



## Schools Chemistry Newsletter Prize 2015/16

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**First Prize: €100**  
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**Irish Chemical  
News**, the journal of  
The Institute of  
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consider publishing  
articles from the  
winning newsletter.

Extracts may also be  
circulated with  
**Chemistry in  
Action**.

**Two runners up  
prizes: €50 each**

The competition is  
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**Irish Science  
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- This competition is open to all second level students, including transition years, interested in Chemistry (both North and South).
- Only individual entrants are allowed.
- Students should submit a Newsletter on the theme of "**Chemistry and Light**", suitable for the non-scientist, outlining clearly and accurately any aspects of the topic in an engaging, informative and easily readable manner.
- The newsletter should consist of four A4-sized pages.
- Sources of information must be cited (four maximum)
- The name and contact details of both the student and teacher including the school name should be clearly stated.
- The entrants are strongly encouraged to use good quality graphics/photographs to illustrate their newsletter.
- An electronic Microsoft Word file should be submitted as an email attachment to:  
[info@instituteofchemistry.org](mailto:info@instituteofchemistry.org)
- Closing date is **Friday, 29th January 2016**.
- Failure to abide by rules will mean automatic disqualification.

The Institute of Chemistry of Ireland will nominate an adjudicating panel. Strict adherence to the guidelines will be taken into account when assessing each newsletter.

Winning students will be contacted and awarded their prizes at the **ChemEd Conference**, which will be held in **DCU** on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2016 (date to be confirmed)