

MARY MOUNT PUBLIC SCHOOL & JUNIOR COLLEGE,

KATTACHIRA, KOTTAYAM

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FRIDAY, 3 AUGUST

ITEMS AND RULES FOR THE COMPETITION

Category 1 (Class I & II)

(All items are common for boys and girls, unless otherwise mentioned)

Single Items

1. Painting (Crayons)	60 mts
2. Elocution – English	5 mts
3. Elocution – Malayalam	5 mts
4. Recitation – English	5 mts
5. Recitation – Malayalam	5 mts
6. Story Telling –English	5 mts
7. Light Music – Malayalam	5 mts
8. Folk Dance (Single)	5 mts
9. Fancy Dress	30Sec

Topics for Elocution

I. English Elocution : **Book – A Garden of Life**

II. Malayalam Elocution : വിദ്യാലയങ്ങളിലെ അച്ചടക്കം

Category II (Class III & IV)

(All items are common for boys and girls, unless otherwise mentioned)

Single Items

1. Pencil Drawing	60 mts
2. Painting (Crayon)	60 mts
3. Light Music – Malayalam	5 mts
4. Elocution – English	5 mts
5. Elocution – Malayalam	5 mts
6. Recitation – English	5 mts
7. Recitation – Malayalam	5 mts
8. Recitation – Hindi	5 mts
9. Folk Dance (Single)	5 mts
10. Digital Painting	30mts

Topics for Elocution

- I. English Elocution : **Media an inevitable part of life.**
- II. Malayalam Elocution - പ്രകൃതി സംരക്ഷണത്തിന്റെ പ്രാധാന്യം
- III. Hindi Elocution : भारत-मेरा प्यारा देश

Category III (Class V, VI & VII)

(All items are common for boys and girls, unless otherwise mentioned)

Items

1. Pencil Drawing	60 mts
2. Painting (Water Colour)	60 mts
3. Cartoon	60 mts
4. Elocution – English	5 mts
5. Elocution – Malayalam	5 mts
6. Elocution – Hindi	5 mts
7. Recitation – English	5 mts
8. Recitation – Malayalam	5 mts
9. Recitation – Hindi	5 mts
10. Recitation – Sanskrit	5 mts
11. Recitation -Arabic	5 mts
12. Essay Writing – Malayalam	60 mts
13. Essay Writing – English	60 mts
14. Light Music (Malayalam -Boys)	5 mts
15. Light Music (Malayalam -Girls)	5 mts
16. Classical Music (Karnatic, Sruti allowed)	10 mts
17. Folk Dance (Single Girls)	5 mts
18. Folk Dance (Single Boys)	5 mts
19. Bharata Natyam (Boys)	10 mts
20. Bharata Natyam (Girls)	10 mts
21. Mohiniyattom (Girls)	10 mts
22. Mono Act	10 mts
23. Digital Painting	30 mts
24. Group Dance (Girls) 7 Participants	10 mts

Topics for Elocution

- I. English Elocution : **Chat rooms are dangerous**
- II. Malayalam Elocution : സാമൂഹിക സേവനവും വിദ്യാർത്ഥികളും
- III. Hindi Elocution : प्याथाम और स्वास्थ्य

Category IV (Class VIII, IX & X)

(All items are common for boys and girls, unless otherwise mentioned)

