



INTERNATIONAL INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL – RIYADH

Registration for the 6th Annual Sastra Pratibha Contest (SPC 2024)

Grades V to XII

23 October 2024

REF: IIPS/PRL/24-25/91

Dear Parents & Students,

We are pleased to inform you that the registration for the 6th Annual Sastra Pratibha Contest (SPC 2024) has commenced. This prestigious contest, organized by the Science India Forum (KSA), is designed to promote scientific talent and is open to students from Grade V to XII.

Eligibility: Students from Grade V to XII (2024-25 academic year).

Categories: (as per Academic year 2024-25)

- Sub-Junior: Grade V to VII
- Junior: Grade VIII to X
- Senior: Grade XI & XII

Date of Contest:

- 1st stage Elementary : Friday, 15th November, 2024.
- 2nd stage Intermediate : Friday, 29th November 2024.
- Final stage Advance : Friday, 13th December, 2024.

Contest Format:

Level 1 & 2: Online MCQ-based examination

Level 3: Presentation & viva-voce via Zoom for qualified students

Registration Fee: None (free for all students)

Platforms Supported: Chrome, Edge, Safari, Opera, Firefox (Windows/Mac OS laptops, desktops, tablets)

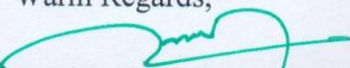
To encourage more students to participate, the registration fee has been waived this year. We believe this will make the contest accessible to a larger number of students, allowing them to explore their scientific aptitude and achieve the Sastra Pratibha title.

For registration, further details, guidelines, and study materials, please visit the Science India Forum website: www.sifksa.com.

We encourage all interested students to take advantage of this opportunity and register for the contest.

Best of luck!

Warm Regards,


Santhosh V Prabhakaran
Interim Principal





SPC - 2024

SASTRA PRATIBHA

CONTEST

Organized by
SCIENCE INDIA FORUM (KSA)

For Registration and to download additional
Study materials, Please visit:

WWW.SIFKSA.COM

For SPC mock test and other updates please join
"SCIENCE INDIA FORUM" Telegram Channel.

NO
REGISTRATION FEE
THIS YEAR

REGISTER NOW!!

OPEN UNTIL
NOVEMBER
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Why should i register for *Sastra Pratibha* exams ?

9 Reasons

1. I will be part of the largest and most prestigious science talent exam in India and GCC
2. Will Help me to Identify my talents and get recognised
3. SPC will prepare me for future competitive exams and careers
4. Will Enhance my Critical Thinking
5. I will gain Knowledge on Indian Scientific heritage
6. SPC will Boost my Academic Skills
7. For winners -exclusive Opportunity to Meet and interact with renowned Scientists
8. For winners -Exclusive access to Premium Research Institutions in India
9. I can register for Free





SCIENCE INDIA FORUM - KSA

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ABOUT

Science India Forum (SIF), KSA, an initiative of National Science Movement of India. Formed in 2015 by a group of dedicated professionals from the fields of education, science & technology having chapters in all regions in KSA.

VISION

Encourage students to use science as a tool to resolve national problems & fulfil the vision of India.
Motivate young generations to take up science as a career.
Impart moral values alongside scientific knowledge & build a robust rational society.
Introduce India's rich scientific heritage to the youth to kindle scientific temperament within them.

ABOUT

Sastra Prathibha Contest (SPC) is a national science talent search contest for students studying in KSA in collaboration with NCERT, Ministry of Education, Government of India and in association with Department of Science & Technology, Government of India.

OBJECTIVES

To acquaint with India's contributions to the world of science & technology in a traditional & modern format.
To popularise science among V to XII grade students of Indian curriculum.
To enhance science learning experience by imparting hands on training through workshops and seminars.
To identify & nurture bright minds to pursue science related subjects in higher studies.

SPC 2024

SPC-2024 contest will be conducted through a "web-based app" supported by Chrome, Edge, Safari, Opera & Firefox browsers recommended to operate through Windows / Mac OS based laptop / desktop / tablets.
SPC-2024 is a three (3) levels contest to select Sastra Prathibhas. Level-1 is an online MCQ exam. Level -2: Shortlisted candidates proceed to a rapid-fire oral round on Zoom, where they have 3 minutes to answer as many questions as possible. Level-3: Finalists from the previous levels participate in a viva-voce held via Zoom platform

REWARDS

SPC-2024 is a three stages contest as elaborated below :-
Elementary is the 1st stage home based MCQ type online examination to qualify to **Intermediate** Level.
Intermediate is the 2nd stage home based MCQ type online examination to qualify to **Advance** Level.
Advance is the last stage of contest to select **Sastra Prathibhas** through a viva-voce on the Zoom platform.
Sastra Prathibhas will be felicitated in an award ceremony.

