



KAIRALI YOUTH FESTIVAL - 2017

Our Own English High School, Fujairah on 13th January '17 Rules and Regulations

Furnished below are the rules and regulations of KAIRALI Youth Festival 2017 being organized for students of Indian bases syllabus Schools. The School authorities and participants are requested to kindly adhere to the instructions given below.

1. Events Schedule

Sl.No	Events	Duration	Age Group				Gender
			KG	S Jrs	Jrs.	Srs	
	Individual Events						
1	Action Songs	5Minutes	X	-	-	-	Common
2	Story Telling	5Minutes	X	-	-	-	Common
3	Elocution(English)	5Minutes	-	X	X	X	Boys and Girls*
4	Elocution(Malayalam)	5Minutes	-	X	X	X	Boys and Girls*
5	Poetry	5Minutes	-	X	X	X	Boys and Girls*
6	Poetry	5Minutes	-	X	X	X	Boys and Girls*
7	Classical Music(Carnatic)	10Minutes	-	-	X	X	Boys and Girls*
8	Light Music(Malayalam)	5Minutes	-	X	X	X	Boys and Girls*
9	Mappilapattu	5 Minutes			X	X	Boys and Girls*
10	Mono Act	5Minutes	-	-	X	X	Boys and Girls*
11	Fancy Dress	2Minutes	-	-	X	X	Boys and Girls*
12	Bharat Natyam	10Minutes	-	-	X	X	Girls
13	Mohiniattam	10Minutes	-	-	-	X	Girls
14	Kuchipudi	10Minutes	-	-	X	X	Girls
15	Folk Dance	5Minutes	-	-	X	X	Boys and Girls*
	Group Events						
16	Group Song	10minutes***	-	-	X**		Common
17	Thiruvathirakali	8Minutes	-	-	X**		Girls only
18	Oppana	8Minutes	-	-	X**		Common
19	Dandia	8Minutes	-	-	X**		Common
20	Bangra	8Minutes	-	-	X**		Common
21	Folk Group Dance	8Minutes	-	-	X**		Common
*Boys and Girls-Separate event for Boys and Girls							
**No Age Limit- Common for Juniors & Seniors							
***Time includes stage settings							

2. Age Group

- KG: Born **between** 01 April 2010 and 31 March 2012
- Sub-Juniors: Born **between** 01 April 2006 and 31 March 2010
- Juniors: Born **between** 01 April 2002 and 31 March 2006 and
- Seniors: Born **before** 01 April 2002

3. Elocution

- The topic for each category will be announced ONEWEEK before the event.

4. Group Events

- Only **ONE** group (Boys or Girls) is allowed in an event from a school. The group should not exceed more than 10 students including the orchestra team.

5. Dance Events

- ✚ The sequence of performance on the stage will be decided by draw from the entry list, held in the presence of contestants one hour prior to the event's scheduled time. Participants are requested to collect the chest number before the draw and should abide by their sequence of performance strictly.

6. Individual Championship

- The **Grade of Performance (Grade A, B & C)** will also be evaluated along with the positions. Grades will be on the basis of marks scored and will be as follows:

Marks	Grade
Marks \geq 70%	A
70% > Marks \geq 60%	B
60% > Marks \geq 50%	C

The Winners who secured First, Second and Third positions will receive Certificates and Trophies. In addition, winners will also get points based on positions, which will be as follows:

- First Place - 5 Points
- Second Place - 3 Points
- Third Place - 1 Point

However, winners will NOT be eligible for points if they have not won any of the grades.

The contestants scoring the highest points in individual items will be honored as **KALATHILAKAM** in girl' s category and **KALAPRATHIBHA** in the boys' category (separately in Juniors & Seniors) ,provided the contestant secured '**First position with A Grade**' in a minimum of two events and at least one of the must be in a classical event. There will not be an Individual title in Sub-Juniors or KG.

In the event of a tie, the winner will be decided on the basis of his/her performance in the following order

- a) ClassicalEvent b) Elocution c) Mono Act
- d) Poetry Recitation e) Light Music f) Folk Dance

For the purpose of title, the following items will be considered as Classical Event:

Bharat Natyam, Mohiniyattam, Kuchippudi, & ClassicalMusic

In the absence of KALATHILAKAM or KALAPRATHIBHA, the tops corers among boys and girls will be honoured as the title holder of“ KAIRALI Award of the Year” on the basis of their scoring in the individual items.

