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India's Biggest Robotics Championship for Middle & High School Students

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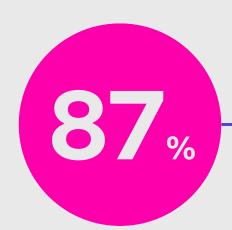
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The Innovation Story

By 2030, students will step into careers that don't yet exist.

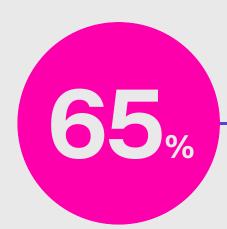
Al and automation are rewriting industries - creating new roles and changing how we work. Future leaders will need to think across disciplines, be bold enough to imagine a better world, and work with others to bring it to life.

The Future of Jobs Report 2025* reveals key skills for tomorrow's careers:



employers need talent who aren't just familiar with Al but can use it to extract insights & build intelligent systems.

Al & Big Data Fluency



employers want bold thinkers who tackle complex problems & design solutions that push past what's been done before.

Analytical Thinking & Innovation



employers prize people who stay sharp under pressure & can switch gears in fast-changing environments.

Resilience, Flexibility & Agility



seek leaders who can unite teams, communicate with clarity, and drive ideas forward across networks and platforms.

Leadership & Social Influence

And the emerging picture is clear: The future won't reward those who can follow instructions; it'll reward those who can write them.

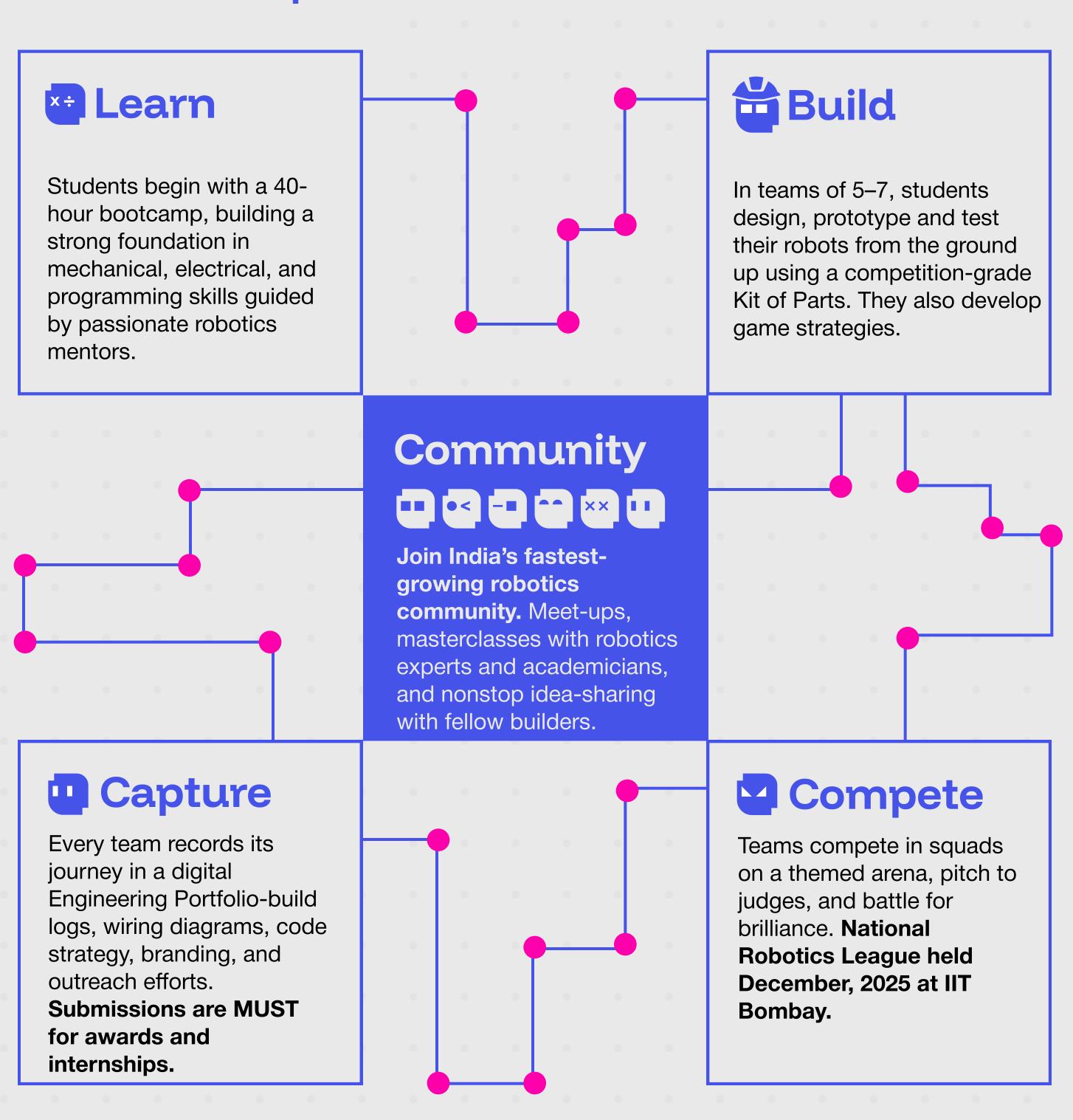
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INTRODUCING

