

Rules

- 1) For participation in Nationals it is compulsory for Jammu Division players to participate in Jammu Division Selection events & compulsory for Kashmir Division players to participate in Kashmir Division Selection events.
- 2) Only selected players from Jammu Division & Kashmir Division will be eligible for participation in State Chess Championship & Nationals.
- 3) No. of players eligible from both Divisions to participate in State chess championship is as under (Total 80 players)
 - a) **Seniors Men** = 7 Top players from Each Division
 - b) Senior Women = 5 Top players from Each Division
 - c) U-19, U-17, U-15, U-13, U-11, U-9, U-7 (Boys & Girls) = 2 Boys & 2 Girls in each category from each division.
 - d) If no. of players from one division is less then quota can be filled from other division.
 - e) State Championship will be held at Jammu & Kashmir Divisions alternately i.e; if one time it is held at Srinagar next year it will be held at Jammu. However, due to some extra ordinary circumstances it can be held twice in one division.
 - f) Half players from Jammu division & half players from Kashmir Division will participate in Nationals. If no. of players from one division is less then the quota can be filled from other division.
 - g) There will be no entry fee for players (80 players) as mentioned above for state championship.
 - h) Entry fee for division level events is Rs. 400/- per player
 - i) Membership fee of Rs. 100/- per player of All J&K Chess Association for one calendar year i.e; 1st April to 31st March is compulsory for participation in Division level events.
 - j) ******* As per Rules of All India Chess Federation, players participating in Age Categories Nationals must provide Date of birth Certificate from Panchayat, Municipality or corporation obtained soon after birth.
******* The date of birth certificates registered within one year of the birth of the child alone will be recognized and allowed to participate in Nationals.

k) If someone doesn't have age certificate as per above rules then he/she has to clear the medical test at Chennai which is done every year in January or February. Details of which are available at www.aicf.in