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Stage III to V of Indian National Junior Science Olympiad (INAO)

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Stage III: Orientation Cum Selection Camp (OCSC) in Junior Science

OCSC in Junior Science is organized by HBCSE every year tentatively in April to June 2013 for couple of weeks. The final dates and schedule is announced either before or with the display of the selection list for the OCSC.

Eligibility for OCSC: Students who have cleared Stage II (INJSO) are only eligible for the camp. There is no other way through which you can get into the camp.

The camps involve thorough understanding of topics through theoretical as well as practical i.e.. . Experimental tests and lectures. At the beginning of the function, orientation is provided to students while the programme ends with a valedictory function where distinguished scientists are invited to speak to the students.

The students are ranked on the basis of the total scores achieved in all the tests in the camp. For this ranking, 60 % weightage is given to theoretical tests and 40 % weightage is given to experiments. Performance in previous stages (NSEJS and INJSO) are not considered for the preparation of the merit list and awards of the OCSC chemistry.

The top 6 in the OCSC Junior Science merit list will be special merit awardees. The selected students will be awarded with a special merit award of ₹ 5,000 each in the form of books and cash.

The 12 special merit awardees in Junior Science will form 6 member student teams for the International Junior Science Olympiad (IJSO) only if they satisfy the eligibility criteria of age, Class, holding valid Indian passport, medical fitness, parental consent, etc. Apart from selection to the Indian teams, the selected students will be awarded with a special merit award of ₹ 5,000 each in the form of books and cash.

Stage IV: Pre-Departure Training (PDT) Camps for IJSO

The 2 selected Indian team will undergo a rigorous training programme at HBCSE in theory and experiment. Trained personnels and eminent personalities will be faculties to train the team of students. The duration of training will be subject to IChO regulations.

Stage V: Participation in IJSO

The 12 student member team (two six member teams) and 3 teacher leaders will constitute the delegation to represent India at the International Junior Science Olympiad (IJSO) 2013.

