

National Council of Science Museums (NCSM)

Program Schedule for Upcoming Cultural Events/Programs during January 2016 at NCSM Units

Sl. No.	Name	Date	Time	Venue	Details	Remarks
Name of the Centre: Birla Industrial & Technological Museum (BITM), Kolkata						
1.	National science Drama Festival 2016	January 6 to 8, 2016	10:00 am onwards	BITM, Kolkata	Workshop on Drama by Shri Ashoke Vishwanathan National Level Drama Festival for school students Audience and Participants: Students and general public	
2.	Eastern India Science & Engineering Fair 2016	January 12 to 16, 2016	10:00 am onwards	BITM, Kolkata	Exhibition of Science Models by School and College students Audience and Participants: Students and general public	
3.	Seminar on Mobile Telephone Radiation	January 23, 2016	10:00 am onwards	BITM, Kolkata	Speakers will speak on Mobile Telephone Radiation Audience and Participants: General public	
4.	Mental Health Programme	January 27 to 29, 2016	10:00 am onwards	BITM, Kolkata	Motivational Talk jointly with Turning Point Audience and Participants: Students and general public	
5.	Exhibition on Illustrations on Book Cover entitled 'Tagore to Ray'	January 22 to 31, 2016	10:00 am onwards	BITM, Kolkata	Exhibition of Book Illustrations, Lectures by Legendary Illustrators Audience and Participants: Students and general public	

Name of the Centre: North Bengal Science Centre (NBSC), Siliguri						
6.	Annual Science Quiz	2nd & 3rd Week of January, 2016	12 Noon onwards	NBSC, Siliguri	Science Quiz (Preliminary Round) Audience and Participants: School Students Class V to X	
7.	Science Festival	4th Week of January, 2016	11 am onwards	NBSC, Siliguri	Science Fair, Popular Lecture, Quiz, Science Show. Audience and Participants: School Students upto XII	
Name of the Centre: Regional Science Centre (RSC), Bhubaneswar						
8.	Community Programme	Second week of January, 2016	11:00 am onwards	RSC, Bhubaneswar	Lecture on Energy Conservation Audience and Participants: Students & teachers	
9.	Republic Day	January 26, 2016	11:00 am onwards	RSC, Bhubaneswar	Sit & Draw Competition Audience and Participants: Students from Classes I to IV	
Name of the Centre: District Science Centre (DSC), Purulia						
10.	Workshop on Astronomy, Electrical and Arts & Crafts	January 11 to 16, 2016	3:30 pm onwards	DSC, Purulia	Hands on experiment kits making Audience and Participants: Students upto Class X	
11.	Science Festival	January 26 to 29, 2016	11.00 am onwards	DSC, Purulia	Different Competitive & Non-competitive Events Audience and Participants: Students upto Class X	
Name of the Centre: Bardhaman Science Centre, Bardhaman						
12.	Anniversary Day Celebration	January 9, 2016	11:00 am onwards	Bardhaman Science Centre	Popular Science Lecture Sit & Draw, Quiz Competition Valediction & Prize Distribution Audience and Participants: Students from classes VIII to X	

13.	Science Workshop	3rd Week of January 2016	11:00 am onwards	Bardhaman Science Centre	Science Model Making on Physics , Mathematics & Life Science in collaboration of Sarva Sikha Mission Audience and Participants: Students from classes VIII - IX	
Name of the Centre: Srikrishna Science Centre (SSC), Patna						
14.	National Youth Day	January 12, 2016	3 pm onwards	SSC, Patna	1) Panel discussion on work of Swami Vivekananda 2) Special Film, show on Swami Vivekananda Audience and Participants: Students & general public	
Name of the Centre: Dhenkanal Science Centre (DSC), Dhenkanal						
15.	Creative Ability Camp	Fourth Week of January 2016	10:00 am onwards	DSC, Dhenkanal	Making Models on Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics Audience and Participants: Students	
16.	Teachers Training Programme	Fifth Week of January 2016	10:00 am onwards	DSC, Dhenkanal	Making Models on Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics Audience and Participants: Teachers	
Name of the Centre: Visvesvaraya Industrial & Technological Museum (VITM), Bangalore						
17.	District Level School Science Quiz –	January 05 to 09, 2016	11.00 AM & 3.00 PM	VITM, Bangalore	Quarter Final Audience and Participants: High School Students	
18.	Southern India	January 19 to 23,	10.00 AM	VITM,	Inauguration, Exhibition &	

