

**Report on the conduct of Painting Competition on the occasion of
World Ozone Day – 2025 on 16.09.2025 at Dr. AKSC&P.**

PCS&T organized a Painting Competition on the occasion of World Ozone Day on 16.09.2025 under the theme 'From Science to Global Action' for school students. The competition was conducted in two categories, Category I (Classes VI to VIII) and Category II (Classes IX to XII). The event was judged by Thiru. S. Rajkumar, Trained Graduate Teacher, Indira Gandhi Govt. High School, Katterikuppam, Puducherry, and Thiru. S. Kandasamy, Fine Arts Teacher, Govt. Higher Secondary School, Alankuppam, Puducherry. Cash awards of Rs. 3,000/-, Rs. 2,000/- and Rs. 1,000/- will be disbursed through NEFT to the first, second, and third prize winners respectively. The participants details of the programme are listed below:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Number of students participated
1.	Total No. of Students participated in both the Categories	165
	Total No. of Institutions participated	21
Category I (Class V1 to VIII)		
2.	Total No. of students participated in Category I	89
3.	No. of students participated in Government Schools	22
4.	No. of students participated in Private Schools.	67
5.	Total no. of Government Schools participated	05
6.	Total no. of Private Schools participated	12
7.	Total No. of Govt. & Private Schools participated	17
Category II (Class IX to XII)		
8.	Total No. of students participated in Category II	76
9.	No. of students participated in Government Schools.	31
10.	No. of students participated in Private Schools.	45
11.	Total No. of Government Institutions	06
12.	Total no. of Private Schools participated	08
13.	Total No. of Govt. & Private Schools participated	16

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, reflecting their strong awareness and artistic interpretation of the importance of the ozone layer. The creative expressions presented through paintings highlighted students understanding of ozone protection measures, renewable resources, green innovation, and global partnerships, aligning well with the theme. Staff of Dr. Abdul Kalam Science Centre and Planetarium made elaborate arrangements for the smooth conduct of the program.

Photos of the Programme


