LEARNING TREE EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY (Purely Charitable) SINGHEWALA

OFFICE CIRCULAR

REVISED INCENTIVE POLICY FOR EXTRA ORDINARY STUDENTS

No. Dated 2-1-2024.

The policy named "LTES INCENTIVE POLICY FOR EXTRA ORDINARY STUDENTS" to honour and encourage the extraordinary students of all domains from all the institutions run under banner of LTES framed in 2022 is hereby revised to widen the scope and to extend the incentives to more and more students. The policy will be applicable from session 2024-25 and onwards. The extended scope of the incentives as laid under this policy are summed up as under: -

FOR SPORTS ACTIVITES: -

NATIONAL GAMES

1. Gold Medal in Single or Team Event Rs. 21000/5100 consolidated

2. Silver Medal in Single or Team Event Rs. 11000/ 3100 consolidated

3. Bronze Medal in Single or Team Event Rs. 9100/ 2100 consolidated

4. Participation at National level individual or Team Event Rs. 7100/ 2100 consolidated Besides Cash the medalists will be provided with sports kit (Tracksuit) each

In all cases if Individual amount distributed among team members is more than individual amount that shall be paid to each member

STATE GAMES

Gold Medal in Single or Team Event
 Silver Medal in Single or Team Event
 Bronze Medal in Single or Team Event
 Besides Cash the medalists will be provided with sports kit (Tracksuit) each

4. Participation at state level individual or Team Event Rs. 3100/1100 consolidated In all cases if Individual amount distributed among team members is more than individual amount that shall be paid to each member

DISTRICT LEVEL GAMES

Gold Medal in Single or Team Event
 Silver Medal in Single or Team Event
 Bronze Medal in Single or Team Event
 Rs. 3100/500 consolidated
 Bronze Medal in Single or Team Event
 Rs. 1100/500 consolidated

In all cases if Individual amount distributed among team members is more than individual amount that shall be paid to each member

FOR CO-CURRICULUM ACTIVITES: -

Students who represent at any co-curriculum event organized by any authorized Govt. Body

Medal Winner at National Level
 Medal Winner at State Level
 Medal Winner at District Level
 Rs. 11000/ consolidated
 Rs. 5100/ consolidated

FOR NCC CADETS

- 1. 2% of the Total Annual examination marks will be added in marks obtained by Cadet .
- 2. Cash prizes for the cadets who attend the camp, appear in the examination and receive certificates of NCC.
 - (i) For receiving A Grade Certificate − 2100/-
 - (ii) For receiving B Grade Certificate 1100/-
 - (iii) For receiving C Grade Certificate 500/-
- 3. Mementoes and Appreciation Certificate from the school who complete their course properly which includes camping, examination and certification.
- 4. Cadets during camp will be provided refreshments by the school.
- 5. A special welcome/ honour over a tea party with management and administrative team of school for all cadets who return from camp .

FOR ACADEMICALLY BRILLIANT STUDENTS: -

- 1. Candidates securing 1st rank in Board / Univ. Exam Cash Prize of Rs. 31000/-
- 2. Candidates ranking among first 10 in Board /Uni. Exam- Cash Prize of Rs. 21000/-
- 3. Candidates securing 1st rank at State Level Cash Prize of Rs. 11000/-
- 4. Candidates securing 1st rank at District Level Cash Prize of Rs. 5100/-
- 5. Candidates securing 1st Rank in School Final Exams 30% concession in Tuition Fee
- 6. Candidates securing 2nd Rank in School Final Exams 20% concession in Tuition Fee
- 7. Candidates securing 3rd Rank in School Final Exams 10% concession in Tuition Fee Concession in fee shall be given in next class except for 12th students who will be provided concession in fee for current year for their standings in 11th std.
 - Besides concession all candidates would be awarded one Merit Certificate along with medal each, one candidate would be eligible to claim only one incentive. Further, in case of tie of marks, the younger would be awarded for next rank.
- 7. Besides above the management has started FOLLOWING MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS for brilliant students of different classes as under

A) Dr. APJ ABDUL KALAM OPEN SCHOLARSHIP

For 3rd to 10th Std. annually through written test to be held every year on **15th October**, the birth anniversary of Missile Man Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, the winners of scholarship are awarded as

Standing	Scholarship	Eligibility	
Over all 1 st position	Rs. 31000/-	Minimum 60% Marks in aggregate and 50% in individual paper	
Over all 2 nd position	Rs. 21000/-		
Over all 3 rd position	Rs. 11000/-		
1 st Position in each Class	50% Rebate in Tuition Fee of next session	As above plus minimum participant for individual class is 5 or more than 5	

2 nd Position in each Class	30% Rebate in Tuition Fee of next session	As above plus minimum participant for individual class is 9 or more than 9
3 rd Position in each Class		As above plus minimum participant for individual class is 12 or more than 12

The students can claim concession only for one category.

