

### **EVENT DETAILS**

EVENT NAME: Just a Minute (JAM)

**CLASSES: 9 - 12** 

**EVENT MODE: Live** 

DESCRIPTION OF EVENT: This is a live event where participants will be assigned topics on the spot and they have to speak on it for a minute.

#### FORMAT:

- > Each student will be given a topic on spot.
- > The student will have to speak on the given topic for a minute.
- ➤ Passing the time limit or speaking for less than 45 seconds will result in deduction of points.
- > No derogatory/foul/insulting language is encouraged.
- > Based on the scoring criteria the winners will be declared.
- ➤ A 30 second buffer period will be awarded to all participants once they receive the topic on the spot.

### CODE OF CONDUCT FOR EVENT DAY:

- The competition will be held online via Zoom App, therefore participants should make sure that the supporting equipment and devices are available (Laptop/PC with a functioning camera, speaker, microphone, and internet connection).
- > All students participating should have their cameras turned on at all times.
- > During the competition, the microphone of all the participants will be muted. Participants are only allowed to unmute the microphone when their name is called to start speaking.
- ➤ No student should use any kind of slur/foul/phobic language of any kind against anyone in the meeting or in general. Doing so guarantees instant expulsion from SAITED
- > During the competitions, the registered participants cannot be represented by anyone else, otherwise they will be disqualified.
- ➤ Participants should rename themselves in the Zoom Meeting in the following format: (Name\_Class\_SchoolName) (e.g. RitaSingh\_Class2\_SAI)
- > Participants are requested to preferably be in their respective school uniforms while attending the zoom meeting.
- > Students are requested to have a plain setting as your background for the zoom meeting.
- > All participants should respect and appreciate the judgement given by the judges.

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- > The judges' decisions are final and no correspondence pertaining to the judging process will be entertained.
- ➤ Every participant should be present at least 15 (fifteen) minutes before the competition starts. If the participant is not present when their names are called, he/she will be disqualified from the competition.

### SCORING CRITERIA:

- > Fluency(5 points)
- ➤ Content (5 points)
- > Presentation(10 points)
- ➤ Vocabulary (5 points)
- ➤ Time limit not adhered to (-2 points)

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