THE NATIONAL ROBOTICS LEAGUE

NRL is India's biggest student robotics championship, created to spark a passionate community of young builders. It's where science meets storytelling, and raw curiosity become technical skills. By combining engineering, strategy, and creative expression, NRL lays a powerful foundation for future-ready thinkers and doers.

What the Competition Involves



BUILDER NRL's Signature Skillset

More than a contest of robots, NRL is a crash-course in future-making: Where tomorrow's leaders learn to design solutions, navigate change, and build the skills the world needs most.

TechMech[™]

Developing mastery in mechanics, electronics, and programming to turn ideas into working machines.



Buildership

Owning the full idea-to-prototype journey, from concept to competition.



DataCraft™

Leveraging datadriven insights to build smarter robots and optimize match strategies.



CtrlAltShift ™

Building resilience, adaptability, and the ability to pivot creatively when things don't go your way.



Building community, leading teams and inspiring others.



Every student finds their superpower here.

Each team needs:

Builders who design, build & wire **Coders** who automate **Designers** who brand & market Storytellers who pitch & present Strategists who gameplan

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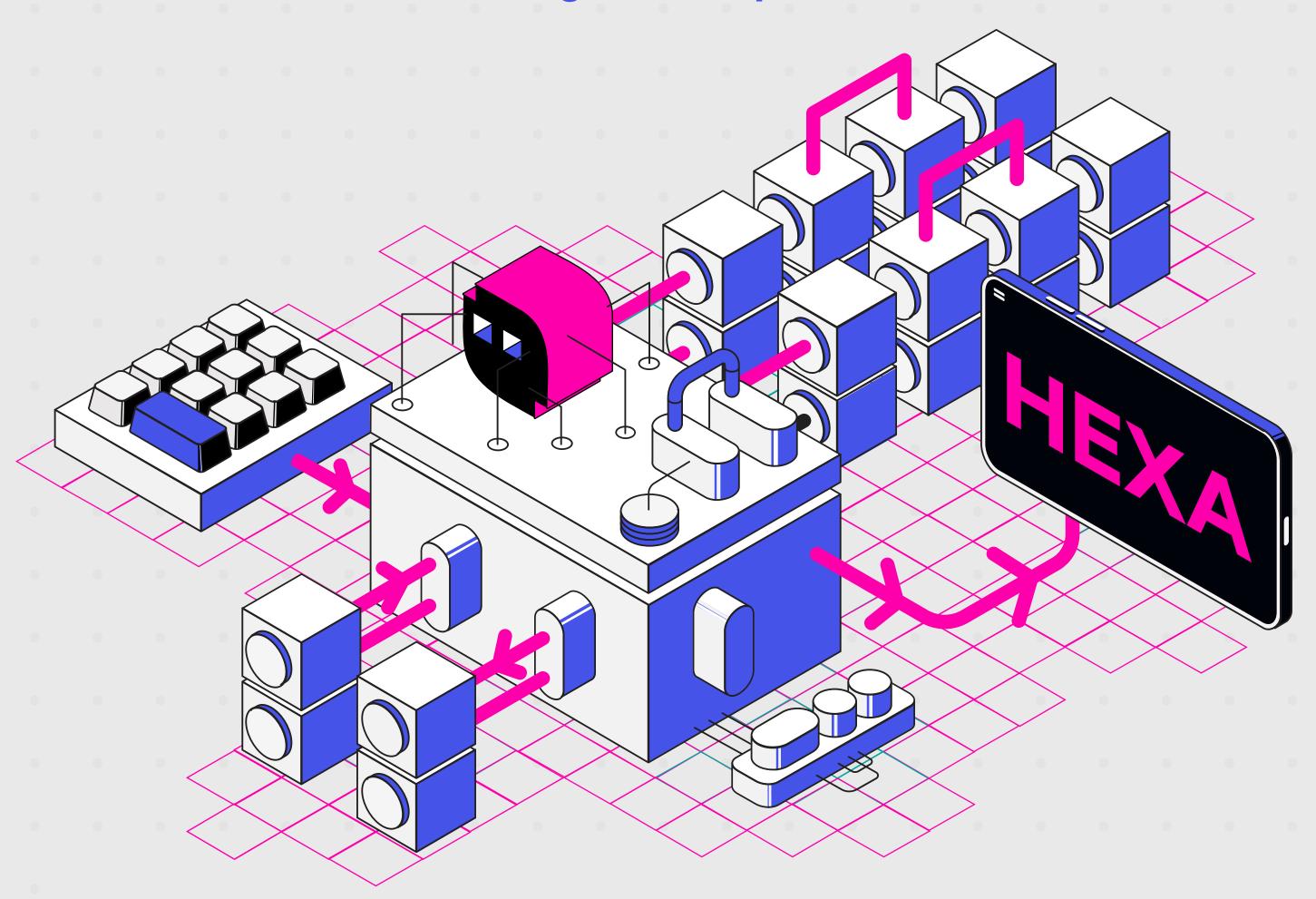




Whether you love tech, creativity, leadership or storytelling—there's a place for you in this league.