B) YOUNG SCIENTIST SCHOLARSHIP:

Students studying in classes VI to X can participate in a project-based competition (details given in description of scholarship) to be held every year on **28th February** in 2 groups (Gr-I-Grade VI-VIII and Gr-II Grade IX-X), One winner from each group will be selected as **Young Scientists** who will get 25% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal.

C) YOUNG WRITER SCHOLARSHIP:

Students studying in classes IX to XII can participate in a literary competition (details given in description of scholarship) to be held on **7**th **May** where one boy and one girl will be selected as **Young Writers** who will get 25% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal. (For class XII Std. award will be applicable for current session)

D) YOUNG MATHEMATICIAN SCHOLARSHIP:

Students studying in classes IV to X can participate in a Mental Maths competition (details given in description of scholarship) to be held—every year **22**nd **December**, competition will be held in 2 groups (Gr-I-Grade IV-VIII and Gr-II Grade IX-X) where one Student securing maximum marks will be selected as **Young Mathematician** who will get 25% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal.

.E) YOUNG ARTIST SCHOLARSHIP:

Students studying in classes I to 12 can participate in an art competition to be held every year on **3rd October** in kind remembrance of great Indian Artiest and Painter Raja Ravi Verma. The competition will be held in 4 groups (Gr-I-Grade I-II , Gr-II Grade III-V , Gr-III Grade VI-VIII and Gr-IV Grade IX-XII) , one student from each group will be selected as **Young Artist** and will get 10% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal.

F) BEST CALLIGRAPHY AWARD

Students studying in classes Nursery to 12 can participate in one or both languages English and Hindi calligraphy competition (details given in description of scholarship)to be held every year on **Second Wednesday of August** to mark **WORLD CALLIGRAPHY DAY**. The competition will be held in 5 groups (Gr-I Nursery to UKG, Gr-II-Grade I-II, Gr-III Grade III-V, Gr-IV Grade VI-VIII and Gr-V Grade IX-XII), one student from each group for each language will be selected for Calligraphy

Award under which 10% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal will be provided.

G) BEST SPEAKER AWARD

Students of Grade -III to 12 can participate in Best Speaker Award (details given in description of scholarship)to be held every year on 12th January on the Birthday of the GREATEST THINKER OF MODERN ERA SWAMI VIVEKANAND. The competition will be held in 3 groups (Gr-I Grade III-V, Gr-II Grade VI-VIII and Gr-III- Grade IX-XII), one student from each group will be selected for Best Speaker Award under which 10% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal will be provided.

Note :- A student can participate in as many competitions as he wants and can win simultaneously more than one Scholarship / Award.

H) YOUNG PROGRAMMER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Students of Grade -III to 12 can participate individually or in group in YOUNG PROGRAMMER OF THE YEAR AWARD (details given in description of scholarship) to be held every year on **24thDecember**. Competition will be held in 3 groups (Gr-I Grade III-V, Gr-II Grade VI-VIII and Gr-III-Grade IX-XII), one student from each group will be selected for YOUNG PROGRAMMER AWARD under which 25% concession in Tuition fee in next session besides certification and a medal will be provided.

8. GLORIOUS AWARDS

Students will be awarded following glorious awards on basis of their performance in various fields as under

A) ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

A student securing the first position in three classes consecutively will be awarded a cash price of the value of Rs. 11000 plus one Trophy and Certification.

B) SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD (Other than Sports and Co-Curricular Activities)

Students selected through some competition organized by any Govt. or Govt. approved body representing School / District / State or winning at District / State / National level will be awarded as under

➤ MEDALISTS AT NATIONAL LEVEL - 21000 + Trophy + Certificate

➤ MEDALISTS AT STATE LEVEL - 11000 + Trophy + Certificate

➤ MEDALISTS AT DISTRICT LEVEL -5100 + Trophy + Certificate

One Student can claim only one prize of highest level only.