Items

1. Pencil Drawing	1 hr
2. Painting (Oil Colour)	1 hr
3. Painting (Water Colour)	1 hr
4. Cartoon	1 hr
5. Essay Writing – English	1 hr
6. Essay Writing – Malayalam	1 hr
7. Essay Writing – Hindi	1 hr
8. Story Writing – English	1 hr
9. Story Writing – Malayalam	1 hr
10. Story Writing – Hindi	1 hr
11. Versification (Poetry Writing)– Malayalam	1 hr
12. Versification(Poetry Writing) – English	1 hr
13. Versification (Poetry Writing)– Hindi	1 hr
14. Extempore – English	5 mts
15. Extempore – Malayalam	5 mts
16. Extempore – Hindi	5 mts
17. Recitation – English	5 mts
18. Recitation – Malayalam	5 mts
19. Recitation – Hindi	5 mts
20. Recitation – Sanskrit	5 mts
21. Recitation –Arabic	5 mts
22. Light Music Malayalam (Boys)	5 mts
23. Light Music Malayalam (Girls)	5 mts
24. Classical Music (Karnatic) Boys (Sruti allowed)	10 mts
25. Classical Music (karnatic) Girls (Sruti allowed)	10 mts
26. Mappilapattu (Boys)	5 mts
27. Mappilappattu (Girls)	5 mts
28. Mono Act	5 mts
29. Bharata Natyam (Boys)	10 mts
30. Bharata Natyam (Girls)	10 mts
31. Kuchippudi (Girls)	10 mts
32. Kuchippudi (Boys)	10 mts
33. Mohiniyattom (Girls)	10 mts
34. Folk Dance Single (Boys)	5 mts
35. Folk Dance Single (Girls)	5 mts
36. Ottanthullal	10 mts
37. Mimicry	5 mts
38. Mridungam (Eastern)	5 mts
39. Guitar (Western)	5 mts
40. Violin (Eastern)	5 mts
41. Tabala (Eastern)	5 mts

42. Flute	5mts
43. Anchoring	5 mts
44. Digital Painting	30 mts
45. Power Point Presentation 3 Participants	1hr
46. Poster Designing	1hr
47. Collage	1hr
48. Thiruvathirakali(Girls) 10Participants(2 singers + 8 performers)	5 mts
49. Group Dance (Girls) 7 Participants	5 mts
50. Oppana(Girls) 10 Participants (3 singers+ 7 performers)	5 mts
51. Margamkali (Girls) 7 Participants (1singer + 6 performers)	5 mts
52. Duffmutt (Boys) 10 Participants	5 mts
53. Kolkali (Boys) 12 Participants	5 mts

Category V (Class XI & XII)

(All items are common for boys and girls, unless otherwise mentioned)

Items

1. Pencil Drawing	1hr
2. Painting (Oil Colour)	1hr
3. Painting (Water Colour)	1hr
4. Cartoon	1hr
5. Essay Writing – English	1hr
6. Essay Writing – Malayalam	1hr
7. Essay Writing – Hindi	1hr
8. Story Writing – English	1hr
9. Story Writing – Malayalam	1hr
10. Story Writing – Hindi	1hr
11. Versification (Poetry Writing)– Malayalam	1hr
12. Versification(Poetry Writing) – English	1hr
13. Versification (Poetry Writing)– Hindi	1hr
14. Extempore – English	5 mts
15. Extempore – Malayalam	5 mts
16. Extempore – Hindi	5 mts
17. Recitation – English	5 mts
18. Recitation – Malayalam	5 mts
19. Recitation – Hindi	5 mts
20. Recitation – Sanskrit	5 mts
21. Recitation –Arabic	5 mts
22. Light Music Malayalam (Boys)	5 mts
23. Light Music Malayalam (Girls)	5 mts
24. Classical Music (Karnatic) Boys (Sruti allowed)	10 mts
25. Classical Music (karnatic) Girls (Sruti allowed)	10 mts
26. Mappilapattu (Boys)	5 mts
27. Mappilappattu (Girls)	5 mts

28. Mono Act	5 mts
29. Bharata Natyam (Boys)	10 mts
30. Bharata Natyam (Girls)	10 mts
31. Kuchippudi (Girls)	10 mts
32. Kuchippudi (Boys)	10 mts
33. Mohiniyattom (Girls)	10 mts
34. Folk Dance Single (Boys)	5 mts
35. Folk Dance Single (Girls)	5 mts
36. Ottanthullal	10 mts
37. Mimicry	5 mts
38. Mridungam (Eastern)	5 mts
39. Guitar (Western)	5 mts
40. Violin (Eastern)	5 mts
41. Tabala (Eastern)	5 mts
42. Flute	5mts
43. Digital Painting	30 mts
44. Thiruvathirakali(Girls) 10Participants (2singers+ performers)	5 mts
45. Oppana(Girls) 10 Participants (3 singers+ 7 performers)	5 mts
46. Margamkali (Girls) 7 Participants (1singer + 6 performers)	5 mts
47. Duffmutt (Boys) 10 Participants	5 mts
48. Anchoring	5mts
49. Power Point Presentation 3Participants	70mts
50. Poster Designing	1 hr
51. Collage	1hr

