



Event Code: 430121/DL/2025

25th & 29th December, 2025

2nd SkillCraft International

Open Classical Fide Rated Chess Tournament

(Under the aegis of All India Chess Federation & Delhi Chess Association)

Venue: Academic Heights World School, Pitampura, Delhi

Total Prize Fund
₹ 15,00,000/-

**Over 100 cash prizes and
150+ Metal trophies will be Awarded.
Medals will be given to all Age Category Players .**



Important Note

- Prize will not be shared. One player will get one higher prize only. Indian Income Tax Act and rules will be applicable.
- Age category players are eligible for prizes of their own age category only and not for higher age category prizes.
- Best Female prizes will only be awarded to female participants aged 14 above.
- Organizer has the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.

Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Time</u>
25th December, 2025	Reporting Time	10:00 AM
25th December, 2025	Player's Meeting	10:30 AM
25th December, 2025	Round 1	11:00 AM
25th December, 2025	Round 2	04:00 PM
26th December, 2025	Round 3	10:00 AM
26th December, 2025	Round 4	03:30 PM
27th December, 2025	Round 5	10:00 AM
27th December, 2025	Round 6	03:30 PM
28th December, 2025	Round 7	10:00 AM
28th December, 2025	Round 8	03:30 PM
29th December, 2025	Round 9	09:30 AM
29th December, 2025	Prize Distribution	04:00 PM

Main Prizes



1st ₹1,11,000



2nd ₹75,000

3rd ₹50,000

4th ₹30,000

5th ₹20,000

6. ₹15,000	7. ₹15,000	8. ₹10,000	9. ₹10,000	10. ₹10,000
11. ₹8,000	12. ₹8,000	13. ₹8,000	14. ₹8,000	15. ₹8,000
16. ₹7,500	17. ₹7,500	18. ₹7,500	19. ₹7,500	20. ₹7,500
21. ₹7,500	22. ₹7,500	23. ₹7,500	24. ₹7,500	25. ₹7,500
26. ₹6,500	27. ₹6,500	28. ₹6,500	29. ₹6,500	30. ₹6,500
31. ₹6,500	32. ₹6,500	33. ₹6,500	34. ₹6,500	35. ₹6,500

Trophies will be awarded to the top 5 participants, and medals will be given to those ranked 6th to 25th.

Rating Category Prizes

Rank	Best Rating 1650-1799	Best Rating 1500-1649	Best Rating 1400-1499	Best UnRated
1st	₹50,000 🏆	₹50,000 🏆	₹50,000 🏆	₹50,000 🏆
2nd	₹30,000 🏆	₹30,000 🏆	₹30,000 🏆	₹30,000 🏆
3rd	₹15,000 🏆	₹15,000 🏆	₹15,000 🏆	₹15,000 🏆
4th	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆
5th	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆
6th - 10th	₹7,000 🏆	₹7,000 🏆	₹7,000 🏆	₹7,000 🏆
11th - 15th	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆

Special Category Prizes

Rank	Best Female	Best Veteran (60+)	Best Diff. Abled
1st	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆
2nd	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆
3rd	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	Trophy 🏆
4th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
5th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆

Best Academy: 1. Trophy & 4Medals 2. Trophy & 4Medals

Best School : 1. Trophy & 4Medals 2. Trophy & 4Medals

The average points of the top four players will be taken into account.

Age Category (Boys)



Rank	Under 08	Under 10	Under 12	Under 14
1st	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆
2nd	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆
3rd	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆
4th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
5th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
6th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
7th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
8th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
9th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
10th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆

Medals will be given to all Age Category Players.

Age Category (Girls)



Rank	Under 08	Under 10	Under 12	Under 14
1st	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆	₹10,000 🏆
2nd	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆	₹8,000 🏆
3rd	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆	₹6,000 🏆
4th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
5th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
6th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
7th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
8th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
9th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆
10th	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆	Trophy 🏆

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Tournament Rules

- **System of play:** The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 09 rounds
- **Time Control:** 90 Minutes + 30 Seconds increment from 1 move.
- **Default Time (Walk Over Time):** 30 Minutes
- **Reporting time:** 25th December, 2025 at 10:00 AM
- **AICF registration:** All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2025-26.
 - For renewing AICF registration of the existing players, please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/players>.
 - For New AICF registration of players please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>.
- **Tie Break:** Tie Break according to latest AICF guideline. In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect. The Cash prizes however will not be shared.
- **Protests:** If any against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee Rs. 2500 within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld. Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee of five members will be formed.
- **Electronic Devices:** All electronic items including all type of wrist watches are not allowed inside the playing arena.
- **Withdrawals:** A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the Chief Arbiter. If a player misses a round, they must report to the Chief Arbiter. Failure to do so will be considered a withdrawal, and the player will be removed from the pairings.
- **Discipline:** Any player or guardian who disrupts the decorum of the tournament will face exclusion from the event.

Registration Details

- **Entry Fee : ₹5,500**
- **Early bird discounted fee : ₹5,000** (till 9th November, 2025)
- Entry is free for GMs, IMs, WGMs, And WIMs
- Entry fee for differently abled: ₹2,500
- Late Fee of ₹500/- will be charged from 20th to 23rd December, 2025
- Last date to register: 23rd December, 2025.
- Entry fee is non - refundable.

Accommodation

Type: Triple sharing basis

Duration: From 11:00 PM on 24/12/2025, to 10:00 AM on 29/12/2025

Fee: ₹2000 per player

Please note that rooms are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Players who register after all rooms are filled will need to arrange their own accommodation.

Register via Circle Chess:

<https://circlechess.com/registration?id=46049>

OR

Fill the Google form:

<https://forms.gle/R2aYY7mJsB7UpVHd6>



Scan to Register.

How to reach the Venue?



<https://maps.app.goo.gl/pJisvw9uvytyjU6g7>

- **Nearest Metro Station:** Netaji Subhash Place (Red & Pink Line)
- **Parking Information:** All players and guardians are requested to park their vehicles at Netaji Subhash Place Metro Parking.
- Kindly note that parking directly in front of the venue is strictly prohibited.
- Food stalls will be set up at the venue, offering meals at reasonable rates.

Helpline Numbers

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