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GUIDELINES, RULES AND PROCEDURE FOR VARIOUS SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

A) YOUNG SCIENTIST OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

YOUNG SCIENTIST OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP is a Project Based competition conducted every year for the students of classes 6^{th} to 10^{th} Std. The competition will be conducted in two groups

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP MISSION OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD IS THE RECOGNITION OF PROMISE, CREATIVITY AND EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE OF YOUNG MINDS OF OUR STUDENTS OF 6th TO 10th STD.

ENTRY FEE RS. 100 PER CANDIDATE

WINNER OF SCHOLRASHIP ONE STUDENT FROM EACH GROUP AS YOUNG SCIENTIST OF THE

YEAR

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 25% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILITY Any student of KKCS from class 6th to 10th Std.

PROJECT DETAIL TOPIC WILL BE ANNOUNCED FOR EACH GROUP FOR PREPARING

PROJECT and PARTICIPANTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THE SAME

WITHIN NEXT 7 DAYS

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. YOUNG SCIENTIST OF THE YEAR scholarship will be awarded to one candidate from each group.

- 2. Students will be given one week for preparing Project after announcement of topic for Project.
- 3. Project shall be prepared by the student himself.
- 4. All participants will be awarded the certificate of participation in competition.
- 5. Project may be in the form of Working / Non Working model/ Write up / presentation. Each participation will be given 10 minutes to explain his/her project before evaluation committee.
- 6.Entry fee or any other fee once paid will not be refunded/ adjusted what so ever the case be.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

The evaluation of projects will be made jointly by all members of Committee consisting of

1. Principal KKCS Chairperson of Committee

2. Head of Science Deptt. Member

3. One senior teacher from Science Deptt. Member

The decision of the evaluation Committee shall be final & binding on all the participants.

B) YOUNG WRITER OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

KKCS is pleased to announce the YOUNG WRITER OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

for outstanding original works by students of Classes 9^{th} - 12^{th} Standard , in the category of fiction/short story in English / Hindi for KKCS students only .

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP

TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS OF SENIOR CLASSES FOR LITERATURE

AND CREATIVE WRITING.

ENTRY FEE RS. 100/ PER SCRIPT

WINNER OF SCHOLRASHIP ONE BOY AND ONE GIRL AS YOUNG WRITER OF THE YEAR

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 25% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR, HOWEVER FOR 12TH

STD. STUDENTS, SAME WILL BE GIVEN IN CURRENT SESSION.

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILTY ALL STUDENTS OF KKCS FROM CLASS IX TO XII

TOPICS WRITE UP MAY BE ON ANY OF FOLLOWING TOPICS

HUMOUR

HORROR

FANTASY

ADVENTURE

ANY OTHER WITH PERMISSION OF JUDGING COMMITTEE

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Write up / script should be original and not copied from anywhere
- If script found copied from any article, same will not be considered for scholarship.
- Word Limit for script shall be restricted to 2500-3000 Words
- A time period of one hour will be given for writing script.
- Script shall be written on Ruled / Plain A4 size paper in neat and clean handwriting in blue / black ink.
- Entry fee or any other fee once paid will not be refunded / adjusted what so ever the case be.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

The selection of awardees will be made by a Committee consisting of

1.	Director KKCS	Chairperson of Committee
2.	Principal KKCS	Judge -I
3.	Head of English Deptt. of KKCS	Judge -II-for English Script
4	Head of Hindi Deptt of KKCS	Judge -II-for Hindi Script

The decision of the Judging Committee shall be final & binding on all the participants

C) YOUNG MATHEMATICIAN OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

YOUNG MATHEMATICIAN OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP is a competitive examination conducted every year for the students of classes 4^{th} to 10^{th} Std. The test will be conducted in two groups

Group -I 4^{th} Std. - 8^{th} Std. Group -II 9^{th} Std. - 10^{th} Std.

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP To evaluate conceptual knowledge, basic understanding and logical interpretation ability of Mathematics among the students.