The face of possibility, Hexa isn't just the NRL mascot. It's the spirit of every idea that's been tested, broken, rebuilt—and made stronger in the process.



Hexa was built from the inside out, inspired by what nature uses to shape honeycombs, carbon crystals, and planetary orbits: the hexagon. One of nature's strongest structures and engineering's most reliable building blocks, the hexagon is built for strength, flexibility, and connection.

So is Hexa.

Because at NRL, robots may take the spotlight, but what's really being built runs deeper.

Every match tests more than code. Every redesign builds more than a bot. Strategy, structure, trust, resilience: these are the real tools in play. Students walk in to build a machine. They leave with instincts. Grit. The confidence to adapt, to try again, to lead.

And in the middle of it all is Hexa. Holding the pivots, the breakthroughs, the small wins.

And quietly reminding us all:

This is what building looks like.



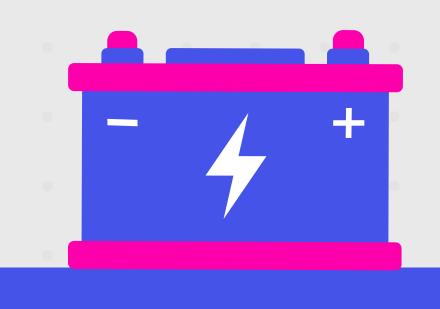
We just completed a two-week course with The Innovation Story and it was a wonderful experience. We're indebted to them for not only the hard work but for making a difference in the lives of our young people. We really hope to see them back.



Modern High School International, Kolkata after the NRL bootcamp

Having The Innovation Story with us has been a truly transformative experience. Our campus was abuzz with an incredible and palpable level of enthusiasm and excitement. We are grateful to The Innovation Story and can't wait to welcome them again.

