

# Odyssey

BENGALURU'S VIBRANT FEST

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## CATALYST

CHALLENGE THE STATUS QUO

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SEGMENT 1

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# EMOTE

Where passion meets the stage— Express,  
Captive, and Move the World through  
powerful performances.

# Category - Dance

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Grade 11 and 12 aged 16-19

20 November 2024

**Event Name:** Prop Rhythm

**Event Description:**

Perform a dance revolving around the creative use of a prop, incorporating dynamic shifts in the music.

**Registrations Invited For:**

Solo Performance (On-the Spot Choreography)

Group Performance

**Duration:**

Solo: 3 to 4 minutes | Group: 4 to 6 minutes

Exceeding the time limit will result in the point deduction

## Prop Rhythm Rules

### General Rules:

- Each school/college/academy/institute/individual may register only one team or participant.
- The use of colour powder, glitter, or any hazardous props is strictly forbidden.
- Group performers must mention the type of prop that will be used during registrations.
- Solo Performance on-spot prop and music will be provided by the organiser.
- Group participants must submit their songs on a USB drive at the registration desk.
- Please refrain from using offensive or inappropriate language in the music.
- Ensure that participants are dressed in appropriate costumes.
- Minimum 4 and a maximum of 8 participants per group are allowed.

### Judging Criteria:

- **Creative Use of Props: 30%**
- **Choreography & Music Adaptation: 30%**
- **Coordination & Synchronisation: 20%**
- **Energy & Stage Presence: 10%**
- **Adherence to Time & Theme: 10%**

# Category - Music

Odyssey

Grade 11 and 12 aged 16-19

20 November 2024

**Event Name:** Rap Rumble

**Event Description:**

Rap your heart out with the freedom to use the support of a beatboxer or a beatboxing track while rapping

**Registrations Invited For:**

Solo Performance

**Duration:**

Solo: 2 to 4 minutes

Exceeding the time limit will result in the point deduction

## Rap Rumble Rules

### General Rules:

- Each school/college/institute/academy is allowed to register 2 participants under each category.
- All rap & beatboxing genres are welcome, including freestyle, battle rap, or any thematic rap.
- For rapping, English, Kannada, and Hindi languages are allowed.
- Please refrain from incorporating vulgar or inappropriate language in your performances.
- The participants must submit their track on a USB drive at the registration desk.

### Judging Criteria:

- **Lyrics: 30%**
- **Performance: 30%**
- **Creativity: 20%**
- **Flow: 10%**
- **Impact: 10%**

# Category - Battle of bands

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Grade 11 and 12 aged 16-19

20 November 2024

**Event Name:** Beats Battle

**Event Description:**

Home grown bands join and compete against each other on original compositions or popular music

**Registrations Invited For:**

Group Performance

**Duration:**

6 to 8 minutes

Exceeding the time limit will result in the point deduction

# Beats Battle Rules

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## General Rules:

- Each school/college/institute/academy/individual is allowed to register 1 team.
- A minimum of 3 members and a maximum of 8 members per band are allowed, where each band will include at least one vocalist and two instrumentalists.
- All musical genres are allowed. Bands are encouraged to showcase their originality, whether through covers or original compositions.
- All music must be performed live, without backing tracks.
- Bands must bring their own instruments, such as guitars, keyboards, and percussion.
- Equipment like drum kits and amplifiers may be provided on request.
- No hazardous equipment (e.g., pyrotechnics) or dangerous stunts are not allowed during performances.

## Judging Criteria:

- **Musicianship and Skill: 30%**
- **Band Coordination and Timing: 25%**
- **Stage Presence and Audience Engagement: 20%**
- **Creativity and Originality: 15%**
- **Adherence to Time and Theme: 10%**



# Category - Fashion show

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Grade 11 and 12 aged 16-19

20 November 2024

**Event Name:** Runway Revolution

**Event Description:**

Create a fashion line up to raise awareness for a social cause of your choice as a theme; the cause to be disclosed during registrations.

**Registrations Invited For:**

Group Performance

**No. of Participants Allowed:**

7 to 12

**Duration:**

3 to 6 minutes

Exceeding the time limit will result in the point deduction

# Runway Revolution Rules

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## General Rules:

- Outfits must clearly convey a message related to the chosen cause. It should be appropriate for a school & college event—no overly revealing or offensive attire.
- Each group must prepare a brief message (30-60 seconds) explaining their cause and how their outfit represents it.
- Participants are encouraged to use sustainable materials or repurposed items in their outfits to highlight the theme.
- Props and accessories are allowed but should complement the outfit and theme without distraction.
- Failure to adhere to the theme, decency guidelines, or time limits may result in disqualification.