	Science Fair	2016	to 5.00 PM	Bangalore	Valediction Audience and Participants: Students and General Public	
19.	Sky Observation Programme	January 01, January 06, January 08, January 13, January 15, January 20, January 22, January 27, January 29, 2016	6.00 PM to 7.00 PM	VITM, Bangalore	-- Audience and Participants: Students and General Public	
Name of the Centre: Regional Science Centre, Tirupati (RSCT)						
20.	Road Safety Week - 2016	January 01, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Inauguration & Open House Quiz Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 02, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Inter-school Science Quiz Audience and Participants: School Students	
		January 03, 2016	10.30 am	RSCT	Sit and Draw Contest Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 04, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Science Film Shows Audience and Participants: School Students	
		January 05, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Workshop on First Aid Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 06, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Popular Science Lecture Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	

		January 07, 2016	3.00 pm	RSCT	Valediction and Prize Distribution Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
21.	Vacation Hobby Camp	January 10, 2016	3.30 pm to 5.00 pm	RSCT	Herbal Plants – Biology Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 11, 2016		RSCT	Fun with Chemistry Audience and Participants: School Students	
		January 12, 2016		RSCT	Make it Your Self- Electronics Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 13, 2016		RSCT	Origami & Mathematics Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 14, 2016		RSCT	Computer Hardware Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 15, 2016		RSCT	Make it Your Self- Physics Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 16, 2016		RSCT	Make it Your Self- Physics Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
22.	Republic Day Celebration	January 26, 2016	9.00 am	RSCT	Flag Hoisting Audience and Participants: Staff of RSCT and ACM	
			10.30 am	RSCT	Open House Quiz Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	

23.	Oil & Gas Conservation	January 30, 2016	3.00 pm	R SCT	Workshop on Biodiesel Audience and Participants: School Students & General Public	
		January 31, 2016	10.30 am	R SCT	Painting Contest Audience and Participants: School Students	
Name of the Centre: District Science Centre, Gulbarga (DSCG)						
24.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 02, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Elocution contest Audience and Participants: High School students	
25.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 03, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Family Quiz contest Audience and Participants: Parents & students	
26.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 04, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Drawing and painting competition Audience and Participants: School students	
27.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 05, 2016	03.00 pm	DSCG	Final round of Gulbarga Dist. Level Science Quiz Audience and Participants: High School students	
28.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 06, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Popular Science Lecture Audience and Participants: High School students	
29.	DSCG Anniversary Week	January 06, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Open house Quiz Audience and Participants: High School students	
30.	Written	January 10,	11.00 am	DSCG	Reward the Visitor Contest	

	Questionnaire	2016			Audience and Participants: Visitors	
31.	CAC	January 11, to 20, 2016	4.00 pm to 5.30 pm	DSCG	Hobby course in Chemistry Audience and Participants: High School students	
32.	Interschool Science Quiz	January 26, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Republic Day Audience and Participants: School students	
33.	Outdoor SDL	January 28, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Outdoor SDL Audience and Participants: High School students	
34.	Outdoor SDL	January 29, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Outdoor SDL Audience and Participants: High School students	
35.	Demonstration-based Quiz	January 31, 2016	11.00 am	DSCG	Special Quiz contest Audience and Participants: DSCG Activity club student-members	
Name of the Centre: District Science Centre, Tirunelveli (DSCT)						
36.	Birth Anniversary of Louis Braille	January 04, 2016	10:30 am	DSCT	Essay writing contest for Visually Challenged Students Audience and Participants: Students	
37.	Rural Science Camp	January 10, 2016	10.30 am	Rural	Science Camp Audience and Participants: General Public	
38.	District Science Quiz – Semi Finals	January 22 & 23, 2016	10.00 am	DSCT	Quiz Audience and Participants: Students	
39.	Outdoor SDL	January 27, 2016	10.00 am	Schools	Science Demonstration Audience and Participants: Students and Teachers	