ENTRY FEE RS. 100 PER CANDIDATE

WINNER OF SCHOLRASHIP ONE STUDENT FROM EACH GROUP AS YOUNG MATHEMATICIAN

OF THE YEAR

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 25% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR.

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILITY Any student of KKCS from class 4th to 10th Std. who secured

minimum 70% marks in Mathematics in the Annual examination of their previous class.

SYLLABUS Test for any class is based on the CBSE syllabi of mathematics of

the previous classes.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. **YOUNG MATHEMATICIAN OF THE YEAR** scholarship will be awarded to one candidate from each group.
- 2. There will be a separate question paper for each class.
- 3. Questions based on subject aptitude (SAT), calculation ability (CAT) and mental ability (MAT) will be included in the question paper.
- 4. Medium of the question paper will be English only.
- 5. Question paper will contain 60 questions and the duration of the examination will be 90 minutes.
- 6. Question paper will have 40 objective type (multiple choices) and 5 descriptive questions only.
- 7. There will be 50% negative marking for objective type questions only.
- 8. Answer sheets will be provided to the candidates.
- 9. After the examination, the candidates would have to return both the Question booklet and the Answer sheet to the invigilator.
- 10. No candidate can ask to show the answer sheet of other candidate, however he /she can see his/her answer sheet only in presence of chairperson of evaluation committee by depositing a fee of Rs. 250/-
- 11.Entry fee or any other fee once paid will not be refunded/ adjusted what so ever the case be.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

The evaluation of answer sheets will be made by a Committee consisting of

1. Principal KKCS Chairperson of Committee

2. One senior teacher from Mathematics Deptt. Original Evaluator

3. Head of Mathematics Deptt. 2nd Evaluator

The decision of the Evaluation Committee shall be final & binding on all the participants.

D) YOUNG ARTIST OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

KKCS is pleased to announce the **YOUNG ARTIST OF THE YEAR AWARD** for outstanding original Drawing / Painting/ Sketch work by students of Classes $1st-12^{th}$ Standard under 4 groups

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS FOR CREATIVE ARTISTIC WORK

ENTRY FEE RS. 100 PER CANDIDATE

WINNER OF SCHOLRASHIP

ONE STUNDENT FROM EACH GROUP AS YOUNG ARTIST OF THE YEAR

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP

10% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR, HOWEVER FOR 12TH

STD. STUDENTS, SAME WILL BE GIVEN IN CURRENT SESSION.

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILTY ALL STUDENTS OF KKCS FROM GRADE -I TO GRADE- XII

TOPICS EACH GROUP WILL BE GIVEN THREE TOPIS ON THE SPOT AND

PARTICIPANT HAS TO CHOOSE ANY ONE FOR HIS /HER CREATIVE ART

RULES AND REGULATIONS

❖ A₄ Drawing sheet will be provided by the Organizers.

Time allotted: 90 Minutes.

The Painting/ Drawing /Sketch should be original and have not been published elsewhere.

The participants will carry their own water bottle, drawing and painting material and rough cloth/ Cotton etc for cleaning.

Evaluation will be based on the theme, quality, difficulty of work, its artistic value and overall presentation. The final score will be the average of the three Judges evaluation.

Entry fee or any other fee once paid will not be refunded/adjusted what so ever the case be.

Participation certificates will be given to all the participants.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

The selection of awardees will be made by a Committee consisting of

1.	Director KKCS	Chairperson of Committee
2.	Principal KKCS	Co-Ordinator of Committee
3.	Art and Craft Teacher of Senior Section of KKCS	Judge -I
4.	Activity Head of Senior Section	Judge -II
5.	Activity Head of Junior Section (Foundation Zone)	Judge -III
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The decision of the Judging Committee shall be final & binding on all the participants

E) CALLIGRAPHY AWARD

"Calligraphy is an art form that uses ink and a brush to express the very souls of words on paper."

A Calligraphy competition will be held every year on **Second Wednesday of August** to mark **WORLD CALLIGRAPHY DAY** for students from Nursery to 12th Standard which will be conducted in following five groups and in two languages

Group-I Toddlers (Nursery to UKG) Group -II 1^{st} Std. - 2^{nd} Std. Group -III 3^{rd} Std. - 5^{th} Std. Group -IV 6^{th} Std. - 8^{th} Std. Group -V 9^{th} Std. - 12^{th} Std.

