

<u>Type:</u> Stand-up comedy <u>Individual category</u>

Rules and Procedure:

- -This category only has 1 round.
- The time limit for each delegate is 3-6 minutes; negative marking will be done for exceeding the maximum limit or failing to reach the minimum limit.
- The category can be bilingual (English and/or Urdu only).
- Paper reading is discouraged but will not be negatively marked.
- If delegates wish to use props in their performance, they must bring their own, except for tables and chairs.
- No delegate can comment on an individual's race, ethnicity, religion, sect, identity, gender, school, political views, and ideologies.
- Scripts are required to be original and free from plagiarism. Any use of Al is strictly prohibited. Scripts must be submitted on Google Classroom a day before the event.
- Delegates are encouraged to interact with the crowd; these interactions could include asking a person from the crowd a question, pointing to someone in the middle of your speech, or asking someone to scream a phrase in between lines. (These interactions can be scripted.)
- Violation of any of these rules will result in immediate disqualification.

Prompts:

- Things you see at a high school concert but not anywhere else
- Pakistanis dramas
- Jinn stories
- Desi aunties
- "Mama said no"
- "Beta aapnay agay ja kay kya karna hai?"
- "Me and who?"
- "What's your Roman Empire?"
- "Who let bro cook?"
- "Is this you or your other personality speaking?"

Judging Criteria:

- 1. Content
- 2. Eloquence
- 3. Creativity
- 4. Originality
- 5. Body language
- 6. Relevance to the chosen topic