Strawberry Fields High School, Chandigarh after the NRL bootcamp





Our School Partners



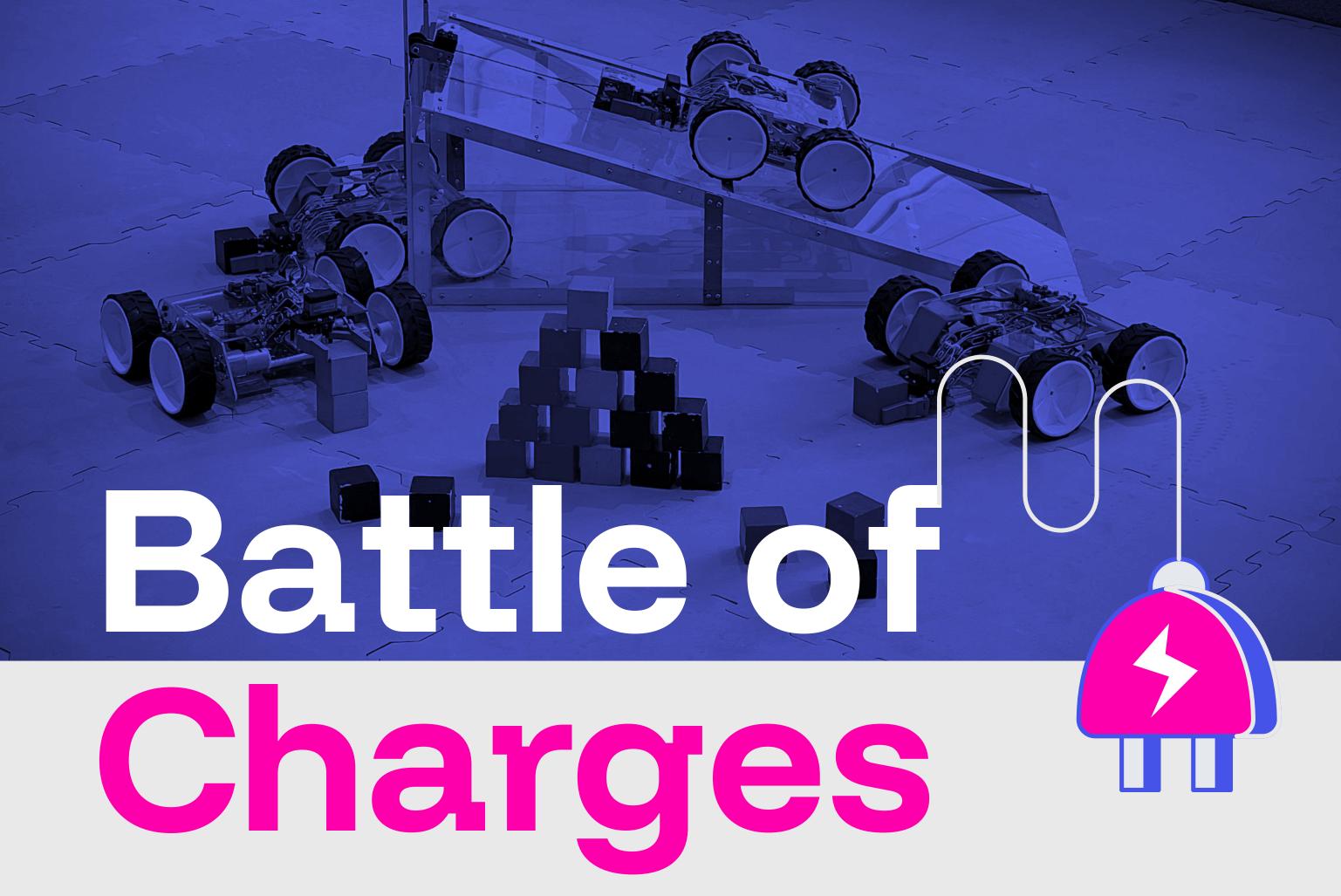












2025 Game Theme

The world is racing toward electric dreams. From the devices in our pockets to the EVs on our streets, everything runs on electrical energy. And at the core of that energy is the charge: a tiny unit of electricity that stores power and brings machines to life.

This year's game theme - Battle of Charges - puts students in the driver's seat of this electric future. Their robots must race to collect and protect energy charges, much like how real-world systems gather, store, and compete for power to build everything from power grids to rockets.

