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IIT (ISM) Dhanbad announces “VIGYAAN 2025” – A Statewide Educational Outreach Initiative by UDAAN, The Career Club

IIT (ISM) Dhanbad is pleased to announce the launch of **VIGYAAN 2025**, the flagship outreach initiative of *UDAAN – The Career Club of IIT (ISM) Dhanbad*, aimed at nurturing scientific curiosity and academic excellence among school students across Jharkhand.

This year’s edition of VIGYAAN is themed “**Celebrating the Joy of Learning**”, emphasizing creativity, curiosity, and a spirit of healthy competition among students from **Classes 6 to 12**. The initiative seeks to promote a culture of scientific exploration and problem-solving among young minds.

VIGYAAN 2025 will feature a diverse range of competitions across three student categories — **Classes 6–8, 9–10, and 11–12** — including:

- **Science Fair** (Team event; up to three members)
- **Essay Writing**
- **Elocution**
- **Painting**
- **Maths & Science Olympiads**

Schools across Jharkhand are encouraged to participate, with each school allowed one entry per competition category per student. To ensure inclusivity and equal opportunity, **no registration fee will be charged from Government schools**, while **Private schools** will have a **nominal fee of ₹50 per student per event and ₹100 per Science Fair team**.

The **Grand Finale of VIGYAAN 2025** will take place on **October 26, 2025**, coinciding with the concluding day of **KHANAN**, India’s largest techno-management fest hosted by IIT (ISM) Dhanbad.

Speaking about the event, **Nagaraju, Coordinator, UDAAN**, said, “VIGYAAN is more than just a competition — it is a celebration of learning, discovery, and inspiration. Our goal is to connect IIT (ISM) Dhanbad with the young talents of Jharkhand and ignite their passion for science and innovation.”

Through VIGYAAN 2025, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad reaffirms its commitment to promoting education, creativity, and scientific temper among school students.

Schools can register through the official link provided in the brochure and poster attached with this release.

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