



50% (50 questions)
[1 Mark each]

NCERT Curriculum

SHASTRA PRATIBHA CONTEST 2024-25 - USEFUL INFORMATION

ONLINE CONTEST-SPC LEVEL 1: SYLLABUS

CONTENT	CONTRIBUTION	CURRICULUM
Science and Mathematics from Text Books	50% (50 questions) [1 Mark each]	NCERT (Please refer to Annexure-1 Seniors) (Please refer to Annexure-2 Juniors)
Indian Contribution to Science	20% (20 questions) [1 Mark each]	SPC Study Material* For Junior (Grade VI, VII, VIII) Chapters 1 to 7 & 9 to 12 For Senior (Grade IX, X, XI) Complete Book
Life story of Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar	20% (20 questions) [1 Mark each]	SPC Study Material
Logic and Reasoning	10% (10 questions) [1 Mark each]	General Reading

ONLINE CONTEST-SPC LEVEL 1: PATTERN OF QUESTION PAPER

Content	Junior and Senior (Classes VI to XI)		
No. of Questions	100	Marks	100*
Structure of Questions	Multiple Choice Questions [1 Mark each]		
Segments	Section-A	40 questions from Indian Contributions to Science: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Contributions to Science• Life story of Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar	
	Section-B	60 questions from <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Text Books of NCERT Curriculum &• Logic and Reasoning (open source)	
Duration (90 minutes)	Section-A	30 Minutes (40 Questions, 40 Marks)	
	Section-B	60 Minutes (60 Questions, 60 Marks)	

Qualifying Criterion	<p>Answers of Section-B will be checked only if a student secures equal or more than 50% (i.e. equal to or more than 20 Marks) in Section-A.</p> <p>*The final merit list to identify participants for Qatar State Level Camp would be prepared on the basis of total marks scored in both segments namely Section-A & Section-B. In case, if there is tie in rankings, marks obtained in Section-A will be the deciding one.</p>
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ONLINE CONTEST- SPC- 2024-25: STUDENT AWARDS

LEVEL	NAME	SELECTION	REWARD
Level -1 Inter-School Contest (Online App based)	Participation	Passing with minimum qualifying criteria	Participation Certificate
	School Toppers	Top 3 rankers per class from each school will be SCHOOL WINNERS. Minimum 10 students per class must be registered from a school to qualify for this category.	Merit Certificate with rank
	Inter-School Toppers	Top 10 rankers per class across all schools will qualify to participate in the Qatar state level camp.	State Level Camp Participation Certificate
Level -2 Qatar State Level Camp	State Level Winners	Top ranking winner from each class (Shastra Pratibha) will qualify to visit R&D institutions or participate in the National Camp in India.*	Shastra Pratibha Certificate
		The second and Third ranking student from each grade will be accorded.	Certificate of Excellence with rank

Certificates will be generated online only. Participating students can download it from profile account (Dashboard). No printed copy of the same will be provided.

** Subject to approvals from the concern authorities and confirmation of parents to bear the cost of air tickets to and fro India. (Tentatively in May 2025).*

Important Notes for Students

For SPC Level -1 Inter-School Contest (Online App based)- Four days before the date of final test, the student will receive an Email notification to download the latest App. This download must be done at least three days prior to the final test date.

The student will not be able to appear for the contest without the latest App (updated version) installed in the desired device.

On Friday, November 22, 2024, students can login in the SPC App anytime from 08:00AM to 05:00PM to write the final test within 90 minutes with his/her selected device (mobile/tablet /laptop).

On receiving this request, the App will verify the following:

- Student's login details – username and password.
- Connection speed and give warning if the speed is below threshold.
- Verify the SPC App ID to make sure that the student is using the latest version of the App.
- After successful verification students will be asked for Invigilator Key which will be available in the SPC App itself. Once the Invigilator Key is entered the test will start at the stipulated time.

No student will be allowed or will be able to login before 08:00AM or after 5:00PM. Students can login only once, final test will not be repeated on any ground.

- Students will have to click on Go To Contest button in SPC App screen to start the test
- Students will see the Instructions on the first page. He/she is requested to read all the instructions carefully and then click "I Agree" button given at the end of the same to start the test.
- There will be Two Segments in Exam Namely **Section-A** and **Section-B**.

Section-A

- Students will be provided 30 minutes to answer 40 questions of Section-A.
- The student will be able to see only one question at a time.
- He/ She will be able to review the answers of section-A, until or unless the final submission of the answers for the section or completion on the time duration i.e., 30 minutes. After that he/she will be redirected to the Section-B.
- Student can edit or change the answers by clicking on the review tab and question number only before the submission of the answers for this section or completion of the time duration.

Section-B

- Students will be provided 60 minutes to answer 60 questions in Section-B.
- The student will be able to see one question at a time.
- He/she will be able to review the answers in this section until or unless the final submission of the answers for this section or before the completion on the time duration i.e., 60 minutes. After that he/she will be redirected to the Final Submission of Answer Sheet.
- Student can edit or change the answers by clicking on the review tab and question number only before the submission of the answers for this section or completion of the time duration.
- After Section B / time elapsed, he/she will be redirected to the Final Submission of Answer Sheet.

- The top panel of the App will display the statistics regarding the number of questions Answered, Marked for Review, Time Left, etc.
- Fifteen minutes before end of the test, the student will get an alert stating “15 minutes are left”.
- Students completing the test before stipulated time can submit his/her answers by clicking on the “SUBMIT” button.
- Once the submission is over student will get a Submission notification and he/she will not be able/allowed to write the test again.
- After completion of the test time, students need to upload answer sheets via all three options (through the App) namely
 - Upload Answer Sheet
 - Upload Text File
 - Email Text File

on 22 November 2024 latest by 21:00 Hrs.

- In case of any connection failure, the answers will be saved automatically by the application to the local system in an encrypted format. The student can upload the answer sheet within the time window as stated above.
- Students to follow instructions mentioned in App before proceeding to final contest.

SIF Qatar request the support from parents to monitor / invigilate the student while taking the test to maintain the integrity.

SPC Level 2 - Qatar State Level Camp will be scheduled for the selected students via interaction with the students in-person. The program will be held tentatively on Friday, December 6, 2024 and the venue will be notified in due course of time.

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