Name of the Centre: Nehru Science Centre, Mumbai (NSCM)						
40.	7 th Batch of Innovation Hub	January 1 to January 31, 2016	11:00 AM to 1:00 PM & 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM	NSCM	7 th batch of Innovation Hub Activities is beginning at the Centre starting from January 02, 2016. The registration for the same has already been started. Audience and Participants: Students	
41.	Teachers Training Programme	January, 2016	11:00 AM to 4:00 PM	NSCM	The Centre proposed to organise Teacher's Training Programme for in service school teachers / trainee teachers during the month in which participants are going to make teaching aids to explain different scientific concepts. Audience and Participants: School/B.Ed. College Students	
42.	Annual Inter-School Science Quiz Contest	January, 2016	11:30 AM & 12:30 PM	NSCM	Interschool Science Quiz 2015-16 is being jointly organized by Nehru Science Centre, Rotary Club of Bombay Queen City and Rotary Club of Bombay Pier with their support. The contests are organized separately for Marathi and English medium schools of Mumbai and its suburbs. The verbal rounds of this contest will be conducted for selected English & Marathi Medium Schools. Audience and participants: Students	
43.	Innovation Festival	January 29 to	--	NSCM	The Centre will organise	

		31, 2016			Innovation Festival for promoting culture of innovation for three days during January 29 to 31, 2016 at the Centre. This festival will provide a platform for artisans, creators, makers & innovators to showcase their innovation, talent and creativity to a large number of visitors who visit this Centre. Audience and Participants: Students & General Public	
44.	Second phase of Mobile Science Exhibition(MSE) in Nashik and Dhule District	January 1 to January 16, 2016	--	Schools in Nashik and Dhule districts	MSE bus will continue mobile science exhibition programmes in the schools of Nashik and Dhule districts till 16 th January, 2016. Audience and Participants: Students and general public.	
Name of the Centre: Raman Science Centre & Planetarium, Nagpur (RSCN)						
45.	Mobile Science Exhibition	January 01 to 28, 2016	10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Rural Area Schools of Wardha Dist.	Science Exhibition on Fun Science, Film Shows, Sky Observation & Science Demonstration programme. Audience and Participants: School Students and General Public	
46.	Science Expo-2016	January 09 to 13, 2016	11:30 AM to 5:30 PM	RSCN	Exposition by Scientific & Research Organisations and Popular Lecture series. Audience and Participants: Students and General Public	
47.	Travelling Exhibition: 'Water	January 01 to	10:30 AM to 6:00 PM	RSCN	Exhibition: Water For Life & Popular Talk Series and other	

	for Life'	31, 2016			community programmes like Street Play, Essay Contest, Elocution contest etc. Audience and Participants: Students and General Public
48.	Inter School Science Quiz Contest	Third Week of January 2016	12:00 Noon to 1:30 PM & 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM	RSCN	Semi Final & Final rounds of Inter School Science Quiz Contest for the students of State board as well as CBSE Boards. Audience and Participants: Class VIII to X
Name of the Centre: Regional Science Centre, Bhopal (RSCB)					
49.	Annual Science Quiz	January 01 to 31, 2016	11:00 AM to 12:00 Noon (MS Grp) 12:00 Noon to 1:00 PM (HS Grp)	RSCB	Two students each from High Schools and Middle Schools will participate in the contest. The questions will be asked to the students from their syllabus, exhibits of the Centre and general science topics. Audience and Participants: School Students
50.	22 nd Anniversary Day of RSCB	January 07 to 12, 2016	11:00 AM to 1:30 PM	RSCB	To mark the anniversary of the Centre, various educational activities, contests, lectures, meet the scientists programme, PPT Contest etc. will be organised during the period. Audience and Participants: School Students
51.	Computer Awareness	January 05 to	11:00 AM to	Computer Room	Programme is planned for Senior Citizens and House Makers in

