



# **National Genius Search Examination® National Genius Awards – 2019**

## **NGSE APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

### *for Schools to Enroll Students*

#### **✿National Genius Search Examination®**

The National Genius Search Examination® 2019 (NGSE) is a scientifically devised assessment tool to locate genius among children. It is an innovative approach for accelerated learning, developed more than 14 years of rigorous research and adaptability tests. The NGSE leads to the prestigious National Genius Awards Class wise.

The 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® 2019 (NGSE) is offered to the students of Class IV to XII in India and schools following Indian curriculum abroad. NGSE will be held in two Phases:

**Phase-I:** NGSE Mains 2019 will be held on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2018 and on Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2018. Schools can choose a date as per their convenience.

**Phase-II:** NGSE Advanced 2019, will be held at selected Centers across India and Abroad on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019 for those who have cleared the NGSE Mains (Phase-I test).

#### **✿Syllabus of NGSE 2019**

**For Class IV–X:** The NGSE for Class IV to X are drawn from Mathematics and Science of the respective class. It also includes a few questions on General Knowledge related to scientific aspects.

**For Class XI & XII :** Students in Class XI & XII can choose any two subjects from Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Biology, Economics, Business Studies and Accountancy for the NGSE.

#### **✿Download 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](http://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. The NGSE Mains may have negative marking too.

#### **✿Phase-I: NGSE Mains 2019**

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 and Science are the major components of NGSE up to Class X. There will be a few applications oriented General Knowledge questions too. See the detailed syllabus under downloads section of the website for more details.

### **Marking the answers for NGSE Mains:**

Students will be given Student Response Sheet (SRS) 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.

For example, if 120 students participate for NGSE Mains (across all classes) from your school and if 20 students qualify for Phase-II under National Quota, a minimum of 5 students (5% of 100) will be selected for NGSE Advanced Examination under the school quota.

Usually, the 5% students will be selected based on the proximity to 10% (National Merit) cut-off.

### **Phase-II: NGSE Advanced 2019**

NGSE Advanced is a written examination with 10 or less than 10 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 of the NGSE Advanced and the evaluation method will be decided by the NGSF Evaluation Council and their decision shall be final.

All the 100 Percentile scorers of NGSE Advanced will be conferred with the prestigious NGSF **National Genius Award and Prize Money**.

### **National Percentile Score - NPS**

The students scoring 60 Percentile & above in NGSE Mains shall be awarded 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. The NGSE enrollment numbers are meant for the life time. It will remain the same for a candidate from Class IV onwards. Hence, the enrollment number allotted to a candidate during any of the previous year won't change in the subsequent years.

Students having already allotted enrollment numbers should mention the same number in the Student Participation List (SPL). Change of school in India or Abroad won't change the Enrollment number.

### **Admit Cards**

Admit Cards are issued to the candidates for NGSE Mains and Advanced through the school. Admit Cards along with the school identity card acts as the proof of identity. Candidates can collect their Admit Card & enrollment number 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 is a life time reference number 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**

Participating School will be the host for NGSE Mains subject to a minimum of 100 students from the school. In an unlikely event of a school having less than 100 participants, the nearest Center may be allocated by National Genius Search Foundation.

NGSE Advanced Examination will be conducted at selected Centers by National Genius Search Foundation, most probably in your city/locality within 300kms. Qualified participants should make their own arrangements to appear for the NGSE Advanced Examination at those Centers.