETS

Select the number of printed question booklets required for your registered students.



5

COMPLETE PAYMENT

Make the payment through the portal to confirm your school's participation.



Once your payment is confirmed, our team will **check and verify** it and you will be **informed**.



GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOLS

Schools participating in IEntO must ensure smooth coordination, fair participation, and proper student management throughout the olympiad process.



SCHOOL COORDINATOR

Each participating school must appoint one official coordinator for communication and operational management.



INFRASTRUCTURE & SUPERVISION

Schools should ensure proper classroom infrastructure, seating arrangements, and supervision during the olympiad.



EXAMINATION GUIDELINES

All examination instructions and participation guidelines shared by IEntO must be followed.



FAIR CONDUCT

Schools must ensure fair examination practices and maintain discipline throughout the olympiad process.



STUDENT COORDINATION

Schools are responsible for assisting students with updates, communication, and participation-related support.

VENUE PARTNERSHIP & PARTICIPATION NETWORK (OPTIONAL)

This year, schools can become official IEntO Exam Centres, enabling students from nearby schools and cities to participate through their selected venue.



COMPLETELY OPTIONAL

Venue partnership is **completely optional**. Schools can still **conduct the exam for their own students in the school** even if they do not become an official IEntO Exam Centre.

HOW IT WORKS

1



Schools register on the portal.

2



Schools can apply to become official IEntO Exam Centres.

3



After approval, students select your school as their preferred venue during registration.

On exam day, students come to your school, show their exam proof and give the exam.

No logistics responsibility for the school.

4



Students receive venue details and confirmation after payment.



To make your school an IEntO Exam Centre, please contact us:



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HOW TO REGISTER (FOR STUDENTS)

THIS IS **ONLY FOR STUDENTS** WHOSE SCHOOLS ARE **NOT PARTICIPATING** IN IEntO 2026.



1

REGISTER AS A STUDENT

Create your student account on the IEntO portal using a valid email ID and mobile number.



2

SELECT YOUR EXAM CITY

Choose your preferred exam city from the available list.



3

CHOOSE PRINTED QUESTION BOOKLET (OPTIONAL)

Select if you want a printed question booklet. Printed booklets will be delivered to your address.



4

COMPLETE PAYMENT

Make the payment through the secure portal to confirm your registration.



5

REGISTRATION CONFIRMED

Once your payment is confirmed, your registration will be successful.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION



EXAM DATES & TIMING

The exam dates and timing will be **informed 1 month before the exam.**



EXAM CITY NOT AVAILABLE?

If your preferred exam city is not available, please contact your school and request them to conduct the exam at your location. Schools can Register (For Schools) by meeting the minimum requirement of **40 students.**



IMPORTANT WARNING

STUDENTS WHOSE SCHOOLS ARE CONDUCTING IEntO 2026 ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE INDIVIDUALLY.

Such registrations will be cancelled.



IMPORTANT: THIS REGISTRATION IS ONLY FOR STUDENTS WHOSE SCHOOLS ARE **NOT PARTICIPATING** IN IEntO 2026.

STUDENT INCENTIVES

Participating in IEntO comes with exciting opportunities, rewards, and national-level recognition designed to encourage entrepreneurial thinking among students.

BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS



Certificates for All Participants



Cash Prizes for Top Rankers



National Rank **Recognition**



Entrepreneurial **Learning Resources**



Networking Opportunities



Mentorship & Exposure



INCENTIVES WORTH ₹10 LAKHS+



VOUCHERS, COURSES & SUBSCRIPTIONS WORTH ₹10 LAKHS+

Participants will receive exciting vouchers, online courses, subscriptions, tools, and other rewards worth over INR 10 Lakhs.



E-SUMMIT PASSES

Top-performing students will receive complimentary passes to attend E-Summit IIT Bombay, Asia's largest student-run entrepreneurship summit.



MEDIA RECOGNITION

Top achievers and participating schools may get featured across digital news channels and media platforms.

SCHOOL INCENTIVES

Participating schools receive exclusive benefits that strengthen entrepreneurial learning and create long-term impact.

BENEFITS FOR SCHOOLS



STUDENT PERFORMANCE INSIGHTS

Schools receive detailed performance analytics and actionable insights to track progress, identify strengths, and improve learning outcomes.



ENTREPRENEURSHIP LEARNING RESOURCES

Access curated entrepreneurship resources, teaching modules, and classroom materials to build an innovation-driven learning environment.



FUTURE COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunity to collaborate with E-Cell IIT Bombay on workshops, mentorship programs, student initiatives, and institutional activities.

EXCLUSIVE INCENTIVES



SCHOOLS GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME AN IEntO EXAM CENTRE

Eligible schools will be considered to host IEntO Exam Centres, enabling greater participation and recognition within their region.



EXCLUSIVE INVITATIONS

Schools will receive exclusive invitations to E-Cell IIT Bombay events, conferences, summits, and entrepreneurship programs.



CERTIFICATES FOR COORDINATORS

School coordinators will be awarded certificates of appreciation in recognition of their efforts in encouraging and guiding student participation.

CONTACT & REGISTRATION

We're here to help you every step of the way. Get in touch or follow the simple steps to register.



GENERAL QUERIES

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HOW TO REGISTER



SCHOOL REGISTRATION

1



Complete School Registration

2



Upload Student Details via CSV

3



Complete Bulk Payment

4



Apply for Exam Centre
(Optional)



STUDENT REGISTRATION

1



Complete Student Registration

2



Select Preferred Venue

3



Complete Payment

4



Receive Confirmation & Venue Details



READY TO INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF **ENTREPRENEURS?**