### **Rules for Bands Category**

- 1. A band should comprise of a minimum of 3 and maximum 7 members.
- 2. The students in the band should be between standard 5th to standard 10th
- 3. Bands should include members from the same school.
- 4. If selected for the regional finale, your performance time would be 3 mins. This will not include sound check.
- 5. If selected for the grand finale, Rules for the grand finale will be separately shared and explained to you.
- 6. Bands can perform in any genre.
- 7. The first round of auditions will consist of video submissions. The one-minute performance that must be uploaded to the provided drive link over to you via Email.
- 8. You may upload this audition video on your/your parent's FB and Instagram page and tag.

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# **Rules for Solo Singing and Solo Instrumental Category**

- 1. The student should be between standard 5th to standard 10th.
- 2. Indian Classical and Western vocal singing is allowed.
- 3. No Accompanist is allowed. You may use the backing track to sing (in case of solo singing) or play (in case of solo instrumental).
- 4. If selected for the regional Finale, you will get 3 mins performance time.
- 5. The first round of auditions will consist of video submissions. The one-minute performance that must be uploaded to the provided drive link.
- 6. You may upload the audition video on your/your parent's FB and Instagram page and tag.
- 7. For Solo Performers the Regional round would be the final round and the winners would be announced in this round itself.

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### **Rules for Group Dance**

- 1. A dance should comprise of a minimum of 3 and maximum 15 members.
- 2. The students in the dance should be between standard 4th to standard 10th.
- 3. All dance group members must be from the same school, and multiple dance groups can be formed from the same school.
- 4. If selected for the regional finale, your performance time would be 3 mins 30 seconds. This will not include sound check.
- 5. If selected for the grand finale, Rules for the grand finale will be separately shared and explained to you.
- 6. dances can perform in any dance Style.
- 7. The first round of auditions will consist of video submissions. The one-minute performance that must be uploaded to the provided drive link.
- 8. You may upload the audition video on your/your parent's FB and Instagram page and tag.

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#### **Rules for Solo Dance**

- 1. The students in the dance should be between standard 4th to standard 10th.
- 2. Participants are free to perform in any dance style of their choice.
- 3. If selected for the regional finale, your performance time would be 3 mins. This will not include sound check.
- 4. If selected for the grand finale, Rules for the grand finale will be separately shared and explained to you.
- 5. The first round of auditions will consist of video submissions. The one-minute performance that must be uploaded to the provided drive link.
- 6. You may upload the audition video on your/your parent's FB and Instagram page and tag.
- 7. For Solo Performers the Regional round would be the final round and the winners would be announced in this round itself.

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## **Rules for Speech and Drama Category**

- 1. The student should be between standard 4th to standard 10th.
- 2. There would be 2 categories **Solo and Group**. Solo would consist of Ted Talk, Monologue, Mono Act, Slam Poetry. Group would consist of Skit, PantoMime, Musical Broadway.
- 3. No Accompanist is allowed. You may use the backing track for dramatic expressions.
- 4. If selected for the regional Finale, you will get 3 mins performance time.
- 5. The first round of auditions will consist of video submissions. The one-minute performance that must be uploaded to the provided drive link.
- 6. You may upload the audition video on your/your parent's FB and Instagram page and tag.
- 7. Preferred languages: English
- 8. For Solo Performers the Regional round would be the final round and the winners would be announced in this round itself.

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