The mission is simple: Accumulate as many charges as possible.

The Competition Path

QUALIFYING MATCHES

Every team plays qualifying matches to determine their rankings and advancement

SQUAD SELECTION

Top ranking teams become Squad captains and choose their squad partners.

ELIMINATION ROUNDS

Semifinals and Finals. Best-of-three-matches; two winning squad move to the Finals.

FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP

SKILL CHALLENGES

INNOVATION SHOWCASE

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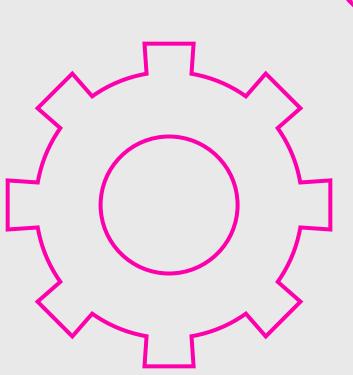
Just you, your bot, and the clock, open for teams who want to push their coding, control, and autonomous game.

INNOVATION SHOWCASE

Innovative projects showcase celebrating ideas that make a difference your chance to inspire judges, share your journey, and show how your team is creating impact beyond the robot.

Awards & Recognition

NRL doesn't just reward the best robots- we honour the most innovative minds, collaborative teams, and impactful stories.





MAJOR AWARDS

INR 20 Lakhs + in Cash **Prizes and** Internship opportunities



The Champions Award

Awarded to the alliance that wins the final championship match, recognizing excellence in performance, teamwork, and in-game strategy.



The Tech Titans Award

For teams that demonstrate outstanding technical skills, robot design, and a well-documented engineering process.



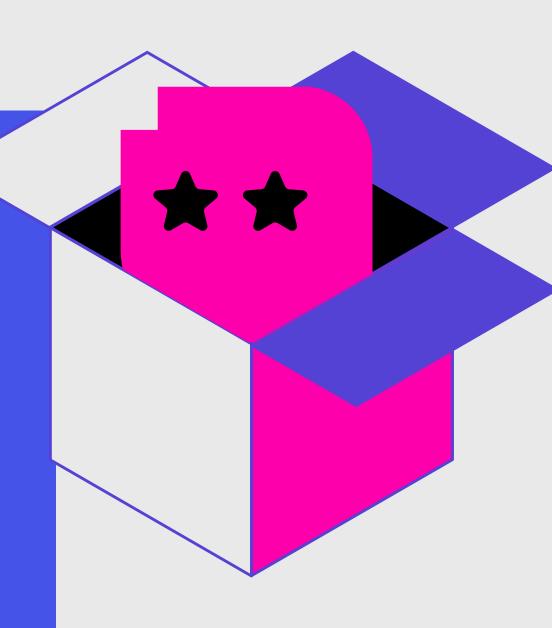
The Changemakers Award

Honours teams that build innovative, real-world solutions through robotics.



The Trailblazer Award

Awarded to an individual showing exceptional technical talent and leadership during the season.