7. Overall Championship

Overall Championship Trophy will be awarded to the School which scores the highest points.

Criteria of Points:

<u>Individual Events</u>		<u>Group Events</u>	
First Place	- 5 Points	First Place	- 7 Points
Second Place	- 3 Points	Second Place	- 5 Points
Third Place	- 1 Points	Third Place	- 3 Points

In the event of a tie, the Championship will be decided by draw. However, winners will NOT be eligible for points if they have not won any of the grades.

8. General Instructions

1. A registration fee of AED 20 will be applicable for solo events and AED 50 for group events. A child participating more than one solo event should pay AED 10 per additional events and all group items AED 50 per event.
2. The contestants are not allowed to take part in any event without Registration Form duly signed and stamped by the School Authorities.
3. Only **TWO** entry will be accepted for each event from each category of boys and girls per school.
4. Please use the Entry Form, as per specimen enclosed, for Registration purpose and ensure that the particulars filled in the same such as Name, Date of Birth, Gender, Age Group, etc. are complete and accurate. Incomplete and illegible applications will be rejected without any consent.
5. Contestant's details filled up in the Organizer's **Entry Form** duly attested by authorities with the school seal should be returned to kairalica@gmail.com or by hand, latest by **15th December 2016**.
6. School authorities and (or) contestants are responsible to ensure that their applications are received by Youth festival committee on time. Organizers should not be held responsible for any missing applications.
7. The confirmation of participation will be intimated to all the eligible contestants by email two weeks after the last date of entry. The same should be presented by the contestant while reporting at the counter, where the Chest Number is issued. Without any proof of such confirmation, the participant will be denied entry to the contest.
8. The detailed schedule of the event will be sent to schools/contestants up on completion of the registration formalities and documentation.
9. A participant will be permitted to enter for a maximum of **FOUR** individual events.

10. The minimum number of entries to **qualify as an item** will be **FOUR** for individual events and **THREE** for group events. If the entries are less than the minimum on closing day of entries, item will be declared as cancelled and schools or individuals will be intimated accordingly. However, organizers reserve their right to amend the conditions any time for smooth running of the festival.
11. After confirming as an item, if the contestants are less than FOUR in Individual and THREE in Group events, performance will be allowed on the stage, but without awarding PRIZES or POINTS. And, if any performer gets special comments for his/her outstanding performance from the jury, the contestant will be considered only for a CONSOLATION PRIZE.
12. Replacement of contestants in any group items should be intimated well in advance. If not, he/she will not be included in the list for winner certificate and trophy.
13. Subject to the number of available entries, organizers reserve their right to combine or separate the Boys and Girls category for any event.
14. The decision of Panel of Judges shall be final and abiding to all. The parents/ participants/school authorities will have no right to contact judges directly. Complaints from parents/ teachers will NOT be entertained, however, in case of any discrepancy; the authorized school representative can submit a written complaint to the Organizer's office at the venue soon after declaration of the results.
15. Contestants should collect their Roll Number (Chest Number) from the counter, for each and every item separately, at least one hour before the contests scheduled to take place.
16. The contestants should complete their makeup and costume one hour before the event is scheduled to be held. If contestants are not available at the venue even after third call, the organizers will have the right to cancel his /her participation. The sequence of participation will be decided in the order of chest number issued, excluding for the dance events. At the same time, the organizers reserve their right to make any ultimate arrangements for the smooth running of festival and to avoid overlapping of events.
17. Defaulters in time limit will be disqualified.
18. Instruments are not allowed for Classical Music except Sruthi Box, which should be brought by participants, if needed. Organizers will not provide sruthi Box on stage.

19. Participants are not allowed to wear uniforms or any badge of schools represented.
20. No food or refreshments will be provided to the contestants or the School Representatives. Any such requirements should be informed to the organizers well in advance to arrange for the same at parent's/ participant's/School's expense.
21. School Authorities and (or) parents should take care of their wards and their personal belongings. KAIRALI will bear no responsibility for any loss or damage.
22. The items presented by the contestants must be totally free of any political or religious undertones.
24. It is allowed use recorded audio for Oppana, Thiruvathira and Folk. However, the decision of judges will be final on the quality of live audio/ recorded audio.
25. It is NOT allowed to use announcements or Back Ground Music for Fancy Dress and Mono Act.

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