## Judging Criteria:

- **Creativity and Originality: 30%**
- **Theme Relevance: 30%**
- **Presentation and Performance: 20%**
- **Overall Impact: 20%**

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SEGMENT 2

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**EXCEL**

Ignite creativity to disrupt the ordinary  
and redefine possibilities

# Category - City building

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Grades 11 and 12 aged 16-19

20 November 2024

**Event Name:** Urban Vision 2050

**Event Description:**

Design interactive dioramas or 2D/3D renditions of what Bangalore would look like in 26 years with a visionary essay and presentation

**Registrations Invited From:**

Open Category (From Individuals to Maximum 5 Members)

**Duration:**

Participants will have 5-7 minutes to present their model to the judges, followed by a 3-minute Q&A session

Each participant/team must present their vision of Bengaluru 2050 through either:

- A physical model (handcrafted or using building kits). Size: 3ft x 3ft
- A digital representation (using design software such as SketchUp, AutoCAD, Blender, Tinkercad, etc.)
- A brief written proposal (300–500 words) explaining the design rationale, key features, and technologies involved

## General Rules:

The team must employ one or two prompts from the pointers given below, but the idea and concept can be entirely your own, which must incorporate one of the following:

### Sustainability and Green Infrastructure

How can Bengaluru embrace eco-friendly urban development to combat pollution, reduce carbon emissions, and promote a greener environment?

### Circular Economy and Waste Management

How can the future city adopt a circular economy where waste is minimized and resources are continuously recycled and reused?

### Climate change and resilience

How would new building designs, water conservation systems, and climate-adaptive infrastructure play a role in creating a disaster-resilient city?

### Water Management and Conservation

Bengaluru has faced challenges with water scarcity in the past. What futuristic technologies could be used to solve water shortages and promote conservation?

### Public Transportation & Mobility

How will you integrate multi-modal transport systems (e.g., metro, e-bikes, trams) to ensure seamless and eco-friendly movement across the city?

## Judging Criteria:

- Innovation and Originality
- Relevance to Theme
- Design and Aesthetic Appeal
- Technical Execution
- Clarity and Depth of Proposal
- Presentation Skills

# Category -Digital graffiti

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Grades 8 to 10 aged 13-15

19 November 2024

**Event Name:** Impact Pixels

**Event Description:**

Create unique digital art that mesmerises the eyes and exercises the mind on a subject of your choice on a given template, and an impromptu subject

**Theme:** The theme will be given on spot challenging your status quo

**Registrations Invited From:**

Solo Participants

**Duration:**

3 hours

Exceeding the time limit will result in the point deduction

# Impact Pixels Rules

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## General Rules:

- Participants must create digital graffiti artwork using digital tools (e.g., Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Procreate (for Apple users), GIMP, or any other graphic design software).
- The template for creating the graffiti will be given to you on the event day, with which you will have to create your art. It can be in portrait or landscape, square or circle.
- The artwork should be original and created specifically for this competition. Also, if you are using AI prompts, you must provide the evidence.
- Participants must get their own laptop/tablet or any necessary equipment to do the art.
- All submissions must be the original work of the participant. Plagiarism or use of pre-existing images, designs, or any copyrighted material is strictly prohibited.
- Each participant is allowed to submit only one entry. Multiple entries will lead to disqualification.

## Judging Criteria:

- Creativity and originality
- Adherence to the theme
- Artistic quality and design elements
- Overall impact and visual appeal





**GENERAL  
REGULATIONS**

- Registration fee not applicable.
- Registration commences at 8 AM, and it's imperative that all participants arrive promptly at the venue.
- Participants are required to carry their school/college ID cards.
- Participants are required to remain within the venue until the event concludes.
- Refreshments will be provided for all participants, teacher-in-charge, and an accompanying person (in case of individual registrations).
- Knowledgeum Academy cannot assume responsibility for any loss or damage to participants' personal belongings during the event.
- Participants should handle any equipment owned by the school or the venue with care.
- Any damages incurred will be documented by the organizing committee, and charges for repairs may apply.
- Participants must be accompanied by a teacher/faculty/parent.

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