



**ALL INDIA OPEN SCHOOL LEVEL
FIDE RATED STANDARD CHESS TOURNAMENT**

AICF EVENT CODE: 488807/WB/2026



FULLY AIR-CONDITIONED VENUE



THE HERITAGE SCHOOL

Bithikapally, Kharun, Rampurhat,
Birbhum, West Bengal, Pin - 731233

NEAR TARAPITH



ORGANISED BY:

CHECK n MATE ACADEMY

RAMPURHAT, BIRBHUM

IN ASSOCIATION WITH:

ALL BIRBHUM DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION & THE HERITAGE SCHOOL, RAMPURHAT

UNDER THE AEGIS OF ALL INDIA CHESS FEDERATION & SARA BANGLA DABA SANGSTHA



HURRY UP!

LAST DATE OF REGISTRATION 15-09-2026

CASH PRIZE POOL

Online Transfer only



RANK	PRIZE	RANK	PRIZE	RANK	PRIZE
4th	₹15k +	7th	₹6k +	10th	₹3k +
5th	₹10K +	8th	₹5K +	11th - 20th	₹2K +
6th	₹8K +	9th	₹4K +	21st - 30th	₹1.5K +

Age Group (Boys & Girls Separately)

FOR BOYS				FOR GIRLS			
	1st	2nd	3rd		1st	2nd	3rd
Under 8 DOB on or after 1/8/2018	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+	Under 8 DOB on or after 1/8/2018	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+
Under 11 DOB between 1/8/15 - 31/7/18	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+	Under 11 DOB between 1/8/15 - 31/7/18	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+
Under 14 DOB between 1/8/12 - 31/7/15	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+	Under 14 DOB between 1/8/12 - 31/7/15	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+
Under 17 DOB between 1/8/09 - 31/7/12	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+	Under 17 DOB between 1/8/09 - 31/7/12	₹1200+	₹1000+	₹800+

One Participant will get the higher value prize and one prize only.

SPECIAL PRIZES & TROPHIES

PRESTIGIOUS CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

TOP 3 SCHOOLS TROPHY

(Based on the Total Points of the Top 4 Players from each school)



IPN "TAKSHASHILA" TROPHY

1ST



IPN "NALANDA" TROPHY

2ND



IPN "VIKRAMSHILA" TROPHY

3RD



TATA SCHOOL BUS BEST CHESS PROMOTING SCHOOL AWARD

This will be presented to the school from each district of West Bengal that demonstrates exceptional commitment to promote chess, based on the highest student participation in the tournament (* School with minimum 5 participants will be considered for this prize).



STATE AWARDS

IPN¹⁰

IPN SCHOOL CHESS STATE CHAMPION



CHAMPION



1ST RUNNER UP



2ND RUNNER UP

Winner of every state
(* State with minimum 10 participants will be considered for this prize).



THE HERITAGE SCHOOL SPECIAL AWARDS



THE HERITAGE SCHOOL "ASHOKA" TROPHY

This will be presented to the winner of the tournament.



THE HERITAGE SCHOOL "SAMUDRAGUPTA" TROPHY

This will be presented to the runners of the tournament.



THE HERITAGE SCHOOL "ABHIMANYU" TROPHY

This will be presented to the Youngest Chess Player of the tournament.

★ CELEBRATING TALENT, HONORING CHAMPIONS! ★

ENTRY FEE

* All payments are non-refundable.

All Students **Rs. 2000** ★ West Bengal School Students **Rs. 1800** ★ Birbhum School Students **Rs. 1500**

Early Bird Discount of Rs. 200 is applicable if entry is made before 31st July 2026.

Late fee of Rs. 200 will be charged on each entry between 15th to 20th September 2026. No entry will be taken after **20th September 2026**.

- Free Participation for **Title Players (Above ELO 2100)** (Limited Entries)
- For participation of **GMs, IMs, WGMs & WIMs** :- (Limited Entries)
 - i) AC Accomodation along with special participation allowance **upto Rs. 50000.**
 - ii) Please contact us at sports.theheritageschool@gmail.com

Once entry fee is paid, cancellation / refund / transfer will not be acceptable.

Limited entries only!

Our Partners

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THE HERITAGE SCHOOL RAMPURHAT

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TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

The tournament will be held from
29th September 2026 to 4th October 2026.

PROGRAMME	DATE	DAY	TIME
ARRIVAL	29.09.2026	TUESDAY	10:30 AM
INAUGURATION	29.09.2026	TUESDAY	11:30 AM
LUNCH	29.09.2026	TUESDAY	12:30 PM
PLAYERS MEETING	29.09.2026	TUESDAY	01:30 PM
GAME - ROUND 1	29.09.2026	TUESDAY	02:00 PM
GAME - ROUND 2	30.09.2026	WEDNESDAY	10:00 AM
GAME - ROUND 3	30.09.2026	WEDNESDAY	02:00 PM
GAME - ROUND 4	01.10.2026	THURSDAY	10:00 AM
GAME - ROUND 5	01.10.2026	THURSDAY	02:00 PM
GAME - ROUND 6	02.10.2026	FRIDAY	10:00 AM
GAME - ROUND 7	03.10.2026	SATURDAY	10:00 AM
GAME - ROUND 8	03.10.2026	SATURDAY	02:00 PM
GAME - ROUND 9	04.10.2026	SUNDAY	09:00 AM
PRIZE DISTRIBUTION	04.10.2026	SUNDAY	02:00 PM
DEPARTURE	04.10.2026	SUNDAY	03:30 PM

TRANSPORT FACILITIES



Vehicle Manager Phone No.
+91 97493 70160

Arrival: Participants arriving by train will be received from Rampurhat Railway Station at 10:30 AM on 29th September 2026.