	Programmes	09, 2016	5:00 PM		collaboration with Microsoft Corporation, New Delhi. Audience and Participants: Pre-registered Sr. Citizens & House Makers	
52.	Temporary Exhibition 'World of Crystallography'	--	--	RSCB	The centre shall organise a temporary exhibition on World of Crystallography. The exhibition consist of panels, exhibits, 3D models, multimedia and quiz. Audience and Participants: School Students as well as General public	
Name of the Centre: Regional Science Centre & Planetarium, Calicut (RSCC)						
53.	Science Film Making Workshop	January 04 to 06, 2016	10:30 AM to 5:30 PM	RSCC	The main objectives of the workshops are capacity building and orientation in the area of science and environment film making. Audience and Participants: General Public and Students	
54.	19 th Anniversary Week Celebration	January 25 to 30, 2016	11:00 AM	RSCC	Various competitions like painting, elocution etc., & lectures Audience and Participants: Students & Public	

Name of the Centre: Goa Science Centre, Panaji (GSCP)						
55.	Mobile Science Exhibition	January 01 to 08, 2016	08:00 AM	Karwar/ Belgaum	A mobile bus containing 24 exhibits on theme WATER will go to the remote schools and stays there for 2 days and will show the exhibits, conduct SDL's, Film shows etc. Audience and Participants: School Students	
56.	National Youth Day	January 12, 2016	10:00 AM	GSCP	A special programme will be organised for college students to spread the message given by Swamy Vivekananda. Audience and Participants: College Students	
57.	SCIFFI – Science film festival of India in collaboration with DSTE, Govt. of Goa and Vigyan Parishad, Goa	January 14 to 16, 2016	10:00 AM	GSCP Auditorium, ESG, GOA	Selected & award winning Science film shows will be screened to students followed by interactive sessions from eminent scientists from Goa University, NIO, ISRO, BARC etc. Audience and Participants: School Students	
58.	Preliminary Rounds, QF, SF and Final rounds of Annual Science Quiz-2015-16	January 06 to 31, 2016	11:00 AM	GSCP Auditorium	Science Quiz Contest is a regular activity of every science centre. These contests, both written as well as oral, are organised on knock out basis for schools of the city, town or district of operation of the science centre. The objective is to instill a sense of competition and enhance interest and knowledge of students in	

					science and technology. Questions are also asked on the exhibits of the centre to evaluate their understanding. Audience and Participants: School Students	
Name of the Centre: District Science Centre, Dharampur (DSCD)						
59.	Mobile Science Exhibition	January 01 to 29, 2016	10:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Different schools of South Gujarat	Curriculum based Mobile Science Exhibition will be displayed in different schools of Surat / Navasari District – two days in each school Audience and Participants: High School Students	
60.	Quadrantids Meteor Shower Observation	January 04, 2016	4:00 AM	Swami Narayan Vidyalay Nana Ponda	Quadrantids Meteor Shower Observation Audience and Participants: Teachers & High School Students	
61.	Workshop on simple teaching aids for DIET students	January 28 to 30, 2016	10:30 AM to 4:30 PM	DSCD	Students will fabricate simple teaching aids. Audience and Participants: DIET students	
62.	Makar Sanskranti	January 14, 2016	11:00 AM	DSCD	Power point presentation on Apparent movement of Sun in Sky. Audience and Participants: High School Students	
63.	Simple Science in Sunday Seating	January 03, January 10, January 17, January 24, January 31, 2016	11:00 AM	DSCD	Reading earth globe, understanding latitude & longitude etc. Audience and Participants: Students of Std VII	

