



**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT**  
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**Sultanate of Oman**



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**CIRCULAR TO THE PARENTS & STUDENTS OF STD III TO XII**  
**INDIAN SCHOOL TALENT FEST**

Dear Parents & Students,

Greetings from Indian School Muscat!

Under the aegis of the Board of Directors Indian Schools Oman, Indian School Muscat will proudly host the much-anticipated "**INDIAN SCHOOL TALENT FEST 2023**" on **8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> November 2023**. This exhilarating annual extravaganza serves as a captivating platform for students to exhibit their talents in the domains of Art, Music, Literature, Visual Art, and more.

This year, the Indian School Talent Fest shall elevate its grandeur with four categories and a plethora of captivating competitive events. These categories are as follows:

1. Sub-Junior Category – Classes III, IV, V
2. Junior Category – Classes VI, VII, VIII
3. Senior Category – Classes IX, X, XI, XII
4. Open Category – Classes III to XII

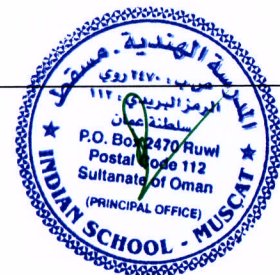
Moreover, an enchanting non-competitive event called **UTAR – UNIQUE TALENT RECOGNITION** awaits the awe-inspiring talents of students possessing unique and diverse skills.

Kindly refer to the enclosed overleaf of this circular for a comprehensive list of events catered to various categories. We cordially invite all students, from Classes III to XII, to participate in the **auditions** of the Indian School Talent Fest, scheduled to be held in **August 2023**. The exact date & time will be informed later.

Furthermore, we would like to highlight that the winners of select individual events from **JHANKAAR HUES 2023** will be granted the honour of representing ISM in the Indian School Talent Fest 2023. As a result, auditions shall not be conducted for the following events.

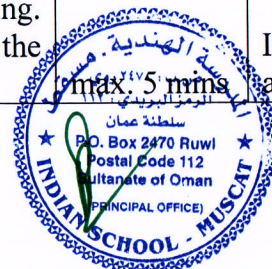
<b>SUB-JUNIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES III, IV, V</b>	
1	Tales from Imagination – Solo (Narrating a Tall Tale)
2	Soulful Serenades – Solo (Indian Light Vocal)
<b>JUNIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES VI, VII, VIII</b>	
3	Speak with Styles – Solo (Elocution in English)
4	Hindi Hues - Solo (Poetry Recitation in Hindi)
5	Key to Melodies – Solo (Western Keyboard)
<b>SENIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES IX, X, XI, XII</b>	
6	Speak with Styles – Solo (Elocution in English)
7	Think on Your Feet – Solo (Extempore Speech in English)
8	Melodic Mastery – Solo (Carnatic Vocal)
9	Sing your Heart out – Solo (Western Singing)
10	Key to Melodies – Solo (Western Keyboard)

**No audition is conducted. The winners of Jhankaar Hues will be selected to represent ISM in Indian School Talent Fest 2023.**



However, the auditions shall be held for the following events, and it is requested that students prepare themselves for the audition scheduled for **August 2023**. The exact date & time will be informed later. This golden opportunity to exhibit your exceptional talents is not only a chance for personal growth but also an opportunity to contribute towards your school's triumph in this illustrious competition, renowned as the largest and most prestigious event in the Middle East.

SI	Categories & Events	Remarks	Time limit	Audition type
<b>SUB-JUNIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES III, IV, V</b>				
1	Rubik's Cube - Solo (3x3 Rubik's Cube Solving)	Cube will be given by the School	fastest timing	Individual audition
<b>JUNIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES VI, VII, VIII</b>				
2	Graceful Expressions – Solo (Indian Classical Dance including Bharatanatyam)	Any Indian Classical Dance Form	max. 5 mins	Individual audition
3	Rubik's Cube - Solo (4x4 Rubik's Cube Solving)	Cube will be given by the School	fastest timing	Individual audition
4	Acrostic Composition - Solo (Acrostic Poetry Writing)	A word will be given, Acrostic poem in English should be written based on that word. Each line should contain 8 to 10 words starting with the given word.	max. 1 hour	Individual audition
<b>SENIOR CATEGORY – CLASSES IX, X, XI, XII</b>				
5	Graceful Expressions – Solo (Indian Classical Dance including Bharatanatyam)	Any Indian Classical Dance Form	max. 5 mins	Individual audition
6	Verses in Quatorzains - Solo (Sonnet Writing in English)	A sonnet in English should be written with 14 lines and with simple rhyming based on a theme given during the audition (Not necessarily in traditional format)	max. 1 hour	Individual audition
7	Rubik's Cube - Solo (4x4 Rubik's Cube Solving)	Cube will be given by the School	fastest timing	Individual audition
<b>OPEN CATEGORY – CLASSES III TO XII</b>				
8	Laugh Out Loud – Solo (Stand Up Comedy in English)	Only in English.	max. 4 mins	Individual audition
9	Rhythmic Fusion – Group (Contemporary Dance)		max. 5 mins	Individual audition
10	Graceful Expressions - Group (Indian Classical Dance including Bharatanatyam)	Those students who attend solo audition will also be considered	max. 5 mins	Individual audition
11	Rock On – Group (Rock Band)	Students should perform any one of the below: Drum/ Bass guitar / lead guitar/ Keyboard/Rock singing. Should be able to play as per the questions of judges also	max. 5 mins	Individual audition



12	Pieces of Art – Group (Collage Making)	Theme: “Hopes and Dreams” – Expression of your aspirations and hopes for the future	max. 1 hour	Individual audition
13	Artistic Symphony - Group (Graffiti Making)	Theme: “Futuristic Cityscapes” – futuristic cityscape, showcasing innovative technology and sleek design	max. 1 hour	Individual audition
14	Silent Expressions – Group (Mime)	Acting skill (including flexibility) of the student will be judged	max. 3 mins	Individual audition
15	Streetwise – Group (Street Play in English)	Dialogue delivery skill & acting skill (including flexibility) of the student will be judged.	max. 3 mins	Individual audition
16	Capturing Moments – Group (Digital Photography & Album Making)	Participant may submit the digital copy of the photos as one pdf file on the theme "Expressions of emotions"	15 photos	Individual audition
17	Junk Jams – Group (Junk Music)	Should be able to create music with any junk/ waste material.	max. 3 mins	Individual audition
18	Flipping Fantastic – Solo (Flip Dance)	Students need to dance 5 different styles based on the music played for 30 sec. instantly	2 mins & 30 sec	Individual audition
19	Global Melodies - Group (International Folk Song, other than Indian)	Participant may sing an international folk song - Singing talent will be tested	max. 3 mins	Individual audition
20	Crafting a Compelling TV Commercial - Group (Create a TV Ad.)	Group may make a TV Ad. based on the theme "Road Safety: Encouraging students to follow road safety rules and regulations”	30 to 45 sec.	Group audition (4 in a team)
21	<b>UTAR - UNIQUE TALENT RECOGNITION - Classes III to XII</b>	Any unique or different talent of a student can be showcased in any field.	max. 4 mins	Individual audition

With Warm Regards

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