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[INVITE] 2026/27 NSNP Best District and School Awards – 14 May 2026

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Dear Team ECDoE,

You are invited to participate in the upcoming 2026/27 NSNP Best District and School Awards, hosted by the National School Nutrition Programme (NSNP) Directorate.

- **Dates:**

- Received NSNP Awards Material from DBE ECDOE 8-May-26
- Issue out Participation Invitation to Districts and Schools Head Office 14-May-26
- District Closing of Nomination for Schools Districts 14-Aug-26
- Final Date for Submission by Districts to HO Districts 15-Sep-26
- Proposed Adjudication Date by Head Office Head Office 17-Sep-26
- Submission of the Best District and School Nominations to DBE Head Office 22-Sep-26

- **Time:** N/A

- **Venue:** Submission process coordinated through District Offices and Head Office

- **Objective:** To encourage and recognise Districts and Schools for excellence, innovation, and best practices in the implementation of the National School Nutrition Programme (NSNP).

Attached herewith are the official invitation memorandum and supporting documents for your attention and action:

 [Invitations to Participate to the NSNP Best School and District Awards 2026.27.pdf](#)

 [2026-27 NSNP Awards Guidelines_May 2026.docx](#)

 [2026-27 NSNP Awards Guidelines_May 2026\[1\].docx](#)

 [DISTRICT NOMINATION FORM_May 2026.docx](#)

 [District score sheet_May 2026.docx](#)

 [District score sheet_guide_May 2026.docx](#)

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 [Farm School Score Sheet_May 2026.docx](#)

 [SCHOOL NOMINATION FORM_May 2026.docx](#)

 [School Score Sheet_May 2026.docx](#)

 [School Score sheet_guide_May_2026.docx](#)

Kindly ensure that all relevant stakeholders, Schools, and District officials participate in line with the prescribed management plan and submission timelines.

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