64.	Sky Observation Programmes	January 02, January 03, January 09, January 10, January 16, January 17, January 23, January 24, January 30, January 31, 2016	6.30 pm onwards	DSCD	Visitors will be shown astronomical objects through telescope. Audience and Participants: Any body	
Name of the Centre: National Science Centre, Delhi (NSCD)						
65.	Innovation Sessions	January 01 to 31, 2016	10.30am -12.30pm	Innovation Space	Sessions on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker out of waste • Electric Motor • Tod Phod Jod(Electric Iron) • Tod Phod Jod(Lock) • Innovative Top • Measuring Gravitational Pull • Know Your Body, Blood • Rocket Launch Audience and Participants: School Students	
66.	Invitation to students from Delhi Government	January 01 to 31, 2016	10.00am to 5.00pm	NSCD	NSC Delhi in collaboration with Department of Education, Govt. of NCT Delhi has launched a special drive to invite students. The package includes visit and demonstration in various	

					galleries of the Centre and 3D show on demand. Audience and Participants: School students	
67.	Swachh Bharat Awareness Programme	January 01 to 31, 2016	10.00 am- 12.30 am	Reception Area of NSCD	Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Awareness Campaign for school students and general public Audience and Participants: Invited school groups & general visitors	
68.	City Level Science Fair	January 18 to19, 2016	10.30am -04.30pm	NSCD	Display of Science Models by Invited School Students Audience and Participants: School Students and general public	
69.	Northern India Science Fair	January 19 to 20, 2016	10.30am -04.30pm	NSCD	Display of Science Models by Invited School Students Audience and Participants: School Students and general public	
70.	Innovation Fair	January 21 to 24, 2016	10.30am -04.30pm	NSCD	Display of Science Models , crafts etc by invited innovators, Students, and general public Audience and Participants: School Students and general	

					public	
Name of the Centre: Regional Science City, Lucknow (RSCL)						
71.	Mobile Science Exhibition	January 01 to 22, 2016	As per school timing	Distt. Allahabad & Varanashi	organize 3 day programme for Mobile exhibition, Film show & Science Demonstration Lecture etc. in one site total site 10 nos. of site Audience and Participants: For school students & general visitors	
72.	Teachers Training Programme	January 05 to 09, 2016	2.00 pm - 4.30 pm	RSCL	Developing of low cost teaching aids for use in classrooms teaching as teaching aid. Audience and Participants: For Invited Teachers/B.Ed. students	
Name of the Centre: Kurukshetra Panorama & Science Centre (KPSC), Kurukshetra						
73.	Principal's Meet	January 11, 2016	10.30am to 01.30pm	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	In this programme Science Demonstration Lectures will be organized on topics like Amazing Physics and Fantastic Chemistry with the guided visit to the galleries, Science Park and other facilities of the centre to convince, how Science Centres can be effective towards learning & providing catalytic support for their school curriculum. Audience and Participants:	

					Principals & Science Teachers	
74.	Sci-picnic	January 12 to 19, 2016	10.30am to 11.30am	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	Daily Science Demonstration Lectures will be organized on topics like Amazing Physics, Know Your Nature, Human Body and Fantastic Chemistry according to the student's classes. The students will be taken to the guided visit to the galleries, Science Park and other facilities of the centre. Audience and Participants: Students	
75.	Teacher's Training Programme	January 20, 2016	10.30am to 04.30pm	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	In this programme, Science Demonstration Lectures will be organized on topics like Amazing Physics and Fantastic Chemistry with the guided visit to the galleries, Science Park and other facilities of the centre. They will also be given hands on knowledge on developing science kits which will be helpful in their teaching. Audience and Participants: Pre-Service Science Teachers	
76.	Blood Donation Camp	January 26, 2016	10.30am to 01.30pm	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	There will be a Blood Donation Camp in the Auditorium of KPSC, Kurukshetra on the occasion of Republic Day. Audience and Participants: all interested visitors and organised groups.	

