







ODISHA STATE (U-9) OPEN & GIRLS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

03rd to 05th May 2025

Venue: Srusti Academy of Management

38/1, Chandaka Industrial Estate, Near, Infocity, Patia, Bhubaneswar, Odisha 751024

PRIZE FUND









Entry Fee **₹ 600/**- Master Chess Foundation and

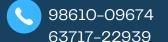
Srusti Academy of Management and Technology

Last date of Entry: 05:00 PM on 01 May 2025.

Late fee 100/- will be charged till 05:00 PM on 02 May 2025.

Under the aegis of

All Odisha Chess Association





AOCA Registration: All participants must register with the All Odisha Chess Association (AOCA). The registration process requires a completed registration form, a copy of the Date of Birth Certificate (issued by the Municipality or Gram Panchayat), a passport-sized photograph of the player, and a registration fee of ₹200/- (Rupees two hundred only), which will be collected at the venue.

Eligibility: Players should born on or after 01.01.2016.

Main Prizes OPEN & GIRLS				
Champion	₹ 2,000	Y		
Runner-up	₹ 1,400	T		
Third	₹ 1,200			
Fourth	₹ 1,000			
Fifth	₹ 800			
Sixth	₹ 800			
Seventh	₹ 700			
Eighth	₹ 700			
Nineth	₹ 700			
Tenth	₹ 700			

BOYS & GIRLS	1	2	3
U05	¥	¥	¥
U06	¥	¥	¥
U07	¥	¥	¥
U08	¥	<u>¥</u>	¥





SCHEDULE			
03.05.2025 SATURDAY	09:00	Reporting	
	09:30	Technical Meeting	
	10:00	Inauguration	
	10:30	Round 1	
	14:00	Round 2	
	16:30	Round 3	
04.05.2025 SUNDAY	09:30	Round 4	
	14:00	Round 5	
	16:30	Round 6	
05.05.2025 MONDAY	09:30	Round 7	
	14:00	Round 8	
	17:30	Prize Distribution	

Registration: Entry will be submitted through google form link:

https://forms.gle/AXX2JE1VZSr9hqoB6

The following entry details are required to fill-up.

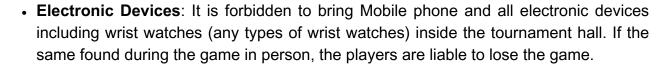
- Name, FIDE ID (if available), Gender, DOB, District & payment proof of Registration fees before 05 P.M. of 01st May 2025.
- Document to be upload scanned copy of Date of Birth & payment proof of registration.



RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1. The championship will be played under FIDE's Laws of Chess and the Swiss system. Total 8 rounds of game shall be played. The rate of play will be 60 minutes with an increment of 30 second per move from move number 1.
- 2. The followings tie-break will be applied.
 - a. Buchholz Cut 1
 - b. Buchholz
 - c. Sonneborn-Berger
 - d. Direct Encounter
 - e. The greater number of wins (forfeit included)
 - f. Greater no. of wins in Black





- Players shall not agree for a draw without the consent of the arbiter, before each player makes 30 moves.
- **Protest**: Protest if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs. 1,000/- within 30 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is up held.
- **Appeals Committee**: Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committees shall be formed by the organisers.
 - a. All the members and reserves shall be from different districts.
 - b. No member of the Committee can vote on a dispute in which a player from his own district is involved and, in such case(s), the reserve members shall take his place in the committee.
- **Tournament Committee**: The organizers will form a tournament committee for the smooth conduct of the State Championship.
- Interpretation: For interpretation of the rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the Tournament Committee shall be final and binding on all.
- State Qualifiers: The top two (2) players from each category will be selected to represent Odisha State in the forthcoming National (U-9) OPEN & GIRLS Chess Championships to be held at Pragyanam School, Sector-65, Gurugram, Haryana from 15-21 June 2025.
- A player can withdraw at any stage of the event after informing Chief Arbiter in writing.
- Participants who complete the championship will get the E-Certificate through odishachess.com
- The AOCA/ organiser will have the right to accept/reject any entry without assigning any reason.





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