



National Genius Search Examination® National Genius Awards – 2026

NGSE APPLICATION PROCEDURE *for Schools to Enroll Students*

✿National Genius Search Examination®

The National Genius Search Examination® (NGSE) is a scientifically devised assessment tool to locate genius among children. It is an innovative approach for accelerated learning, developed more than 21 years of rigorous research and adaptability tests. NGSE leads to the prestigious National Genius Awards Class wise with Prize Money.

NGSE focuses on assessment for learning. It uses 'Own the Ownership of Learning Concept' (OOL Concept) to develop questions. These Questions brings in the required interest among students to take up the ownership of learning. This approach ensures maximum learning in optimal time with deeper understanding and conceptual clarity. The multi tasked Enhanced MCQs (EMCQs) of NGSE improves rapid decision making skills in daily life.

The National Genius Search Examination® 2026 (NGSE) is offered to the students of Class IV to IX in India and schools following Indian curriculum abroad. NGSE will be held in two Phases:

Phase-I: NGSE Mains 2026 will be held on Thursday, 27th November, 2025 and on Tuesday, 27th January, 2026. Schools have the option to select a date from the given dates at their convenience.

Phase-II: NGSE Advanced will be held at the selected Centers across India & Abroad normally, but NGSE Advanced 2026 (Subjective paper) will be held on 24th February 2026 at the school itself for all the

participants. Subjective paper evaluation will only consider those who have selected for the NGSE Advanced (Phase-II).

✿Syllabus/Sample Questions

Syllabus of NGSE for each class/grade (equivalent) can be downloaded from the download section of the website: www.ngsfindia.org/downloads.php

NGSE questions are mainly based on daily life experiences. Success depends on answering them by grasping the underlying concepts. The questions do not follow a fixed structure or pattern. Students are advised to comprehend instructions for each question before they attempt to answer them.

✿Phase-I: NGSE Mains 2026

NGSE Mains is a single test comprises of Multiple Choice Questions with one or more right option, a series of right combinations and matching etc. to be answered in 90 minutes.

Mathematics & Science of the respective class are the major components of NGSE. It also includes Questions from the topics studied in the previous classes. A few General Knowledge questions related to scientific aspects too.

Marking the answers for NGSE Mains:

Students will be given Student Response Sheet (SRS) – OMR Sheets wherein the right answers are to be marked by darkening the circles using **BLACK PEN**. Answers once marked cannot be changed and not allowed to use the eraser or white ink. Such corrections if any will be treated as wrong answers.

✿Selection Criteria for NGSE Advanced

To qualify for the NGSE Advanced Examination, a student under:

1. National Quota: Should fall in the topmost 10% of all the participants those who took the NGSE Mains; based on their relative performance and cut-off marks, across India & Abroad. OR
2. School Quota: He/she should fall in top 5% of the participants from his/her school, (excluding those who qualified from the school under National Quota) to be eligible under the school quota provided he/she scores 70 Percentile (cut off) and above at the National Level.

✿Phase-II: NGSE Advanced 2026

NGSE Advanced is a written examination of a few descriptive questions with sub-questions to be answered in 90 minutes.

Important: The instructions for the NGSE Advanced may vary from class to class. Students are advised to read and follow the instructions given in the question booklets carefully before answering the questions.

The venue and evaluation method for NGSE Advanced will be decided by the NGSF Evaluation Council, and their decision will be final.

All the 100 Percentile scorers of NGSE Advanced will be conferred with the prestigious NGSF **National Genius Award and Prize Money** (NGSF Council will decide the Prize money in each year).

✿ National Percentile Score - NPS

The students scoring 60 Percentile & above in NGSE Mains shall be awarded Certificate of Excellence with National Percentile Score (NPS). This benchmark student's caliber among his/her peers across India & Abroad.

✿Unique Lifelong Enrollment Number

Enrollment numbers are allotted to all the participating students through the participating schools. NGSE enrollment numbers once allotted (during any of the previous years) will remain the same for their life time. Change of school in India or Abroad won't change the Enrollment number.

✿Admit Cards

Admit Cards are issued to the candidates through the school. Admit Cards along with the school identity card acts as the proof of

identity. Candidates can collect their Admit Card & Enrollment No. from their schools. These Admit Cards are to be returned along with the Answer Sheets. Students should keep a photocopy of the Admit Card for their reference and to have their enrollment number handy with them. Please remember that the enrollment number once allotted that won't change year after year. Students need to use the same enrollment number when they write NGSE in the following years.

✿Venue of NGSE

Though there is a minimum 100 student registrations required for the School to be a Center, all the participating Schools will be the host for NGSE 2026 (Mains & Adv).

