

Test your acoustic skills

Explore your local area in a way
you may never have before.

**Prizes to
be won!**

2021 is the International Year of Sound (IYS). The Institute of Acoustics is marking the IYS by holding a competition for secondary schools as an opportunity to introduce students to the concept of soundscape and encourage them to listen more carefully to the world around them.

The winners will be invited to the annual awards ceremony held by the Noise Abatement Society at the House of Commons in October 2021 (COVID permitting), with the school receiving a prize of £500 plus an engraved crystal trophy.

There is no limit on the number of entries from a school.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us at SchoolsIYS@ioa.org.uk



The Competition

Activity: Make a Sound Walk

This school competition is for a small team of students to produce a map of their local area, indicating the different sounds that can be heard at different places. Students can be from different years and classes, however they need to be from the same school.

Visit ioa.org.uk for further details

The Deadline

The deadline for entries will be 31st July 2021.
Entries will be judged by a panel of experts.
The decision of the judging panel will be final.