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The International Award for Young People, India wishes all our readers joy and good health!



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Events in Focus

Gold Award Ceremony

Date- April 10th, 2025

Time- 10:00 AM onwards

Venue- Kamla Devi Auditorium, India International Centre, New Delhi

Document Submission Deadline: 25th February 2025

Eligible participants are requested to submit their documents by 25th February 2025 to be considered for the Award Ceremony.

National Award Leader Training Workshop - Bengaluru, Karnataka

Date: (2 days) 25th and 26th March 2025

Venue: The Woodrose, Brigade Millennium Campus, 7th Phase, J.P.Nagar,

Bengaluru -560078

Registrations Closed

National Award Leader Training Workshop - New Delhi

Date: (2 days) 24th and 25th April, 2025

Venue: Maple Hall: Habitat World at India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi –

110003, Entry Gate: (Gate No: 3 on Vardhaman Marg)

Registrations Closed

Award Leaders Meet - Bengaluru - 27th March 2025

The International Award for Young People (IAYP) would like to invite all Award Leaders for an exciting **Award Leaders Meet in Bengaluru.**

Hosted by the National Award Office, this event will provide a platform for insightful discussions on key topics such as the Online Record Book (ORB) and Adventure Journey among other things.

Date: 27th March 2025

Time: 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM IST

Venue: The Woodrose, Brigade Millennium Campus, J. P. Nagar, 7th Phase,

Bangalore - 560078

Registration Form for RSVP: https://forms.gle/9PtRyRnE76539vEy5

This meeting offers an invaluable opportunity for award leaders to connect with peers, share best practices, and address any uncertainties they may have regarding running of The Award Programme.

The invitation to this meeting is complimentary from the NAO and only requires prior registration. No registration costs involved.

Important Update on the Adventurous Journey Section as part of The Award Programme

We are excited to announce a flexibility to the Adventure Journey requirements:

- -Bronze Level: The Practice Adventure Journey can be waived if the NAO considers that adequate preliminary training is done, and the requirements of the Adventurous Journey. This adjustment is aimed at making the Award Programme more accessible and encouraging wider participation at the introductory level.
- -Silver & Gold Levels: The Practice Adventure Journey remains a mandatory component. Participants at these levels are required to complete The Preliminary Training, the Practice Journey and the Qualifying Journeys to meet the programme's standards.

This change allows participants to focus on enjoying the experience of self discovery from the Adventure Journey experience at Bronze while maintaining the rigor and leadership development elements at Silver and Gold levels.

For any clarification/assistance, please contact the programme team.

The Award in Action - JP International School, Greater Noida

Volunteering for environmental causes isn't just about planting trees or cleaning beaches; it's about fostering a profound shift in consciousness. Through promoting environmental sustainability across the world, I came to conclude that we can educate communities about sustainable practices, from reducing waste and conserving water to adopting renewable energy sources by which we contribute to a healthier planet, leaving a legacy of sustainability for future generations. I'm immensely grateful to The International Award for Young People (IAYP) for enabling me to select "promoting environmental sustainability" as one of my activities. Through this I came to know about the importance of ecosystems and learnt to work in unity. IAYP 's recognition of voluntary service highlights the concern and importance of the whole ecosystem.

I highly appreciate the support and encouragement provided by IAYP in my voluntary service endeavours and I am deeply thankful to The Award Programme for enabling me to embark on this fulfilling journey of self-discovery through my voluntary services.

-Report by Mansi Singh, Silver level, JP International School, Greater Noida





Reflections on Meeting HRH Prince Edward: IAYP Participants Share Their Experiences!



Meeting HRH Prince Edward was an absolutely amazing experience. I was understandably nervous beforehand, but his humble and approachable nature quickly put me at ease. The encounter was truly inspiring, and I learned a great deal

about humility and what it means to be a future leader. It's an experience I won't soon forget.

- Adi Bargaje, Bronze Award Participant, MET Rishikul Vidyalaya, Mumbai

I was privileged and honored to have the opportunity to meet His Royal Highness Prince Edward. It was an unforgettable experience to engage with someone of such distinction. Despite his position, he was incredibly down-to-earth and approachable. His passion for youth development, especially through The International Award for Young People (IAYP), was truly inspiring. It was a humbling experience to discuss the impact of The Award on us and to hear his insights.

- Soumya Deshmukh, Gold Award Participant, MET Rishikul Vidyalaya, Mumbai



Adults in the Award Satisfaction Survey

Are you an Award Leader, AJ Assessor/Supervisor, or an adult supporting the delivery of The Award Programme? If yes, we'd love to hear your thoughts! The Adults in the Award Satisfaction Survey is open until June 2025, and your feedback will guide improvements to The Award Programme.

Share your insights today: Adults in the Award Satisfaction Survey 2025

Participant Satisfaction Survey

We value your feedback! If you're about to complete or have recently completed a level of The Award, please take a moment to share your experience through the Participant Satisfaction Survey. Your insights will help us enhance the Award journey for future participants.

Access the survey here: Participant Satisfaction Survey 2025

Photo Gallery

Student Orientation at Ram Ratna Vidya Mandir, Maharashtra









Visit and interaction with Award participants from IDEA Foundation





Student Orientation at Universal High School, Thane



Visit to MET Rishikul Vidyalaya, Mumbai - 12th March, 2025

On 12th March, MET Rishikul Vidyalaya Mumbai welcomed Mr. Bivujit Mukhoty, Programme Manager, and Mrs. Kavita Patil, Programme Officer - West, for an engaging visit with the Principal, Award participants, and Award Coordinators, celebrating the spirit of the Award programme!



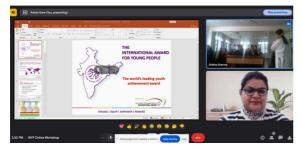








Online Orientation for The Lawrence School, Sanawar - 7th March, 2025





Share Your Award Journey and Inspire Others!

The International Award for Young People, India is excited to invite all Award Participants and Leaders to share their extraordinary Award journeys. We want to hear your stories of determination, growth, and personal triumphs!

Whether you're starting or have completed it The Award, your story matters! It will be featured in **The Award Weekly** and our social media handles, inspiring others. Share your story at **askme@dofe.in** with your name, institution, Award level, and completion date. Let's celebrate personal growth and perseverance together!

Let your story be the guiding light that inspires others to overcome challenges and strive for greatness. Your voice matters, and we can't wait to celebrate your achievements!

Note - Please share the appropriate consent form for any media along with your submission to NAO: IAYP Consent Form for Media



The International Award for Young People is presently working with Cambridge Assessment International Education in providing new ways to broaden the curriculum in the education world in India. Both our organisations believe that learning should not be confined to the classroom, but should also take place in the school environment and wider community.

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