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The International Award for Young People, India wishes all our readers joy, good health and greetings for International Women's Day!



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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.

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

National Award Leader Training Workshop - Pune

Date: (2 days) 18th and 19th March, 2025

Venue: Lemon Tree Hotel, Viman Nagar, Pune, Maharashtra - 411014, India

Registrations Closed

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 - CS Academy, Coimbatore

My Transformative Journey with IAYP

Participating in the IAYP Bronze Award has been a transformative and enriching experience. The journey began with setting ambitious goals across four key areas: voluntary service, skills, physical recreation, and an adventurous journey. Each component challenged me in unique ways, fostering my personal growth and development.

In the service aspect, I dedicated my efforts to environmental volunteering, focusing on initiatives that reduce waste and promoted recycling. This not only allowed me to make a positive impact in my community but also deepened my understanding of sustainability and our responsibility towards the planet.

For the skills section, I trained in Adimurai, a martial art that sharpened my abilities

while enhancing my concentration and mental discipline.

In physical recreation, I embraced cricket, an engaging sport that improved my fitness and instilled vital lessons in teamwork and resilience.

The highlight of my journey was undoubtedly the adventurous journey. I joined a group of fellow Award participants for a camping expedition where we explored nature, prepared our meals, and worked collaboratively as a team. This experience pushed my limits, testing my endurance, leadership, and problem-solving skills in thrilling ways.

Reflecting on my journey, the IAYP Bronze Award has fundamentally shaped me into a more responsible, disciplined, and confident individual. It has encouraged me to step out of my comfort zone and confront challenges head-on. Through this program, I've learned the significance of perseverance and how even the smallest efforts can lead to substantial achievements. Completing the award has been an incredibly rewarding experience, and I am eager to continue my personal growth through the next levels of this remarkable program.

-Report by Thejasvin VB, Bronze level, CS Academy, Coimbatore



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



Some experiences leave a lasting imprint, shaping the way we grow and lead. The International Award for Young People (IAYP) event, held on February 3, 2025, at The British School, New Delhi, was one such an experience for four Award participants of The Scindia School—Yuvraj Sethia, Ayaan Agarwal, Swarit Varshney, and Rudransh Agarwal—who were accompanied by their escort teacher, Mr. Abhinav Anshu.

With over 15 schools from across India in attendance, the event provided an unparalleled platform for young leaders to showcase their journeys of perseverance, skill-building, and community service. A defining highlight of the occasion was the presence of His Royal Highness, Prince Edward, Duke of Edinburgh, who engaged with students, offering them a unique opportunity to share their experiences and aspirations.

The Scindia School delegation was given a dedicated stall to showcase their journey with IAYP. The exhibit featured a thoughtfully curated collection of photographs, testimonials, and experiences, highlighting the program's core pillars—physical recreation, voluntary service, adventure, and skill development.

Beyond their presentation, our young people had the opportunity to engage with peers from diverse schools, exchanging ideas and insights. These interactions broadened their understanding of the program's impact and reinforced the value of experiential learning.

A defining moment of the event was the interaction with Prince Edward. His genuine interest in the students' experiences and insightful discussion on their personal growth left a lasting impression. The students had the rare privilege of sharing their achievements, challenges, and aspirations with him, making the event a truly memorable milestone.

Participating in the IAYP event at The British School was an enriching experience for The Scindia School delegation. It strengthened their commitment to the program's values and inspired them to pursue greater excellence. The event underscored the power of experiential learning, collaboration, and global engagement in shaping the leaders of tomorrow.

- Report by delegation from **The Scindia School**



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

Award Leader Training Workshop - For all branches of City Montessori Schools Lucknow - 6th to 7th February



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](#)



Cambridge Assessment International Education

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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