CATEGORY

- Students participating in SPC-2024 are categorised as follows :-
1. **Sub-junior** - Students studying from V to VII grade are eligible for this category.
 2. **Junior** - Students studying from VIII to X grade are eligible for this category.
 3. **Senior** - Students studying from XI- XII grade are eligible for this category.

Fee - No registration fee



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E L I G I B I L I T Y	<p>Eligibility :- Students of grade V to XII studying in KSA having a valid Iqama following CBSE curriculum are eligible for the SPC-2024 contest.</p> <p>Syllabus :- Syllabus of SPC-2024 consists of curriculum followed in the school at the respective grade & the study material prescribed by SIF which will be available for downloading upon registration.</p> <p>SIF study materials for 2024 includes : a) Indian Contributions to Science , b) Ancient Arabian Scientists & c) Onto a Rocket Ship - Sunil Suresh d) CBSE portion of maths and science</p>
	<p>For Sub Junior category the syllabus will be from a) Indian Contribution to Science-chapters 1 to 14, b) Arab Contribution to science & c) On to a Rocket Ship- Sunil Suresh, d) CBSE portion of maths and science</p>
	<p>For Junior and Senior category the full syllabus which includes a) Indian Contributions to Science-Full chapters , b) Ancient Arabian Scientists & c) Onto a Rocket Ship - Sunil Suresh, d) CBSE portion of maths and science</p>

R E G I S T R A T I O N	<p>SPC-2024 registration is open until Sunday, 10 November, 2024. To register, visit our website: https://www.sifksa.com</p> <p>Schedule of SPC-2024</p> <p>1st stage Elementary : Friday, 15th November, 2024.</p> <p>2nd stage Intermediate : Friday, 29th November 2024.</p> <p>Final stage Advance : Friday, 13th December, 2024.</p>

S U P P O R T	<p>At SIF, we are committed to extend untiring support to resolve any queries regards to SPC-2024.</p> <p>A dedicated Task Force Team is formed having representation from all the Regions to smoothen the participation in the contest and extend support to resolve all queries during the contest period.</p>

REGISTRATION GUIDELINES FOR SPC 2024

- ** It is recommended that the student fills registration form under the supervision of the parents using laptop/desktop.
- ** Kindly read following instructions before starting the registration.
- ** Ensure name is correctly spelled as it is going to appear in the certificates.
- ** Ensure Iqama number are filled up correctly as they are non-editable fields.
- ** Password should be alpha-numeric 6-8 characters with no special characters.
- ** Save the user id and password for future actions & reference.
- ** The region is where your school is located and not where you reside.
- ** Choose the correct school name from the drop down list after choosing your region.
- ** If your school name is missing in school drop list then use "others".
- ** Category of student will be automatically decided depending on the grade.
- ** Division/Section is two character long. You can enter single character or two characters.
- ** Do correctly spell name of the parents/guardian & ensure entered mobile nos and email ids are operative.
- ** OTP will be sent to both the email ids of parent & child (if entered). Enter the correct OTP for submission.
- ** Do read & accept SIF terms & conditions & privacy policy before submitting the registration form.
- ** Registration is completed when an email is received mentioning username & password for the SPC web application.
- ** Edit profile is not allowed once registration is completed.
- ** Mock test may be conducted before the Elementary level to familiarise with examination interface.

SPC 2024 TASK FORCE TEAM

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!! SIF is looking forward to an overwhelming participation in the SPC-2024 Contest !!

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Best regards - Coordinator, SPC-2024, SIF, KSA

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Disclaimer : This manual is made with utmost care & concern to facilitate smooth participation in the contest. SIF is entitled to make any amendments and or can withdraw the manual in full , if warranted, without any prior notice.

It is advisable to contact SIF representative for the latest updates. Result of the contest is binding on all the contestants & is not open for any review or representations.