- 1. **ENGLISH HANDWRITING** looks for legibility, speed, and flow without aiming at the calligraphic style.
- 2. **HINDI HANDWRITING** looks for legibility, speed, and flow without aiming at the calligraphic style. For Both Languages HANDWRITING COMPETITION is conducted for each class (except in Hindi for Nursery)

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP MISSION OF THE AWARD IS TO CREAT A ZEAL AMONG STUDENTS FOR

GOOD HANDWRITING / CALLIGRAPHY

ENTRY FEE RS. 100 PER CANDIDATE

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 10% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR, HOWEVER FOR 12TH

STD. STUDENTS, SAME WILL BE GIVEN IN CURRENT SESSION.

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILITY Any student of KKCS from class Nursery to 12th Std.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. **CALLIGRAPHY AWARD** will be awarded to one candidate from each group for each language.
- 2. Group I and II will be a given a quate each and students will have to write the same 10 times on answer sheet.
- 3. Group -III to Group-V will be given text and participants will have to reproduce the same in their handwriting.
- 4. A student can take part in both languages
- 5. Entries in both languages should be submitted separately.
- 6. Use either lined or plain paper of A₄ size which will be supplied by school.
- 7. Group-II to Group-V participants can use any of the following writing instruments: Ballpoint pen, fountain pen, felt/fiber, tip marker where as Group-I & II will use only Black HB-Pencil.
- 8. Use the same writing instrument throughout the entry.
- 9. Please use only black/blue ink to write (Group-II to Group-V)
- 10. DO NOT make visible erasures cross-outs/cover- ups/whiting out; it will count more heavily against your work than the original errors themselves.
- 11.Entry fee once paid will not be refunded/ adjusted what so ever the case be.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

The evaluation will be made jointly by all members of Committee consisting of

1. Principal KKCS Chairperson of Committee

Headmistress Member
 Vice Principal Member

- The judges will evaluate the Handwriting based on each entry's demonstrated
 - LEGIBILITY (how easily we can read the writing),
 - > FLOW (the smoothness, grace, and flow of the writing),
 - ➤ COMPETENCE (the choice of layout and margins; spacing between letters, words, and lines; consistency of letter size and forms; accuracy of the quote; neatness and general appearance; spelling; and whether the participant strove to follow the letter and spirit of the Contest rules)

F) THE BEST SPEAKER AWARD

Words have incredible power. They can make people's hearts soar, or they can make people's hearts sore. Speakers who talk about what life has taught them never fail to keep the attention of their listeners. So, KKCS is pleased to announce THE BEST SPEAKER AWARD for students from 3rd to 12th std. in following three categories for which competition will be held on **12th January on the**

Birthday of the GREATEST THINKER OF MODERN ERA SWAMI VIVEKANAND every year.

Group I- 3rd to 5th Std. Group II- 6th to 8th Std.

Group III- 9th to 12th Std.

MISSION OF AWARD: To encourage the students in the various fields of speaking like Tour Guide, Teacher/ Educator, Actor, Leader, Broadcaster, Trainer and Litigation Attorney etc.

ENTRY FEE Rs.100/ only for Boys and Rs. 50/ for Girls

WINNERS OF SCHOLARSHIP Best one speaker in each Group.

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 10% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR , HOWEVER FOR 12TH

STD. STUDENTS, SAME WILL BE GIVEN IN CURRENT SESSION BESIDES A

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TERMS & CONDITIONS

All students of KKCS from Grade 3rd to 12th.

- 1. **BEST SPEAKER AWARD** will be awarded to one candidate from each group.
- 2. Group I and II will be a given a Topic each in advance and participants will have to speak on the topic for at least 3 minutes but not more than 5 minutes.
- 3. Group -III participants will be given on the spot topic and again participants will have to speak on the topic for at least 3 minutes but not more than 5 minutes.
- 4. Speech will be only in English , however as per the requirement of speech Hindi /Punjabi quotes can be used during speech.
- 5. All participants will be awarded the certificate of participation in competition.
- 5. Entry fee once paid will not be refunded

EVALUATION AND RANKING

- The evaluation will be made jointly by all members of Committee consisting of
- 1. Principal KKCS Chairperson of Committee

2. Headmistress Member

3. Vice Principal Member

- The judges will evaluate the speech by a candidate keeping equal weightage for
 - Confidence of the candidate
 - Expression and delivery of speech
 - ➤ Voice Quality of Candidate
 - Pronunciation of words
 - Contents of Speech
 - Body language of candidate
 - Culmination of speech in adequate time and note of finality.
- The decision of the Evaluation Committee shall be final & binding on all the participants Competition.

