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## Invitation

# Science Day 2019

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## Message

National Science Day is celebrated every year on February 28. National Science Day is celebrated to commemorate discovery of the 'Raman Effect', which led to Indian scientist Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman or CV Raman winning the Noble Prize in Physics in 1930.

It is an opportunity to spread scientific awareness and to cultivate scientific ethos by exposing the students, teachers and lay people to scientific and technological advances of the country.

To explore new horizons and push scientific frontiers further, it is vital that our youth develop a passion for science.

With this aim, Indian Institute of Geomagnetism, a premier autonomous Research Institute of Government of India, will showcase its scientific achievements and pioneering work in different aspects of Geomagnetism and allied fields.

During open house from 26 to 28 Feb, 2019, the Institute will be open for public to let observe first hand activities of IIG in the form of poster displays, audio-visuals and demonstration of scientific instruments. Various competition like essay, elocution, sit and draw, power point presentations will be held for students and teachers during weeks preceding science day 2019.

I wholeheartedly extend my invitation to all the teachers and students to participate in the competitions and attend the science exhibition at IIG.

Best Wishes.

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## Programmes

**21<sup>st</sup> Jan. 2019:** Essay writing competition (*English, Hindi & Marathi*)  
(10:30 to 12:30)  
(for B, C & D category)

Topic: **“Technology & Education”**

हिन्दी : प्रौद्योगिकी एवं शिक्षा; मराठी : तंत्रज्ञान आणि शिक्षण

**29<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2019:** Sit & Draw (*for A & B categories*)  
(10:30 to 12:30)  
Topic: **“Water is Life”**

हिन्दी : जल ही जीवन है; मराठी : पाणी हे जीवन आहे

Sit & Draw (*for C & D categories*)

Topic: **“Connecting India”**; हिन्दी : भारत जोड़ो

**1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2019:** Elocution *for B, C & D Categories* (*English & Hindi*)  
(10:30 to 12:30)  
Topic: **“Cell Phones: Boon or Bane”**

हिन्दी : सेल फोन - वरदान या अभिशाप

**6<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2019:** Elocution *for B, C & D Categories* (*Marathi*)  
(10:30 to 12:30)  
मराठी : सेल फोन - वरदान का अभिशाप

**8<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2019:** Power Point Presentation for Teachers (*English, Hindi & Marathi*)  
(10:30 to 12:30)  
Topic: **“Is Technology Harming Education ?”**

हिन्दी : “ प्रौद्योगिकी शिक्षा के लिए हानिकारक है ? ”

मराठी : “तंत्रज्ञान शिक्षणा साठी हानिकारक आहे ?”

**25<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2019:** Science project submission & evaluation (*for B, C & D categories*)  
(10:30 to 5:00 )  
(*Students can make working and non-working model in any discipline of science*)

**26<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2019:** **Science exhibition (Open for all)**  
(10:30 to 5:30)

**28<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2019:** Science Day celebration and Prize distribution  
(10:30 to 5:00) (*all competition participants are cordially invited*)

### **Note:**

- The distinction of categories are as follows:
- Category A: 1<sup>st</sup> std to 4<sup>th</sup> std. , Category B: 5<sup>th</sup> std to 7<sup>th</sup> std.
- Category C: 8<sup>th</sup> std to 10<sup>th</sup> std. , Category D: College Students
- Kindly nominate maximum 5 students per school in each category
- A maximum of only 3 Science Projects, per category, will be accepted per school.
- The project can be made individually or through a group (not more than 5 students)
- Nomination for the Science Project may kindly be sent before 15/02/2019 through email (pravin@iigs.iigm.res.in)