

# Anveshana – FAQs

## Section I. Application and Selection

### 1. Who is eligible to apply for Anveshana?

Students studying in **9th - 12th Grade** with a deep interest coupled with capabilities in **science**, and who are passionate about taking basic science as a career option - are the best suited for this program.

### 2. Can a student apply for Anveshana by themselves?

The student has to be essentially recommended by the teacher/s and the head of the school.

### 3. How can a student apply for a project of their interest?

The available project titles and descriptions will be available on Prayoga's website ([www.prayoga.org.in](http://www.prayoga.org.in)). A student can choose as many as **3 projects** as per their preferences. Shortlisted students will be chosen for the best suited project as per the expert committee's opinion.

For a detailed selection process, please refer to the step-wise details that have been provided on the Prayoga website ([www.prayoga.org.in/anveshana](http://www.prayoga.org.in/anveshana)).

### 4. What is expected of the schools for a student recommendation? What kind of students should a school recommend for Anveshana?

The students recommended by the school should be able to cope with the normal school curriculum alongside the Anveshana Project work for that academic year. The identified students should therefore be capable of processing the vast amount of information, and going an extra mile to cope and handle it.

### 5. What is the process for selecting a student once we recommend?

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### 6. What is the last date to apply?

The last date to apply is Friday, 17 February 2023.

### **7. Is there any fee for the school/student to register for Anveshana?**

No, there is no fee for registration, application, or participation in the project.

## **Section II. About Anveshana (Benefits, Finances, Logistics)**

### **8. What are the benefits of participating in Anveshana for a student?**

The selected students will get an enviable opportunity to work on a project defined by the researchers at Prayoga or researchers in Prayoga's network. These researchers carry a wealth of experience in carrying out scientific research and scientist-designed research projects.

Students' awareness of some of the abilities associated with learning science is expected to improve as a result of their participation in Anveshana. Students may also get the opportunity to present or publish their work in conferences and scientific journals, as per the quality of research performed.

### **9. Why should a school register for Anveshana? What's in it for the school?**

Students of the school get an opportunity to participate in scientific research projects. The participating school will be acknowledged in research publications, when it happens.

### **10. What are the facilities provided by Prayoga for Anveshana?**

Prayoga will take care of the complete research expenses of the project, including the **operational costs**, the **safety** of the students while on campus, and all the **required guidance for the safe conduct** of the students during the entire duration of the project.

### **11. What is the cost involved for a student/school to participate and complete a project? Will Prayoga take care of transport and other logistics for students to come to Prayoga campus?**

The participation of students in the Anveshana project is free of cost. The student/school should take care of transportation, food and accommodation during the Anveshana period. This is applicable to outstation students as well.

### **12. What is the duration of a typical Anveshana project at Prayoga?**

Projects will typically take 3 - 8 months, depending on the efforts and progress made. Preparation, conduct of research and thesis writing will be involved in the duration.

**13. Will the student be given a certificate by Prayoga?**

Yes. A project completion certificate will be issued to the student after successfully completing the project and submitting the project report. If there are conference proceedings or published research articles, they stand as testimony to the student's abilities.

If you need any additional information, please write to [anveshana@prayoga.org.in](mailto:anveshana@prayoga.org.in) or visit [www.prayoga.org.in/anveshana](http://www.prayoga.org.in/anveshana).