

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 930  
TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, 26<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2023**

**EARTH SCIENCE RELATED ACTIVITIES**

†930. SHRI VINOD L. CHAVDA:

Will the Minister of EARTH SCIENCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to hold earth science related activities for the students in the country for the next three years; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF EARTH SCIENCES  
(SHRI KIREN RIJU)**

- (a)- (b) Yes Sir. Ministry has been supporting various awareness activities on earth sciences for students through its outreach program. Following are the events proposed to be conducted in a yearly basis:
- (i) Days of significance like Earth Day (22 April), Ozone Day (16 September), etc.
  - (ii) Indian National Earth Science Olympiad (INESO).
  - (iii) International Earth Science Olympiad (IESO) for school students in Class IX to XII.
  - (iv) Earth science Exhibitions, Science Festivals, Workshops, Seminars, Popular Lectures, etc.

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