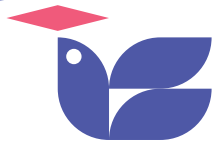


*iWISE is an International Art, Talent & STEM Project Expo*



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## ***MISSION OF iWISE***

At iWISE, we are dedicated to unlocking the boundless potential of young innovators worldwide. Our mission is to ignite a spark of creativity, fuel the passion for knowledge, and empower students aged 10-24 to push the boundaries of innovation. We believe that by providing a platform for young minds to showcase their talents and ideas, we can inspire positive change and shape a brighter future.

Through our international project Olympiad, we foster an environment of exploration and collaboration across various categories, including STEM, Arts, and Talent. By encouraging interdisciplinary thinking and embracing diversity, we enable participants to discover their unique strengths and unleash their full creative potential.

We are driven by the strong belief that innovation knows no boundaries. With iWISE, we aim to connect young innovators from around the world, fostering cultural exchange, global collaboration, and cross-pollination of ideas. Together, we can create a vibrant ecosystem that nurtures creativity, supports personal growth, and fosters a sense of global citizenship.

At iWISE, we believe that the power of innovation lies in its ability to address pressing global challenges, create positive change, and shape a sustainable future for all. Join us in our mission to inspire, empower, and celebrate the next generation of innovators who will lead us towards a brighter tomorrow. Together, let's unleash the unlimited potential of young minds and make a lasting impact on the world.



iWISE Olympiad is open to students aged 10 to 24, enrolled in any educational institution, including primary schools, high schools, colleges, and universities.

The competition is divided into four age group divisions as follows:

## AGE DIVISION CATEGORIES



Group submission is up to 3 participants.

## CATEGORIES FOR iWISE



### **ART CATEGORY**

Architecture Art Category  
Drawing/Painting Poster Category  
Graffiti Category  
Photography Category  
Recycled Materials Category  
Sculpture Category  
Sidewalk Chalk Drawing Category



### **TALENT CATEGORY**

Creative Writing Category  
Dance Category  
Graphic Design Category  
Marketing Category  
Music Category  
Public Speaking  
Short Animated Film Category  
Short Film Category  
Spelling Bee Category



### **STEM CATEGORY**

Agricultural Science Category  
Biology Category  
Chemistry Category  
Computer Science Category  
Earth Science Category  
Engineering Category  
Environmental Studies Category  
Mathematics Category  
Physics Category

## TIMELINE SCHEDULE FOR iWISE

**Virtual Final – 1**  
**13<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>th</sup> October**  
**2023**

**Virtual Final – 2**  
**24<sup>th</sup> Nov – 4<sup>th</sup> Dec**  
**2023**

**Virtual Final – 3**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> March – 7<sup>th</sup> April**  
**2024**

**Virtual Final - 4**  
**26<sup>th</sup> April - 13<sup>th</sup> May**  
**2024**

**Global Final**  
**Early Submission**  
**28<sup>th</sup> Oct 2023**  
**30<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

**Global Final**  
**Regular Submission**  
**1<sup>st</sup> May – 31<sup>st</sup> May**  
**2024**

**Global Final**  
**Late Submission**  
**1<sup>st</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> June**  
**2024**

**Global Final**  
**19<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> August**  
**2024**

## ***HOW iWISE WORKS***

There are two rounds for iWISE:

The Virtual Finals (Preliminary Round).

The Global Final (Final Round).



The Virtual Final to participate in this round, students simply need to make an online submission via our website, in addition to making your submission you will need to book a zoom appointment to present your ARTWORK/TALENT PERFORMANCE/STEM PROJECT to our judges. Our expert judges will evaluate the student's work and select the best and brightest to move on to the iWISE Global Final. All medalists from the Virtual Finals will directly qualify for the iWISE Global Final. All gold medalists will achieve a 10% discount to register for the iWISE Global Final.

For those who don't qualify, our judges will provide valuable feedback to help them improve their submission and prepare for the next Virtual Final. At iWISE, we believe in the potential of every student, and we are committed to providing a supportive and inclusive environment for all participants.

All medalists from the Virtual Finals will directly qualify for the iWISE Global Final. All gold medalists will achieve a 10% discount to register for the iWISE Global Final. A confirmation letter acknowledging their qualification will be provided exclusively to those who meet the criteria set for the Global Final. The duration for the iWISE Global Final is 6 days including arrival and departure days.





## ***AWARDS / PRIZES FOR iWISE GLOBAL FINAL***

All participants will receive an iWISE certificate of participation. Participants that perform exceptionally, will receive an iWISE certificate of achievement and a medal. The Top 3 achievers in the main categories (Art / Talent/ STEM) will qualify for grand cash prizes as follows:

£600 for first position/top position

£450 for second position

£300 for third position.

### ***Special Awards:***

#### **Best Performing School Award:**

The Best Performing School Award will be given to the school which has the highest points from their student's achievements: each gold medal will count as 5 points, each silver medal counts as 3 points, each bronze medal counts as 2 points and each honorable mention certificate counts as 1 point.

#### **Most Amount of Applicants School Award:**

The Most Amount of Applicants School Award will be awarded to the school that made the most amount of submissions to the iWISE Global Round. Each school will have 1 point per submission, 3 points per applicant and 5 points per educator.

#### **iWISE Olympiad Ambassador Award:**

The iWISE Olympiad's Ambassador Award will be given to the educator/teacher who registers the most number of applicants to the Global Final.

