National Geography Olympiad Competition - 2019
Web Site: http://arts.pdn.ac.lk/geographynew

National Geography Olympiad Competition (NGOC) - 2019 organized by the Department of Geography, University of Peradeniya. Government and Private school students are eligible to sit for the competition.

The competition will be organized in two levels:

- **Junior level competition**: Students in classes from year 7 to year 10
- **Senior level competition**: Students in classes from year 11 to year 13

**Best four students** of the **Senior Level competition** (under 19 years by 30th June, 2019) will have the opportunity to participate at the International Geography Olympiad (iGEO) competition which will be held in Hong Kong from 30 July to 5 August, 2019. (subjected to availability of funds). International competition will be in English medium. There will be an interview in English medium to select the best four students to participate at the International Competition.

**DETAILS OF THE NATIONAL COMPETITION:**

**Medium**: Sinhala / Tamil / English

**Duration of the Test**: Junior Level – 1 hour, Senior Level - 2 hours

**Written test** (multiple choice & short answer questions)

**Syllabus (Broad Topics):**

For **Junior Level Competition** (from year 7 to year 10):

- Solar system
- Earth’s interior structure
- Hydrological cycle
- Geomorphological features
- Minerals and Rocks
- Drainage patterns
- Rain fall patterns
- Climatic zones
- Natural Disasters
- Natural Resources
- Agriculture
- Types of soils

For **Senior Level Competition** (from year 11 to year 13):

- Geographical mapping
- Population Geography
- Environmental Geography
- Industrial Geography
- Economic Geography
- GIS
- Geomorphology
- Natural hazards
- Climatology
- Urban Geography
- Cartography
- Cultural Geography
- Agricultural Geography
- Biogeography
- Water Resources

**Date of the competition**: During April / May 2019 (will be announced in due course)

**Awards and certificates**:
- Medals and Merit certificates will award to all island best three students
- Merit certificates will award to those who achieved the pass mark

**No of Applicants**: Any number of applications can be sent from each school. Each applicant has to fill a separate application

**Application fee**: Rs. 300/= (for each applicant)

**Application Deadline**: 30th March, 2019
Application can be downloaded at Web Site: http://arts.pdn.ac.lk/main/downloads/general.php and photocopies of the application are also accepted.

If more than one application from the same school, one bank slip can be obtained (Bank Deposit slip has to attach to application form(s)).

Application fees: Rs 300/= X No of applications
Bank: Bank of Ceylon, Peradeniya Branch
Name of the Account: Faculty of Arts, University of Peradeniya
Account No: 0001274686

Attach all completed applications together with the bank deposit slip and send under the registered post to Chairman,
National Geography Olympiad Competition,
Department of Geography,
University of Peradeniya,
Peradeniya

A receipt will be issued to all applicants in due course or can be collected at the competition day. Admission number, Venue of the Competition test and the Date of the Competition will be informed to school Principals of all applicants two weeks before the competition.

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**Examination Centers**

Examination Centers: It is expected to organize the examination in twenty five centers listed below.

Central Province: Kandy, Matale, Nuwara Eliya
Eastern Province: Ampara, Batticaloa, Trincomalee
North Central Province: Anuradhapura, Polonnaruwa
Northern Province: Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya
North Western Province: Kurunegala, Puttalam
Sabaragamuwa Province: Kegalle, Ratnapura
Southern Province: Galle, Hambantota, Matara
Uva Province: Badulla, Monaragala
Western Province: Colombo, Gampaha, Kalutara

**Please Note:**
- In the case if the examination has to be cancelled due to any unavoidable circumstances at any examination center (like natural disaster), application fee can be reimbursed when request by the principal of the school within one month after the examination date. Other than that application fee is nonrefundable.

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For more details, please contact:
Chairman / National Geography Olympiad Competition
Department of Geography
University of Peradeniya, Peradeniya
Email: chairngo2019@gmail.com Telephone No: 076-3510011
National Geography Olympiad Competition - 2019

Application Form

(Fill all information in this application)

1) Name of the applicant (with initials): 

2) Gender: □ Male  □ Female

3) Date of Birth: YYYY / MM / DD

4) Age at 30th June, 2019: Years __________  Months __________

5) Class: __________________________ (E.g. year 12 B, Biology, if sat for O/L in 2018, not needed)

6) Apply for □ Junior Competition (Year 7 to 10)  □ Senior Competition (Year 11 to 13)

7) Address of the school: 

8) Home Address: 

9) Medium:  □ Sinhala  □ Tamil  □ English

10) Telephone No:  
   a) School: __________________________
   b) Home: __________________________
   c) Mobile: __________________________

11) Please mark “X” for the preference of the Examination center

Examination Centers

- North Western - □ Mullaitivu. □ Vavuniya.
- Sabaragamuwa - □ Kurunegala. □ Puttalam.
- Southern - □ Kegalle. □ Ratnapura.
- Uva - □ Badulla □ Monaragala.
- Western - □ Colombo □ Gampaha □ Kalutara.
12) Application fee of Rs 300/= has to deposit at the Bank. Details are as follows:

Bank: Bank of Ceylon
Branch: Peradeniya
Name of the Account: Faculty of Arts, University of Peradeniya
Account No: 0001274686

Bank slip No: ...........................................

- Bank Deposit slip has to be attached to the application form

I certify that the above particulars are true and correct to the best of my knowledge

Date: ......................... Signature of the applicant: ..........................................................

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Certification

a) Class teacher’s Name - ................................................................................

Signature - ........................................................................

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b) Signature of the Principal (with official seal) : ..........................................................

Please send the completed application together with the bank deposit slip to the following address:

Chairman
National Geography Olympiad Competition
Department of Geography
University of Peradeniya
Peradeniya

For office use only

Application No ........................ Bank Slip No ........................ Receipt No ........................
Signature of the Chairman/NGOC ........................ Date ........................
District No ........................