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The **Mukhyamantri Vigyan Pratibha Parikshais** conducted annually by The Directorate of Education, GNCT of Delhi, for students studying in Class-IXth. It is meant to identify and nurture the talented students studying in class IXth.

Scheme details; -

Scholarship is awarded to the meritorious candidates whose merit is within top 1000 rank (Category wise). They are eligible for one-time scholarship of Rs.5000/- and a merit certificate.

Date of Examination:

The Exam will be conducted at various centers in DOE schools of Delhi on 21/11/2026 (Saturday) [Tentative].

Eligibility:

- (i) The students presently studying in Class IX in Govt., Govt. Aided, Unaided recognized Pvt. Schools including the Kendriya Vidyalaya, Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, School of NDMC, DCB, etc. in GNCT of Delhi.
- (ii) The Students who have secured minimum 60% marks in class VIII for General and OBC category and 55% marks for the reserved categories (SC/ST/PH) in the session 2025-26.

Reservation :-

15% of the students belonging to the SC Category, 7.5% for students belonging to the ST category and 27% for students belonging to OBC category (**Non-creamy layer**) as per Government of NCT Delhi Revenue Department, 10% for Economically Weaker Section (EWS) those who have not covered under the reservation scheme for SC/ST/OBC, 4%(within category) for children with benchmark disabilities, of which, one percent each shall be reserved for persons with bench mark Disabilities under clauses (a), (b) and (c) and one per cent for persons with benchmark disabilities under clauses (d) and (e) namely :-

- (a) Blindness and low vision; (Visually impaired low vision)
- (b) Deaf and hard of hearing; (Hearing impaired)
- (c) Locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims and muscular dystrophy; (LD)
- (d) Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness; (AID)
- (e) Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under clauses (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness in the posts identified for each disabilities (MD)

Examination Pattern:

The pattern of written examination will be as follows–:

Paper	Test	No. of Questions	No. of Marks	Duration (in minutes)
Paper-I	Mental Ability Test (MAT)	100	100	100
Paper-II	Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)	100	100	100
There will be no negative marking in examination.				

Selection: -

(i) Qualifying Marks for candidates belonging to SC/ST/PH category is 32% in both tests (MAT & SAT) and for candidates belonging to General/OBC (NCL)/EWS category, it is 40% in both tests (MAT & SAT).

(ii) The selected students as per merit (Category wise) and as per quota will be recommended for scholarship.

How to Apply:

(i) The HoS can register the students on the website of the Directorate of Education www.edudel.nic.in with their own school login ID and Password

► School Plant► Scholarship► School information entry form► Application form.

(ii) The schools can register their eligible enrolled students from 09/09/2026 to 05/10/2026.

(iii) The Directorate of Education, Science Branch will generate Roll Numbers of the candidates and allot the Centers of Examination by 11 November 2026. [Tentative]

(iv) The HoS shall take print out of the admit card, attest student's pasted photo as well as admit card, and issue 2 (Two) copies to the students on or before 20th November 2026.

NOTE:-

Heads of Schools are requested to ensure the following (while submitting the application form): -

1. EWS candidates shall provide EWS (Economic Weaker Section) certificate (not Income certificate), which shall be valid for the year 2026-27.
2. The OBC candidates shall provide OBC (Latest Non-Creamy Layer) Certificate issued by Government of NCT Delhi Revenue Department only.
3. If EWS/OBC (Latest Non-Creamy Layer)/SC/ST/PH certificate is not provided by the candidate at the time of application/registration, then the school must register them as a general candidate.
4. The account/bank details shall be of the concerned student only. Account Details of parents will be considered invalid.

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(ii) The selected students as per merit and as per state quota will be recommended for scholarship to the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

How to Apply: (i) The School HoSs can register the students on the website of the Directorate of Education www.edudel.nic.in with their own school login ID and Password

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(ii) The school can register their eligible enrolled students from 09/09/2026 to 05/10/2026.

(iii) The Directorate of Education, Science Branch will generate Roll Numbers of the candidates and allot the Centers of Examination by 25th November 2026[Tentative].

(iv) The HoS shall take print out of the admit card, attest student's pasted photo as well as admit card, and issue 2 (Two) copies to the students on or before 04th December 2026.

Note: - (i) The HoS is directed to ensure that **only Aadhar based details of candidate are provided in the registration form (Like Name, date of Birth and Father's Name etc.)**

(ii) The HoS shall also ensure that category (UR/OBC/SC/ST/PH) of the student is filled correctly, since after the declaration of result, no request for change of category shall be entertained. Further, after the publication of the merit list, any selected student who fails to furnish the required category certificate (OBC/SC/ST/PH, as applicable) within the specified timeframe, shall have their candidature automatically cancelled without any prior notice.

This issues with the prior approval of the competent authority.

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