



# NATIONAL CHILDREN'S SCIENCE CONGRESS

**FOCAL THEME FOR 2017**  
**SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION**  
**FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**  
WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON ACCESSIBILITY FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY

Golden opportunity to participate in the Silver Jubilee year of NCSC and to unleash your curiosity for science and discovery



NCSC Programme in Gujarat  
District Level: Aug- Sept 2017  
State Level: October 2017  
National Level of NCSC  
27 to 31 December 2017

NCSC: An ideal and innovative programme for children to inspire, empower and expand for their Mind and World.

**Sub Themes:**  
Natural Resource Management  
Food and Agriculture  
Energy  
Health, Hygiene and Nutrition  
Lifestyle and Livelihoods  
Disaster management  
Traditional knowledge System

A programme of National Council for Science & Technology Communication (NCSTC) Dept. of Science & Technology, Govt of India

## INVITATION

### Launch of National Children's Science Congress 2017 Programme in Gujarat State

Focal Theme:  
Science, Technology & Innovation For Sustainable Development:  
With Special Emphasis on Accessibility for Persons with Disability

Town Hall, Gandhinagar  
13th July 2017 (Thursday) : 09.30 hrs



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Department of Science & Technology, Government of Gujarat

## PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

09.00 hrs	Assembly in the Hall	
09.30 hrs	Welcome Floral Compliments	
09.34 hrs	Invocation	School Students
09.40hrs	NCSC Programme as a National Movement	<b>Er. Sujit Banerjee</b> Director, NCSTC-DST Govt of India
09.45 hrs	Children as change maker of the Future	<b>Dr. Neeraj Sharma</b> Advisor & Head, TDT State S&T Councils, DST Govt of India
09.50 hrs	Developing a research attitude among school children	<b>Shri Dhananjay Dwivedi, IAS</b> Secretary, Dept of Science & Technology, Govt of Gujarat
10.00 hrs	NCSC for future scientists	<b>Shri Jaydrathsinhji C Parmar</b> Hon'ble Minister of State for Higher and Technical Education, Road and Building, Govt of Gujarat
10.05 hrs	Felicitation to the 28 Child Scientists, represented Gujarat State at the 24 <sup>th</sup> NCSC at VIIT, Baramati And 104 <sup>th</sup> ISC at Tirupati in 2017	<b>Chief Guest</b>
10.10 hrs	Formal Launch of NCSC Program in Gujarat And motivational address	<b>Shri Bhupendrasinh M Chudasama</b> Hon'ble Minister Education (Primary, Secondary and Adult), Higher and Technical Education, Revenue, Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Govt of Gujarat
10.25 hrs	Vote of Thanks	<b>Dr. Narottam Sahoo</b> Advisor, GUJCOST
10.30 hrs	High Tea	

## **GUJARAT COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (GUJCOST)**

is cordially invite you to the  
**Launch of National Children's Science Congress 2017**  
**Programme in Gujarat State**  
on Thursday, 13th July 2017, 9:30 hrs  
at Town Hall, Gandhinagar.

### **CHIEF GUEST**

**Shri Bhupendrasinh M. Chudasama**  
Hon'ble Minister of Education  
(Primary, Secondary and Adult), Higher and Technical  
Education, Revenue, Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs  
Government of Gujarat

### **GUESTS OF HONOUR**

**Shri Jaydrathsinhji C. Parmar**  
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**Shri Dhananjay Dwivedi, IAS**  
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**Dr. Neeraj Sharma**  
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**Er. Sujit Banerjee**  
Director, NCSTC-DST and  
National Coordinator of NCSC  
Dept of Science & Technology  
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Your gracious presence and participation will inspire the students and teachers,  
pursuing their natural curiosity and thirst for creativity in NCSC 2017.

**Dr. Narottam Sahoo**  
Advisor, GUJCOST  
State Coordinator, NCSC 2017