Stockholm Junior Water Prize (SJWP) India

Research Document Guidelines

These guidelines are designed to assist students in preparing a **professionally formatted research paper** for the **Stockholm Junior Water Prize (SJWP) India Competition**.
Participants are encouraged to follow these instructions carefully to ensure that their research paper meets the required standards. While minor flexibility may be applied based on the nature of the research, adherence to these guidelines is strongly recommended for consistency.
Unlike many science competitions, **SJWP places greater emphasis on the quality of the research paper rather than the poster presentation**. Therefore, clarity, originality, and proper documentation of research are critical.

1. Paper Format Requirements

The research document must follow the formatting specifications below:

- The paper must be written **in English**.
- The submission must be in **PDF format only**.
- The **maximum file size should not exceed 2 MB**.
- The text must use:
  - **Font:** Times New Roman
  - **Font Size:** 12-point
  - **Alignment:** Left aligned
  - **Line Spacing:** 1.5
- Page margins must be:
  - **Top & Bottom:** 1 inch
  - **Left & Right:** 0.75 inch
- The **entire document**, including figures, tables, photographs, and annexures, **must not exceed 20 pages**.
- Paper size must be **8.5 × 11 inches (single-sided pages)**.
- **Page numbering must appear at the bottom center** of every page **except the title page**.
- The **title page is not counted within the 20-page limit**, but it **is included in the 2 MB file size restriction**.

Plagiarism Policy

- Plagiarism is considered a **serious violation** and may result in **disqualification**.
- All ideas, content, data, or references from other sources must be **properly cited**. Citations should clearly attribute the original authors or sources.

2. Structure of the Research Paper

SN	Section	Description
1	**Title Page**	The cover page of the research paper. It must include: • Submission for **Stockholm Junior Water Prize India (Year)** • **Title of the Report** • **Name(s) of the Participant(s)** • **State** Note: The title page should **not have a page number** and **is not included in the 20-page limit**, but it **counts toward the 2 MB file size**.
2	**Abstract**	A concise summary of the research project. **Maximum 180 words.** Page numbering begins from this page (bottom center).
3	**Table of Contents**	A list of all sections of the research paper along with their page numbers.
4	**Keywords**	Important terms or phrases that represent the main themes or focus of the research.
5	**Abbreviations and Acronyms**	A list explaining all abbreviations and acronyms used in the document.
6	**Acknowledgment**	Recognition of individuals, institutions, or organizations that supported the research work.
7	**Biography**	A short biography of the participant(s), **minimum 180 words and maximum 250 words**.
8	**Introduction**	Introduction to the research problem, background context, and research objectives.
9	**Materials and Methods**	A detailed explanation of the methodology used in the research, including materials, tools, procedures, and experimental design.
10	**Results**	Presentation of the research findings using text, tables, graphs, or figures where appropriate.
11	**Discussion**	Interpretation and analysis of the results, explaining their significance and relevance to the research problem.
12	**Conclusions**	A summary of the key findings and the broader implications of the research.
13	**References**	A list of all sources cited in the research paper. Proper citation format must be followed.

How to Register and Submit an Application
Stockholm Junior Water Prize (SJWP) India

Follow the steps below to register and submit your application for the **Stockholm Junior Water Prize (SJWP) India** competition.

Step 1: Visit the SJWP Website

Go to the official **Stockholm Junior Water Prize India website**.
Click on the **"Apply Now"** button to begin the registration process.

Step 2: Open the Login Page

After clicking **Apply Now**, you will be redirected to the **login page**.
On this page:

- Click **"Create new account."**

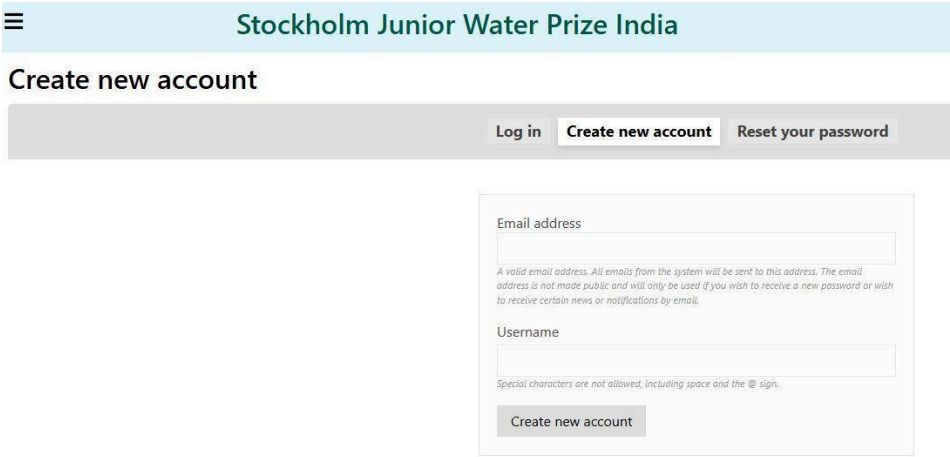
Step 3: Create a New Account

You will be directed to the **Account Creation Form**.
Fill in the required details:

- **Email Address**
- **Username**

  (Note: Special characters are not allowed in the username.)

After entering the required details, click **"Create new account."**



Step 4: Check Your Email

Once the account is created, you will receive an email from: **Stockholm Junior Water Prize India 3.0**
The email subject will be:

"Account details for [Your Username] at Stockholm Junior Water Prize India 3.0."

This email will contain:

- A **one-time login link** (can be used only once)
- A **temporary username**
- A **temporary password**

Step 5: Set Your Password

Click the **one-time login link** provided in the email.
You will be prompted to **create a new password** for your account.
After completing this step, you will receive another email titled:
"Replacement login information for [Your Username] at Stockholm Junior Water Prize India 3.0."
This email confirms your **updated login credentials**.

Step 6: Log in to Continue Registration

Return to the **SJWP India website** and log in using:

- Your **Username**
- Your **New Password**

Once logged in, you can proceed to **complete the application form**.

Step 7: Submit Your Application

Fill in all required details in the **application form** and submit it.

Step 8: Application Submission Confirmation

After submitting your application, you will receive a **confirmation email** stating:

"Your application has been successfully submitted."

This confirms that your **SJWP India application has been successfully received.** ✅