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PICA'S ALL INDIA

OPEN FIDE RATING

— BELOW 1800 CHESS TOURNAMENT —



11th - 13th **SEPTEMBER 2026**

PRIZE FUNDS

₹6,60,000/-

TOTAL PRIZES

125+



AICF EVENT CODE

485293/TG/2026

Under the aegis of

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Organized by

Pratyusha Chess Academy-PICA



DAILY LUCKY DRAW - WIN GOLD COINS



VENUE PARTNER



Sri Chaitanya Future Pathways Global School

Mixapur Hyderabad



TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE



11 th SEPTEMBER 2026	1st Round	09:30 AM
	2nd Round	01:00 PM
	3rd Round	04:00 PM
12 th SEPTEMBER 2026	4th Round	09:30 AM
	5th Round	01:00 PM
	6th Round	04:00 PM
13 th SEPTEMBER 2026	7th Round	08:30 AM
	8th Round	12:00 PM
	9th Round	03:00 PM
PRIZE DISTRIBUTION		06:00 PM



BELOW 1800 – MAIN PRIZES



RANK	PRIZE	RANK	PRIZE
1	₹1,11,111 + Trophy + Medal	11	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
2	₹66,666 + Trophy + Medal	12	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
3	₹30,000 + Trophy + Medal	13	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
4	₹20,000 + Trophy + Medal	14	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
5	₹10,000 + Trophy + Medal	15	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
6	₹8,223 + Trophy + Medal	16	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
7	₹7,000 + Trophy + Medal	17	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
8	₹6,000 + Trophy + Medal	18	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
9	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal	19	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
10	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	20	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal



PRIZE STRUCTURE

★ RATING CATEGORY PRIZES ★

Rank	1400–1500 Rating	1501–1600 Rating	1601–1700 Rating	Unrated
1	₹20,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹20,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹20,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹20,000 + Trophy + Medal
2	₹15,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹15,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹15,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹15,000 + Trophy + Medal
3	₹10,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹10,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹10,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹10,000 + Trophy + Medal
4	₹7,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹7,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹7,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹7,000 + Trophy + Medal
5	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal
6	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal
7	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal
8	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal
9	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal
10	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal

★ AGE GROUP PRIZES ★

Position	Under 07	Under 09	Under 11	Under 13
1st Prize	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal
2nd Prize	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal
3rd Prize	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
4th to 10th	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal

★ BEST FEMALE PRIZES ★

	1st Prize	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal
	2nd Prize	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal
	3rd Prize	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
	4th Prize	Trophy + Medal
	5th Prize	Trophy + Medal

★ BEST VETERAN PRIZES ★

	1st Prize	₹5,500 + Trophy + Medal
	2nd Prize	₹5,000 + Trophy + Medal
	3rd Prize	₹4,500 + Trophy + Medal
	4th Prize	Trophy + Medal
	5th Prize	Trophy + Medal

★ BEST PICA PRIZES ★

1	1st Prize	₹6,500 Trophy + Medal
2	2nd Prize	₹6,000 Trophy + Medal
3	3rd Prize	₹5,500 Trophy + Medal
4	4th Prize	₹5,000 Trophy + Medal
5	5th Prize	₹4,500 Trophy + Medal





TOURNAMENT

RULES & REGULATIONS



ELIGIBILITY

- 1 **TOTAL NUMBER OF ROUNDS:** 9 ROUNDS.
- 2 **Eligibility:**
 - All Indian players (Rated/Unrated, Professional/Amateur) are eligible to participate.
 - Non-Indian players must possess a valid FIDE ID under their respective country or a licensed FIDE ID under the FIDE flag before registration.
 - The Organizing Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.
 - The tournament is open to players from all parts of the world.
 - No age limit.
- 3 **System of Play:** The tournament will be conducted according to the latest FIDE Laws of Chess using Swiss Manager.
- 4 **Time Control:** 45 minutes + 30 seconds increment from move 1 for the entire game.
- 5 **Default Time:** 30 Minutes.
- 6 **AICF Registration:** All Indian participants must be registered with AICF for the year 2026–27.
 - For renewing existing AICF registration, visit <https://prs.aicf.in/>.
 - For new registrations, visit <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>.
 - **Registration fee:** ₹300/-.
- 7 **Discipline:** Any player or parent who disrupts the decorum of the tournament will face exclusion from the event.
- 8 **Appeals Committee:** A five-member appeals committee (including 2 reserves) will be formed before the start of the tournament.
- 9 **Protests:** Any protest against the decision of the Chief Arbiter must be submitted in writing with a protest fee of ₹3000/- within 15 minutes of the incident. The fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld; otherwise, it will be forfeited.



SYSTEM OF PLAY

- 10 **Electronic Devices:** All types of electronic devices and wristwatches (any kind of watch) are not allowed in the playing arena.
- 11 **Withdrawals:** A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage by informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.
- 12 **Tiebreak (Latest Tiebreak Criteria):**
 1. Buchholz Cut-1
 2. Buchholz
 3. Sonneborn–Berger
 4. Direct encounter
 5. Greater number of wins (including forfeit wins)
 6. Greater number of wins with black pieces





TOURNAMENT

RULES & REGULATIONS



- 13 Age Category Players:** Players are eligible for prizes only in their own age category and not in any higher age category.
- 14 Category Prize:** The organizer may ask players to provide valid proof of date of birth. By registering for the tournament, players agree to present their date-of-birth proof whenever required for the tournament.
- 15 Best Veteran Prizes:** Players who have completed 60 years of age are eligible for Veteran Prize.
- 16 Prize Money:** Prize money will not be shared. Each player will receive only one higher prize.



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<https://prs.aicf.in/>



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AICF ID NEW REGISTRATION LINK

<https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>



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VENUE



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Sri Chaitanya Future Pathways ...

C9J3+QHM, Miyapur, Hyderabad,
Telangana 500049

4.6 ★★★★★ 198 reviews

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Directions



GSM Mall & Multiplex

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**Sri Chaitanya Future
Pathways Global School**



Miyapur Police Station
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Miyapur Bus Stop
మియాపూర్ బస్ స్టేషన్

Krishna Reddy Pet Shop

Kondapur Village Rd

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PAYMENT DETAILS

★ ENTRY FEE STRUCTURE ★

Category	Regular Fee (₹)	20 Jun – 05 Jul (₹)	06 Jul – 15 Aug (₹)	From 16 Aug (₹)
 BELOW 1800	3,300	2,000	2,500	3,300

★ **GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs – FREE**

★ IMPORTANT DATES ★



LAST DATE OF ENTRY
8th September 2026



ENTRY WITH
LATE FEE OF ₹500/-
UNTIL 10th SEPTEMBER 2026
4:00 PM



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PRATYUSHA CHESS ACADEMY PICA

★ UPI PAYMENT OPTIONS ★



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pratyusha bodda

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Player details along with
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BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

Account Number : **50200117920901**
IFSC Code : **HDFC0005424**
Account Type : **Current Account**
Account Holder Name : **Pratyusha Chess Academy**



NOTE

★ Accommodation

Free Accommodation for
GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs,
on double sharing basis.



★ TELANGANA STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION ★



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Chairman AICF's
National CIS



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President



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★ *We look forward to welcoming you to a great chess event!* ★

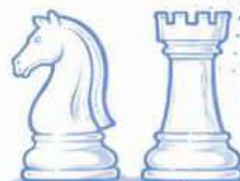


PRATYUSHA CHESS ACADEMY

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★ GOVERNING BODIES & TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE ★



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