Departure: Participants will be dropped at Rampurhat Railway Station at 3:30 PM on 4th October 2026.

Transportation: The School will arrange transportation of participants from Rampurhat (Bus Stand) and Tarapith (Atla More) on all other days of the tournament on a fixed time.



RULES & REGULATIONS

> **SYSTEM OF PLAY**

The Latest FIDE Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss system will be followed.

> **MODE OF TOURNAMENT**

Total 9 rounds shall be played.

> **AGE PROOF**

Aadhar, Passport, Birth Certificate to be uploaded .

> **WHO CAN PLAY?**

Any school student (upto Class 12) registered with AICF/SBDS (For West Bengal Players) can participate in the tournament.

> **DRESS CODE**

Participants are required to follow the dress code below throughout the tournament:

First Day (29th September 2026) & Last Day (4th October 2026): School Uniform with a valid School ID Card is mandatory.

Remaining Tournament Days: Participants may wear formal attire, tournament / chess T-shirts, school sports uniforms, or the official uniform / T-shirt of their chess coaching academy or centre.

Note: Participants are expected to be neatly dressed and maintain proper decorum throughout the event.

> **TIME CONTROL**

90 minutes + 30 seconds increment per move from move no. 1

> **DEFAULT TIME (WALK OVER TIME)**

Default time is 30 minutes.

> **TIE BREAK**

Following is the order of tie-break:

- (a) Buchholz Cut1
- (b) Buchholz
- (c) Sonneborn Berger
- (d) Direct encounter
- (e) The greater number of wins (forfeit included)
- (f) The greater number of wins by black.

In case of tie, cash prizes will not be shared.

> **PROTESTS**

Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs 3,000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

> **APPEALS COMMITTEE**

Appeals Committee will be formed by the Tournament Committee after consulting with SBDS and ABDCA.

> **WITHDRAWALS**

A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the chief arbiter in writing.

RULES & REGULATIONS

➤ RIGHTS OF ADMISSION

The AICF/SBDS/ABDCA/ organizer Check n Mate Academy reserve the rights of admission to the venue.

➤ ELECTRONIC DEVICES

All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall. Players in possession of such items will be declared lost.

➤ WITHDRAWAL

A participant may withdraw from the tournament at any stage by submitting a written request to the Chief Arbiter. However, no refund of the entry fee or any other charges shall be made under any circumstances.

➤ DISQUALIFICATION

Organising Committee reserves the right to reject any entry without assigning the reason before/during/after the tournament.

➤ PRIZES

Prizes will not be shared. A player shall be eligible for only one higher cash prize.

Winner of any prize should collect it at the venue only, during the Prize Distribution Function, Prizes will not be given on any next day. No substitute or Third person will be permitted to collect the prize, Concern player must receive their own prize.

➤ MEDALS & CERTIFICATES

Medal & E-Certificate will be awarded to all the participants.

➤ ACCOMMODATION

Participants are requested to make their own accommodation arrangements via online or offline mode. They are welcome to contact any of the following hotels for their stay during the tournament.

There are approximately 100 hotels in Tarapith . Budget accommodation is widely available, with room rates starting from approximately ₹850–₹1,200 per night as per the availability. Premium hotels are also available.

Hotel details will be shared in the whatsapp group by 15th August 2026.

➤ FOOD

Lunch will be available at the school's designated canteen for participants, parents, and accompanying persons on payment. Those wishing to avail of this facility are requested to indicate their preference while filling out the registration form.

Contact No: +91 86178 51840 (Purna Chandra Das)

REGISTRATION PROCESS

PAYMENT DETAILS

Beneficiary Name: THE HERITAGE
Account Type: CURRENT
Account Number: 50200056480691
Bank Name: HDFC BANK
IFSC Code: HDFC0002506



UPI ID: theheritage.82298047@hdfcbank

AICF Registration Link



SBDS Registration Link



REGISTRATION DETAILS

Please click on the link below

Registration Link



OR

Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/184o0x40zhwLiCLbBm6ul5KYJZUtAYKOe7sTgel_QZpc/

SPECIAL THANKS TO...

GM Dibyendu Barua

(Arjuna Awardee)

Vice President (AICF)
& President (SBDS)

**IA Asit Baran
Choudhury**

Secretary (SBDS)

Mr. Bejoy Krishna Sau

Secretary
(All Birbhum District
Chess Association)

ABDCA CORE COMMITTEE

- ▶ Mr. Subhasish Khamrai
- ▶ Mr. Benukar Nandi
- ▶ Mr. Sandip Mandal
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VENUE LOCATION