77.	Popular Science Lecture Series on International Year of Light	January 27 to 28, 2016	10.30am to 01.30pm	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	There will be a Popular Science Lecture Series to commemorate International Year of Light in the Auditorium of KPSC, Kurukshetra. Other programmes include Live demonstration on Light and a Quiz contest on the same. Audience and Participants: Students
78.	Annual Science Quiz	January 30 to 31, 2016	10.30am to 01.30pm	Auditorium, KPSC, Kurukshetra	There will be a written Preliminary round of the Annual Science Quiz on January 30, 2016. Participating teams will be short listed on the merit basis through an objective type question paper. Audience and Participants: Students
79.	Sky Observation Programme	January 30 to 31, 2016	05.00pm to 7.00pm	Science Park, KPSC, Kurukshetra	Sky Observation Programme will be organised in the every evening in the Science park of Kurukshetra Panorama & Science Centre through Celestron telescope. Audience and Participants: The General Visitor & School Students
Name of the Centre: Science City, Kolkata					
80.	Large Format Film on "ADRENALINE RUSH – The Science of Risk"	January 01 to 21, 2016	11.30 am (English) 12.30 pm (Hindi) 1.30 pm (English) 3.00 pm (Bengali)	Space Theatre of Science City, Kolkata	The present film ADRENALINE RUSH takes a look at the world of Skydiving and Base-jumping. While providing breathtaking

			4.00 pm(English) 5.00 pm(Hindi) 6.00 pm (English)		views of Skydiving over the Florida keys, the Mojave deserts and in the magnificent fjords of Norway, this giant screen experience the psychological and physiological forces behind risk taking and the physics involved in these activities. In doing so it also shows us how risk taking is part of everyday life. Audience and Participants: All	
81.	3D Show on 'MUMMIES – Secrets of the Pharaohs'	January 01 to 31, 2016	10.30 am onwards	3D Theatre Hall of Science City	It is an educational film of 24 minutes duration. Here, the explorers try to understand the ancient Egyptian culture, religion, and medicines that were used for preserving 'mummies'. By reconstructing the DNA, scientists try to better understand the present-day genetics and advance medical treatments. Audience and Participants: All	
82.	Nano shows	January 01 to 31, 2016	12.00 noon 3.00 pm 4.00 pm 5.00 pm	Nano Lab of Science City	How Nano Science & Technology is going to help mankind in bringing novel technologies and materials are explained through live demos & videos. Hands-on experiments are arranged for school students. Audience and Participants: All interested visitors and organised	

					school groups.	
83.	Science Show on 'Dry Ice'	January 01 to 31, 2016	11.00 am, 1.45 pm & 4.00 pm	Dynamotion Hall of Science City	Properties of Dry Ice and Liquid Nitrogen are explained in these shows. Audience and Participants: all interested visitors and organised school groups	
	Science Show on 'Unexpected Science'		11.45 am, 2.30 pm & 4.45 pm	-do-		
	Science Show on 'Liquid Nitrogen'		12.30 pm and 3.15 pm	-do-		
84.	Press Preview of next Large Format Film "AMAZING JOURNEYS"	January 22, 2016 (Tentative date)	3.00 pm	Space Theatre of Science City, Kolkata	It is a 40-minutes film. This film deals with the world's largest animal migrations - namely zebras in Africa, red crabs on Christmas Island, gray whales in Mexico's beautiful lagoons and monarch butterflies in the Mexican highlands, including migration of some exotic tribes in Africa. Audience and Participants: Print and electronic media people, including invitees.	
Name of the Centre: Regional Science Centre, Guwahati (RSCG)						
85.	Indian Tourism Day	January 25, 2016	10.00am to 06.00pm	Regional Science Centre, Guwahati	The details of the programmes are given below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art Competition for children • Science Show 	

					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science Quiz Competition • Science Film Show • Observation of Night sky through Telescope(subject to clear sky) <p>Audience and Participants: Students, Teachers and General public</p>	
86.	State Science and Engineering Fair	January 29 and 30, 2016	09.00 am to 05.30 pm	Regional Science Centre, Guwahati	<p>Following educational programmes will be conducted during the days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inauguration of Fair • Popular talk • Science Show • Interaction with Scientist • Valedictory Function <p>Audience and Participants: Special Children, children parents, Teachers and General public</p>	