

YUVOTSAV -2026 EVENT SPECIFIC RULES / PROCESS (General Rules)

1. BUSINESS IDEA: 2 MINUTE MEIN

- (a) Contestants have to speak about a business idea which takes care of all 3 aspects – planet, people and profit in order to create a sustainable business.
- (b) Contestant can show videos/ snap shots/ images by way of PowerPoint or otherwise during pitching session along with their speech. No additional time will be provided for this.
- (c) Carrying of reading paper will not be allowed.
- (d) Language of Presentation: English
- (e) Enough research is required to present a good idea matching all the three aspects. Substitutes of existing products including plastic or changes in the existing business models (how things are done) are indicative examples. Innovative products, services, ideas will be required.
- (f) Time for each contestant –Minimum – 1 Minute & Maximum 2 mins. (Reminder at 1.5 mins.) – refer Elevator Pitching Sessions.
- (g) Negative marking for exceeding time limit.
- (h) Order of speaking will be chosen by way of draw of lots.
- (i) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (j) Other rules will be informed on spot.
- (k) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (l) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

2. ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

- (a) Participants have to write on the assigned topic
- (b) Language – English.
- (c) Students will write the essays on the given topic. Minimum time – 10 Minutes & Maximum time will be half an hour.
- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

3. TONGUE TWISTER (Zuan Sambhal Kar)

- (a) Participants will be given a Tongue Twister
- (b) Number of attempts- only one
- (c) Language – English/Hindi.
- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

4. POETRY COMPETITION

- (a) Participants have to speak their own poetry
- (b) Language – English/Hindi
- (c) Time- Minimum- 1 Minute & Maximum 5 minutes

- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

5. QUIZ: PRASHNAVALI

- (a). The Quiz will be conducted on 11th January 2026
- (b). Syllabus and marks:

S. No.	Syllabus	Marks
1.)	General Knowledge and current affairs	15 Marks
2.)	Know your Institute	5 Marks
3.)	About Swami Vivekananda	5 Marks
	Total	25 Marks

- (c). Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (d). The Quiz Competition shall be in MCQ Pattern.
- (e). Language – English
- (f). Time- Minimum- 10 Minutes & Maximum 20 minutes
- (g). Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (h). Decision of Judge(s)/Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

6. LEGAL PUZZLE: ULTA PULTA

- (a) Quiz will be conducted based on jumble phrases and their meanings, crossword etc.
- (b) The Competition shall be in MCQ Pattern.
- (c) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize (all Team Prizes)
- (d) Language – English
- (e) Time- Minimum- 10 Minutes & Maximum 20 minutes
- (f) 25 Questions
- (g) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (h) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

7. BEST OUT OF WASTE (Team of 2)

- (a) Contestants (Team of 2) have to use their own art materials (anything as per their creativity – scrap, colours, colored papers, ribbon, decorative materials etc.) and chart paper of standard size and also their tools like scissors, glue, cello tape etc. They will also have to use waste materials like used plastic bottles or any other waste materials.
- (b) Their artwork can be of any form or description, and it has to be done on a chart paper.
- (c) The creativity will be on creating the best artwork using the waste materials along with other materials as indicated above.
- (d) Copying from any source is prohibited. Original thoughts are encouraged.
- (e) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (f) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (g) Time- Minimum- 15 Minutes & Maximum 30 minutes
- (h) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

8. SLOGAN WRITING COMPETITION

- (a) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize (all Team Prizes)
- (b) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (c) Language: Hindi/English
- (d) Time- Minimum- 5 Minute & Maximum 15 minutes
- (e) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

9. RUNNING COMPETITION: (Male/Female separately)

- (a) Award Categories: 1st Prize (Male/Female separately)
- (b) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (c) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

10. SONGS COMPETITION (SOLO PERFORMANCE): (In any Indian Language)

- (a) Time to each singer – Minimum – 2 Minutes & 5 minutes maximum
- (b) Negative marking for exceeding time limit
- (c) Award Categories: 1st Prize (Male and Female separately)
- (d) Musical instruments can also be used during singing.
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

11. FASHION SHOW- ETHNIC INDIAN

- a.) Award Categories: 1st Prize (Male/Female) Mr. Yuvotsav/ Ms. Yuvotsav
- b.) Dress code will be Indian ethnic wear
- c.) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- d.) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

12. KNOW YOUR STATE

- a) KNOW YOUR STATE -Quiz will be conducted in MCQ Pattern.
- b) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- c) Language – English
- d) Time- Minimum- 10 Minutes & Maximum 20 minutes
- e) 25 Questions
- f) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- g) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.
- h) Other rules will be informed on spot.