G) YOUNG PROGRAMMER OF THE YEAR AWARD

KKCS is pleased to announce a new award from session 2025-26 in the name of the **YOUNG PROGRAMMER OF THE YEAR AWARD** for outstanding Programmer from class 3rd -12th Standard under 3 groups

Group -I 3^{rd} Std. - 5^{th} Std. Group -II 6^{th} Std. - 8^{th} Std. Group-III 9^{th} Std. - 12^{th} Std.

MISSION OF SCHOLARSHIP

TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS FOR COMPUTER PROGRAMMING SKILL

ENTRY FEE RS. 100 PER CANDIDATE

WINNER OF SCHOLRASHIP ONE FROM EACH GROUP AS YOUNG PROGRAMMER OF THE YEAR

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP 25% REBATE IN TUITION FEE FOR NEXT YEAR.

PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP ONE YEAR ONLY

ELIGIBILTY ALL STUDENTS OF KKCS FROM GRADE -III TO GRADE- XII

TOPICS Each student will be given equal chance to show his / her skill in

computer coding program.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The contest will be held every year on December 24 in the Computer / Robo Laboratory. Contestants should meet at 9:30 for a brief introductory talk. The contest proper will begin at 10.00 am - and end at 13.00 pm.

- ❖ Individuals or teams of up to three people will be allowed to compete. All contestants shall be student of KKCS from grade III to XIII .
- Contestants cannot bring any notes or textbooks to the contest room. Blank sheets of paper and pencils will be supplied.
- Contestants in the same team can discuss the problems they are assigned. However, they should do so in a quiet way and without disturbing contestants in other teams.
- Referees will be assigned to observe teams throughout the contest and report any problems and/or violations of the rules to the Contest Committee.
- ❖ Each team will be allowed to use only a single computer and must write and test their programs on that machine within the contest room and time slot.
- PC compatible computers running Window 7 or above will be used. At the Contest Committee's discretion, contestants may be allowed to use their own computer in the contest, provided that they notify the Contest Committee in writing at least one week prior to the contest, indicating the make and key features of their machine.
- Contestants may write their programs in whichever language they prefer. The following programming languages will be available. (a) Scratch Programming (b) Python (c) Java (d) Arduino C
- At the Contest Committee's discretion, contestants may be allowed to bring/use their own compiler (or interpreter) in the contest provided that they notify the Contest Committee in writing at least one week prior to the contest and indicate the make, version number and key features of their chosen compiler.

- Teams may submit only a single solution to each problem. All solutions must be submitted together on a single diskette. Both the source code and the executable program for each problem, must be included on the disk. Once submitted they may not be changed!
- Teams may not seek hints and/or ask for leads during the contest. They may, however, submit questions about procedure and/or clarification, in writing, to the Contest Committee who will ensure that all teams receive the same information as deemed necessary.
- All teams will be given the same set of problems to solve.
- Each problem will have a specified point value. The more difficult the problem, the more points a correct solution will receive.

EVALUATION AND RANKING

- Programs will be tested by two independent judges (appointed by the Contest Committee) by running them with a set of test inputs. The output for each test case will be marked as right or wrong using keys prepared before the contest.
- A program will be considered wrong if it fails to work on one or more of the test cases. It will otherwise be considered correct for the purposes of this contest. {A program may still be wrong even if it passes all the test input cases. Every effort will be made to design test cases that will minimize the chance of missing an incorrect program.} A correct program will be awarded the full points, an incorrect one zero! In the event of a tie, programs will be awarded partial credits based on the number of tests correctly passed.
- The Contest Committee will tally the scores for each team and publish a complete list. The teams with the four highest scores will be declared the winners and will be invited to take part in the trivia guiz round. The Contest Committee's decision in all matters is final.
- Contest Committee which comprises of
 - 1) Director LTES /KKCS
 - 2) Administrator LTES/ KKCS

They will appoint two senior most Computer / I.T. Staff from KKCS as independent judges who will award marks independently.