#### **The Most Successful Ambassador Award:**

The Most Successful Ambassador Award will be given to the educator/supervisor whose students perform exceptionally at Global Final. Each educator /supervisor will get 5 points for per gold medal, 3 points per silver medals, 2 points per bronze medal and 1 point per honorable mention.

### ***Achievement Rank for iWISE Global Final:***

<i>Gold Medal</i>	<i>10% of participants</i>
<i>Silver Medal</i>	<i>30% of participants</i>
<i>Bronze Medal</i>	<i>40% of participants</i>
<i>Honorable Mention</i>	<i>20% of participants</i>



## **EXHIBITION REQUIREMENTS for STEM CATEGORY**

Participants must have with  
 Abstract (for Stem and Art Categories Only)  
 Report file (for Stem Categories Only)  
 Research Plan (for Stem Categories Only)  
 Poster  
 Copyright release form (for Talent Categories)  
 General Release of Liability form  
 Plagiarism form  
 Risk Assessment form (for Art & Stem Categories)  
 Display Approval form (for Art and Stem Categories)  
 Binding Agreement  
 Letter of Acceptance for iWISE

## **DAILY SCHEDULE FOR GLOBAL FINAL**

<i>Day 1</i>	<i>Arrival - Check in</i>	<i>Welcoming Night</i>
<i>Day 2</i>	<i>Opening Ceremony - Set up - Judging Session - Excursion Activities</i>	
<i>Day 3</i>	<i>Judging Session - Excursion</i>	<i>International Night</i>
<i>Day 4</i>	<i>Judging Session - Excursion</i>	<i>Activities</i>
<i>Day 5</i>	<i>Excursion - Award Ceremony</i>	<i>Farewell Party</i>
<i>Day 6</i>	<i>Departure - Check out</i>	



## ***JUDGING PRINCIPALS FOR ART CATEGORY***

Judging will be done at the discretion of the iWISE Olympiad. All artwork will be judged by a panel selected by the iWISE Olympiad Organization. The Judges will score each criterion on a scale of 0-5, with zero being the lowest and 5 being the highest rank.

Judgment will be based on how the relevant theme is addressed within the presentation, creativity of the art piece, the level of complexity within the art piece, the focal point of the presentation, the design of the artwork, harmony of colors, compelling competition, display of emotion, presentation of participants, verbal message of the poster, subject matter, storytelling etc.

## ***JUDGING PRINCIPALS FOR TALENT CATEGORY***

Judging will be done at the discretion of the iWISE Olympiad. All artwork will be judged by a panel selected by the iWISE Olympiad Organization. The Judges will score each criterion on a scale of 0-5, with zero being the lowest and 5 being the highest rank.

### ***Judging Principles for Short Film Category:***

Short films will be judged on its originality, creativity, plot, structure, characters, cinematography, entertainment value as well as the effectiveness of the message being portrayed and the ability of the filmmaker to reach an audience. When creating a film that carries a message, it is important that you have the ability and knowledge of how to get your message to your audience so that your film can gather public support and awareness.

### ***Judging Principles for Short Animated film Category:***

Short Animated films will be judged on originality, creativity, engagement, editing, audio, music, sound effects, storytelling, characters, cinematography, entertainment value as well as the effectiveness of the message and the ability of the filmmaker to reach an audience. When creating a film that carries a message, it is important that you have the ability and knowledge of how to get your message to your audience so that your film can gather public support and awareness.

### ***Judging Principles for Graphic Design Category***

Graphic Design will be judged on the originality of expression, relation of the design to the relevant theme, creativity of the design, technical execution, visual language, originality, personal vision, effort and level of complexity etc.

### ***Judging Principles for Music & Dance Categories***

Judges will look for creative-dynamics, intonation, tone quality, effectiveness of presentation, performance, foundation, relevance, audience impact, knowledge of choreography, stage presence, effort, technique, etc.

### ***Judging Principles for Creative Writing (Poetry, Short Essay & Short Story) Category***

Judges will look for entries in each age category which illustrates one or more of the following: Clarity and originality of expression, creativity, artistic quality and relevance to the theme, significance and originality of thought, characters; presentation and development, structure, organization, convention etc. The judge will consider the extent to which the writing exhibits effective control of tone, diction, parallelism, balance, inversion, sentence length and also how the entry effectively demonstrates a developed, focused and concluded discussion of ideas and an establishment and maintenance of a controlling idea.

### ***JUDGING PRINCIPALS FOR STEM CATEGORIES***

Judging will be done at the discretion of the iWISE Olympiad. All projects will be judged by a panel selected by the iWISE Olympiad Organization. Judges score each criterion on a scale of 0-3, with zero being the lowest and 3 being the highest rank.

Judges will look for details in;

Abstract

Display Poster

Logbook / Journal

Presentation

Project Report File

Prototype / Build model of project (if applicable)

Research Plan

### ***Display Board for Project's Poster***

A poster is a summary of the project report file in a display format. All written details on the poster must be easy to read at a distance, we suggest using the Calibri (Body) font with your font size at 22. Students are free to choose any colors combinations. The display poster dimension is 76 cm height and 150 cm width.

The following titles must be written on the poster: Research question, Aim, Hypothesis, Engineering goal, Background research, Methods/ procedures, Errors and limitation gaps, Future research, Conclusion, Results, Data graph /table and Acknowledgements.

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