

INSPIRING

INNOVATORS OF TOMORROW

Organising interna idea competitions in schools and nominations of two to three best original ideas, in any Indian language, by the respective Principal/ Headmaster online through E-MIAS (E-Management of INSPIRE Awards MANAK Scheme) portal.

Awareness and capacity building of District, State and School level functionaries across the country through regional workshops, audio-visual tools and literature.

Registration of new/unregistered schools on E-MIAS portal.

Shortlisting of top 1,00,000 (one lakh) ideas, with potential to address societal needs through Science & Technology by NIF.

listed students through Direct enefit Transfer (DBT) scheme.

Organising District Level Exhibition and Project Competition (DLEPC) by District/State authorities and shortlisting of 10,000 best ideas/innovations for State Level Exhibition and Project Competitions (SLEPC).

> Selection of ideas/innovations will be based on novelty, social applicability, environment friendliness, user friendliness and comparative advantage over the

> > existing similar technologies.

institutions of the country. Showcasing 1,000 best ideas/innovations at the National Level Exhibition & Project Competition (NLEPC) and shortlisting of top 60 innovations for national awards and future direction.

Organising State Level Exhibition & Project

Competition (SLEPC) for further shortlisting of

top 1,000 ideas/innovations for the National

Level Exhibition and Project Competition

(NLEPC). At this stage, NIF will facilitate

development of prototypes in coordination

with reputed academic and technology

mentoring support to students for

Consideration of top 60 ideas/innovations by NIF for product/process development and their linkage with other schemes of NIF/DST and their display at the Annual Festival of Innovation and Entrepreneurship (FINE).

Disbursement of **INSPIRE** Award of INR 10,000 to the accounts of shortINSPIRE AWARDS – MANAK is an initiative to foster a culture of innovation and creative thinking amongst school students to address societal needs through Science and Technology.



Million Minds Augmenting National Aspiration and Knowledge



