



AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- To stimulate interest in S&T centres.
- To establish more S&T centres in rural areas.
- To investigate and support mobile centres and transportable units.
- To stimulate ideas in the design of new exhibits
- To hold regular workshops and meetings in different centres.
- To evaluate the impact of S&T centres.
- To establish contact with industry.
- To establish links with international bodies.
- To address the issue of funding.
- To provide training in the management of S&T centres.
- To encourage the sharing of resources.
- To develop a national marketing strategy.
- To provide a national network of information interchange between S&T centres.
- To have a joint voice that is nationally recognized, to lobby government and industry.

Education

- To promote S&T in schools.
- To link S&T centres to the formal education structure.
- To stimulate interest in careers in S&T.
- To encourage workshops and courses aimed at upgrading science teachers' practical teaching skills.
- To encourage the formation of science clubs.

The Community

- To promote technology and the natural and physical science in general.
- To ensure that S&T centres are linked to the broader community.
- To promote S&T awareness and literacy.
- To establish 'S&T routes' for school groups or tourists to visit.
- To encourage visits from non-traditional visitors.