13. CALLIGRAPHY WRITING COMPETITION (ABOUT COMPANY SECRETARIES)

- (a) Participants have to write on a paper on the topic
- (b) Language – English.
- (c) Maximum words: 500
- (d) Time- Minimum-15 Minutes & Maximum -30 Minutes
- (e) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (f) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.

- (g) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

14. DEBATE: TOL MOL KE BOL

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- (a) Students need to speak either for the motion or against the motion
 - (b) Languages allowed - Multilingual Debate: Hindi / English / combination thereof.
 - (c) Time to each speaker – Minimum- 1 Minute & 5 minutes maximum
 - (d) No personal attacks or use of prohibited language. Satire is allowed
 - (e) Negative marking for exceeding time limit.
 - (f) Award Categories: Best Speaker (For the motion) & Best Speaker (Against the motion)
 - (g) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
 - (h) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

15. ELOCUTION: BOL BINDAAS

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- (a) Each contestant has to recite (without looking at the text) any part of the historic speech given by Swamiji at the Parliament of Religion, Chicago in the year 1893.
 - (b) Marks will be cut for breaks, mistakes of any kind /manner
 - (c) Prompting / reading will not be allowed.
 - (d) Candidates may dress in the attire of Swamiji
 - (e) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
 - (f) Rules may change. Please keep track.
 - (g) Time to each speaker – Minimum- 1 Minute & 5 minutes maximum
 - (h) Languages allowed - English
 - (i) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
 - (j) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding

16. MUSICAL CHAIR

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- (a) Award Categories: 1st Prize
 - (b) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
 - (c) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

17. STORY TELLING COMPETITION

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- (a) Languages allowed - Hindi / English
 - (b) Time to each speaker –2 -5minutes
 - (c) Negative marking for exceeding time limit.
 - (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize
 - (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
 - (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

18. PHOTO COMPETITION WITH CAPTION.

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- (a). Contestants can take candid photographs from their mobile phone or camera.
 - (b). They will have to arrange their own mobile phone/ camera.
 - (c). The contestants will capture pictures related to Yuvotsav-2026

- (d). The participants will submit the photographs till 06:00 pm on 11th January 2026 at yuvotsav.photos@icsi.edu
- (e). Best Clicked Moments with appropriate title will get the prize.
- (f). Editing / Collage of any description / manner is prohibited.
- (g). Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (h). Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (i). Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

19. GROUP DANCE: PAYAL KI JHANKAR

- (a) Minimum two and maximum five contestants can be nominated who will participate jointly.
- (b) Props and costumes can be used
- (c) Minimum: 2 Minutes & Maximum time per team – 5 minutes.
- (d) Language: Hindi/English/Regional Language
- (e) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize (all Team Prizes)
- (f) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (g) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

20. ACTING COMPETITION (DEKHO MERA ABHINAY)

- (a) Contestants have to act on any topic.
- (b) Language – English/Hindi.
- (c) Time allotted :2 -5 minutes
- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

21. POSTER MAKING COMPETITION (POSTER KALA PRADARSHAN)

- (a) Participants have to make a poster on a given theme.
- (b) Language – English/Hindi.
- (c) Time allotted :10-30 minutes
- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

22. RANGOLI

- (a) Contestants have to use their own art materials (anything as per their creativity – colours, colored papers, decorative materials etc.)
- (b) Their artwork can be of any form or description.
- (c) The creativity will be on creating the best artwork
- (d) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (e) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (f) Time- Minimum- 15 Minutes & Maximum 30 minutes
- (g) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.

23. CARROM BOARD

- (a) Award Categories: 1st Prize, 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize
- (b) Rules will be updated from time to time. Please keep track.
- (c) Time- Minimum- 10 Minutes & Maximum 15 minutes
- (d) Decision of Judge(s) / Organising Committee shall be final and binding.