✿ School Consent Form

All participating schools need to fill the SCHOOL CONSENT FORM.

✿How Schools register their students for NGSE 2026

✿Confirm your Participation First

You are requested to confirm your school's participation (minimum 25 registrations) for NGSE-2026 by sending an email to ngse@ngsfindia.org immediately and get the NGSF School Code for the registration.

STEP-I: Collection of Registration Fee from students:

NGSE Examination Fee details are given:

Particulars	Fee per student in India	Fee per student in Abroad
NGSE FEE to be collected from students	Rs. 650	Rs. 990
Portion of the Fee retained by Schools towards administration & printing expenses	Rs. 160	Rs. 200
Balance Fee to be remitted by the school per student	Rs. 490	Rs. 790

Note: The school has to print the Question Booklets sent through email as password protected PDF files. Schools should meet the administration charges from the portion of the fee retained by the school at the time of registration.

STEP-II: Complete the Student Participation List (SPL)

Complete the SPL with students' details. It can be downloaded from the Download section of the website.

STEP-III: Remit the Fee Collected

Out of the fee collected, the school should retain the test administration expenses for the school as mentioned above. Remit the balance fee to the account of the NGSE Administering Agency – VINLIZ PRIVATE LIMITED either by:

1. cash deposit in the account of NGSE administering agency at any of the Indian Bank branches across India. OR
2. NEFT/RTGS/SWIFT/NetBanking-any sort of Online transfer to the NGSE administering agency.

Bank Details-NGSE Administering Agency

Name: VINLIZ PRIVATE LIMITED

Account Number: 6527307930

Name of the Bank: INDIAN BANK,
NEW PANVEL BRANCH

IFSC: IDIB000N120

SWIFT Code: IDIBINBBTSY

STEP-IV: Forward the SPL & Fee

The docs to be emailed by mentioning the NGSE School Code in the subject line to ngse@ngsfindia.org & a copy to ngsfindia@gmail.com

- 1) Duly filled-in Signed & Sealed School Consent Form SPL-2026 (scanned copy)
- 2) Soft copy of SPL in Excel format(not an image File) is also required to generate Roll Nos.
- 3) Scanned copy of Fee paid receipt.

Once we receive the docs, we will acknowledge the receipt of the same and thereafter, provide the Student Enrollment Numbers. **Note:** The application without all these three will be considered as incomplete and shall not be processed further.

Key Dates

Description	Key Dates
CLOSING DATE (ABROAD) For Test on Thu, 27 th Nov 2025	Wednesday, 10 th September 2025
CLOSING DATE (ABROAD) For Test on Tue, 27 th Jan 2026	Friday, 10 th October 2025
CLOSING DATE (INDIA) For Test on Thu, 27 th Nov 2025	Wednesday, 10 th September 2025
CLOSING DATE (INDIA) For Test on Tue, 27 th Jan 2026	Friday, 10 th October 2025
Final Test: NGSE Advanced 2026	Tue, 24 th Feb 2026
Phase-I: NGSE Mains Results	Tue, 14 th April 2026
Phase-II: NGSE Advanced Results	Tue, 14 th July 2026

Results & Awards

(1) National Genius Awards

All the class wise 100 Percentile Scorers of NGSE Advanced are awarded with National Genius Award for the year. They will be conferred with Trophy and Prize Money.

(2) Certificates, Trophies and Prize Money for NGSE Advanced

The NGSE Advanced takers will be awarded as follows:

- (1) All the class wise 100 Percentile Scorers of NGSE Advanced are awarded with National Genius Award for the year. They will be conferred with Trophy and Prize Money.
- (2) Those who have scored 70 Percentile and above in NGSE Advanced will get Certificate of Merit for NGSE Advanced with their percentile score.
- (3) All other Participants of NGSE Advanced will get Certificate of Participation for the Advanced Test.

(3) Certificates & Medals for NGSE Mains

- (1) Students who have scored 100 Percentile in NGSE Mains are honoured with Memento, Medals & Certificate of Excellence with their score.
- (2) Students who have scored 90 Percentile or above in NGSE Mains are honoured with Medals & Certificate of Excellence with their score.
- (3) Students who have scored 60 Percentile or above in NGSE Mains are honoured with Certificate of Excellence with their score.

NGSE Contacts

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NGSE – 2026

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NGSE Telephone: (91) 8692030479 (in case of emergency)

Email: ngse@ngsfindia.org (for specific enquiries regarding National Genius Search Examination®).

NOTE: Email enquiries are preferable; all the emails are replied on the same/the next day.