ADDITIONAL **AWARDS**

The Runner-Up Alliance Award

The Design Legends Award

The Brand Builders Award

The Community Champions Award

The InfluenStars Award

How Schools Can Participate

Eligibility

Students from Grade 7 to Grade 12

Team Size

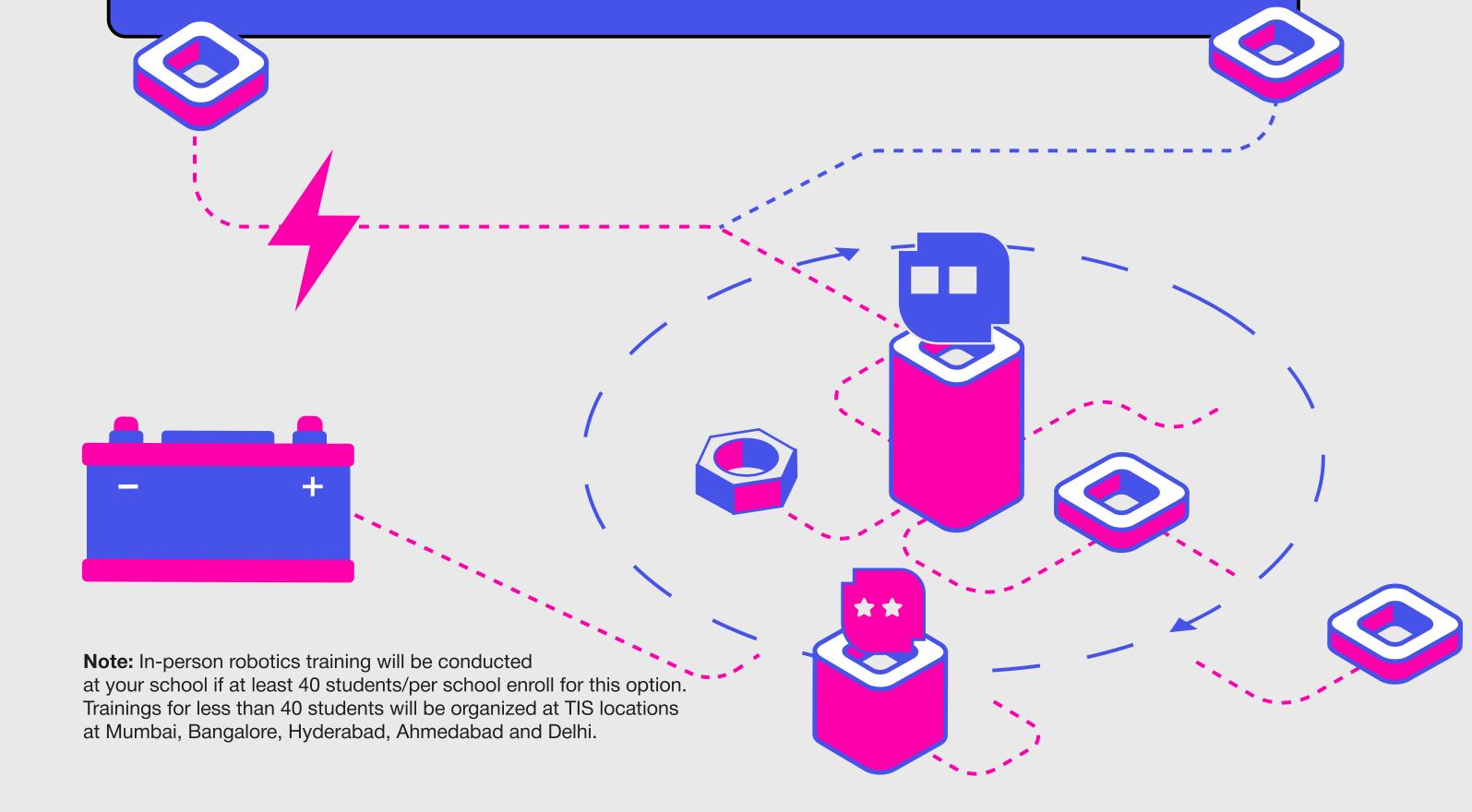
5-7 students (multiple teams can participate per school)

Accelerator Program ₹35,000/student

+GST

Inclusions

- Competition Registration
- NRL Kit of Parts for Team (electronic components, tools, materials, manuals etc.) that includes everything needed to build a functional competition robot.
- Learner Kit for Individual participant
- ✓ In-School in person Training 40 Hrs Bootcamp
- ✓ Practice Pre NRL Scrimmage
- ✓ Online doubt solving session throughout build season
- Access to Robotics and Al Expert Sessions



Timeline of the Competition

- Registrations Start August 13, 2025

Teams register and submit team details.

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- Game Reveal August 13, 2025
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- **Build Season •** September November

Teams design, prototype, program. Online webinars for enrolled teams plus Bootcamps for the Accelerator program teams

Innovation Showcase submission due November 14, 2025

Award applications due November 14, 2025

- The Trailblazer Award (Individual)
- The InfluenStars Award (Team)



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Your students already have ideas that could change everything. What they need is a stage to build, test, and launch them.



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