

PROJECTX

PROJECT COMPETITION FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS



Theme: **STEM** For Innovation



GRAND PRIZES

- 1st Place: ₹ 25,000
+ ₹ 3,20,000 Scholarship*
- 2nd Place: ₹ 10,000
- 3rd Place: ₹ 5,000



QR Code for
REGISTRATION

Deadline for prelims submission: **10th January, 2026**



EDUQUEST'25 - PROJECTX

Get ready for **ProjectX'25**, the ultimate inter-school project competition at **EduQuest**, hosted by **Shiv Nadar University Chennai**. This exciting event challenges **high school students** to showcase their creativity and problem-solving skills by developing innovative solutions for global challenges. Winners will be rewarded with **scholarships** and other exciting prizes!



STEM FOR INNOVATION

STEM for Innovation empowers young minds to use science, technology, engineering, and mathematics as tools to reshape the world around them. In an era driven by rapid advancements, this theme encourages students to unlock their creativity, explore bold ideas, and develop solutions that address real-world challenges. Innovation is not just about invention, it is about using knowledge with purpose, curiosity, and clarity to improve how we live, communicate, and solve problems.

Students are invited to design projects that blend analytical thinking with practical application, transforming complex concepts into meaningful outcomes. From smart systems and intelligent automation to efficient designs that enhance everyday life, this theme provides a platform to turn imagination into impact. By embracing STEM powered thinking, participants can create solutions that inspire progress and contribute to a future shaped by innovation.

**Change begins with you. Let your creativity and innovation
shape a sustainable future!**

Theme for the Fourth Edition: STEM For Innovation

Registration: Free of charge

Eligibility: 9th to 12th Grade Students

Team: 2 Students per team

Participation: Any number of teams from a school can participate.

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/gd2RQX5t9wQNVD1a7>

Project Proposal:  [Presentation Template](#)

**This competition not only encourages creative thinking
but also offers exciting rewards.**



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*SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS:

The 1st-place winners (2 team members) will receive scholarships of ₹40,000/student annually for four years, provided they qualify for SNU Chennai's Engineering programs, including meeting SNUCEE and Board exam criteria.

COMPETITION STRUCTURE

Registration

Register your team online through the Registration Form.

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Submission Deadline: 10th January 2026

Preliminary Review

All submitted projects will be reviewed by the judging panel.

Shortlisting

Shortlisted teams will receive a confirmation email regarding their selection.

Grand Finale

The finals will take place at [Shiv Nadar University Chennai](#) Campus on Wednesday, 21 January 2026

Teams can choose to showcase their project through one of the following options:

- ▶ Presentation only (PPT)
- ▶ Demonstration only (A small working model/prototype)
- ▶ Both presentation and demonstration

IMPORTANT DATES

- ▶ **Prelims Round - Submission Deadline:** 10th January 2026
- ▶ **Grand Finale:** Wednesday, 21 January 2026

Don't miss this opportunity to innovate, compete, and win exciting rewards while shaping a sustainable future



GUIDELINES

Team Composition:

- ▶ Each team should consist of **2 members**.
- ▶ Students from **grades 9-12** are eligible to participate.
- ▶ **Any number of teams** from a school is allowed.

Registration:

- ▶ Registration is **free of cost**.

Submission Requirements:

- ▶ Project Summary - Students are expected to provide a concise overview of their project idea in this section.
- ▶ A detailed project proposal following Given Template [Optional].
- ▶ A video or photographs of the prototype / project showcasing its functionality [Optional].
- ▶ Submissions must be uploaded via the provided [Registration Link](#).

Format:

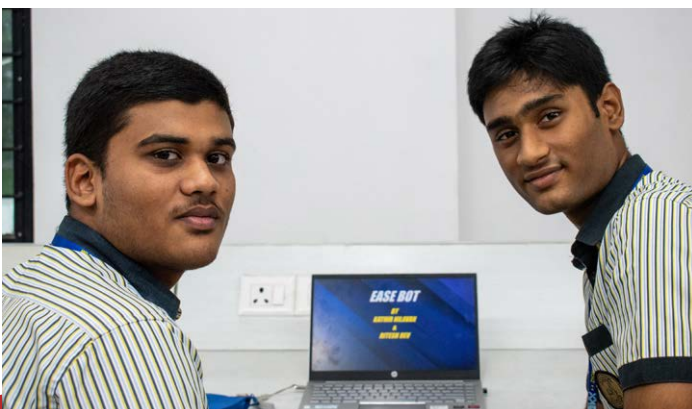
- ▶ Ensure the project files are in acceptable formats (e.g., PDF for the proposal, MP4/PNG/JPG for media).
- ▶ Presentation can contain a maximum of **10 slides**.
- ▶ FileName for Proposal: Team_Name.pdf.
- ▶ For any additional links provided, ensure that anyone with the link can view.

Deadline:

- ▶ The last date to submit the proposals and project media is **10th January 2026**.

Certification:

- ▶ Certificates will be issued to all participants.



QUICK LINKS

Website: [Edu Quest 2025 - SNU Chennai](#)

Instagram: [Official Instagram handle](#)

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/gd2RQX5t9wQNVD1a7>

Presentation Template: [SNUC ProjectX - Presentation Template](#)

Campus Address: [Shiv Nadar University Chennai](#)

GLIMPSES OF PREVIOUS EDITIONS

EduQuest 2022-2023



EduQuest 2023-2024



EduQuest 2024-2025



We eagerly look forward to your participation and are excited to see you excel in this thrilling opportunity!



FAQS

1. What should be submitted in the Registration Form?

- ▶ Project Summary – A concise overview of the project idea in this section
- ▶ A detailed project proposal following the given template.
- ▶ An optional video or photographs showcasing the prototype/project.

2. What file formats are acceptable for the submission?

- ▶ Project proposal: PDF/PPT format.
- ▶ Media files (photos/videos): MP4/PNG/JPG formats.
- ▶ Ensure the proposal file is named "Team_Name.pdf."
- ▶ For any additional links you provide, ensure that anyone with the link can view.

3. How many slides can be included in the presentation?

- ▶ The presentation can contain a maximum of 10 slides (Excluding the first 2 slides in the template).
- ▶ The proposal must adhere to the template and page limit specified.

4. What is the deadline for submission?

- ▶ The deadline to submit the project proposal and media is 10th January 2026.

5. Will certificates be provided?

- ▶ Yes, certificates will be issued to all participants.

6. What is the team size for the competition?

- ▶ The team size is limited to 2 members.

7. Can I submit multiple projects?

- ▶ Each team is allowed to submit only one project. Multiple submissions from the same team will not be accepted.

8. What should I do if I face technical issues while submitting my project?

- ▶ In case of technical difficulties, reach out to the event organizers through the contact details provided in the brochure before the submission deadline.

9. Do I need to provide a working prototype for my project?

- ▶ A working prototype is not mandatory, but your project must be well-documented and demonstrate its functionality through the provided media.
- ▶ You can use any tools or software that are suitable for your project. Just ensure your project is functional and meets the guidelines.

10. How will the results of the competition be announced?

- ▶ The results will be announced after the evaluation of all submissions. The organizers will notify participants through email.

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