Common Group Items

(Common for boys, girls and Category)

1. Group Song (Sruthi allowed) <i>7participants</i>	10 mts
2. Patriotic Song <i>7 participants</i>	10 mts
3. Western Music <i>7 participants</i>	10 mts
4. Mime <i>7 participants</i>	10 mts
5. One -Act Play	15mts
(Max. characters 10; + 3 for stage arrangements)	

Note: In the above-said group items shown as common, groups comprising of boys alone or girls alone or both boys and girls together, irrespective of category, can perform the item.

General Instructions

1. School youth festival for the academic year 2018-19 will be held on **Friday 3, August 2018**.
2. Students are asked to register their names to their house –in-charge teachers on or before **Tuesday ,10 July, 2018.(before 4.00 pm)**
3. The house supervisors and category wise house in-charge teachers are directed to submit the participants list to the coordinator on or before **Thursday, 12 July, 2018**.
4. All writing and painting competitions will be conducted from **Tuesday 17, July 2018** onwards.
5. All house supervisors, category-wise house in-charge charge teachers and students are strictly directed to go through the general instructions.
6. All competitions are held house-wise.
7. Competitions in various items are conducted in five categories on the basis of the class to which a student belongs to :
 - Category 1 Classes I and II
 - Category 2 Classes III and IV
 - Category 3 Classes V, VI and VII
 - Category 4 Classes VIII, IX and X
 - Category 5 Classes XI and XII
8. A student cannot compete in categories other than his /her own in case of individual items and group items. (Except common group items.)
9. A student shall participate in a maximum of **FIVE** single items and **TWO** group items only.
10. Of the single items only **THREE** shall be stage items, like dance, Song, elocution/extempore, mimicry, anchoring etc. and Two will be off-stage items like drawing, writing, painting etc..
11. All items unless otherwise specifically mentioned are common for both boys and girls.
12. To qualify for the title of **Kalathilakam and Kalaprathibha**, a student should have participated in a **Dance** item and should have secured either **First or Second position**.
13. Participation in the following **common group items** shall be irrespective of category or sex. **Groups comprising of boys alone or girls alone or both boys and girls together, irrespective of category, can perform the item.**
 - i. Group Song
 - ii. Patriotic Song
 - iii. Western Music
 - iv. Mime
 - v. One -Act Play

16. **It is compulsory that all the four houses should send a team to compete in all group items, with the stipulated number of participants, failure of which can result in negative marks.**
17. The participants who secure first, second and third position shall be awarded merit certificates in both individual and group items.
18. Points for individual items will be 5, 3 and 1 for first, second and third places, and points for group items will be 10, 6 and 2 for first, second and third places respectively.
19. For group items where back stage singing is allowed, singers shall belong to the same category and sex. In the case of common group items, singers shall be boys/girls/mixed.
20. Only **Audio CD/MP3** will be allowed for **dance items and mime**. You are required to record the song or music of each item in new CDs. Only one song/music should be recorded in one CD.
21. In all competitions both stage performers and back stage performers are eligible for certificates and prizes.
22. Once the list of participants is submitted to the coordinators, participants' name will not be allowed to change
23. For more details, contact : Mr. Sebin Joseph, Sr. Sophia Jose , Ms. Reshma Susan ,Ms. Mariat V John , Ms. Nisha Ravi , Ms. Vidya Kesary, & Ms. Preetha M G.
24. Item -wise instructions and value points are displayed on the notice board.
25. Judgment of each item will strictly be based on value points

Principal

ITEMS & VALUE POINTS (JUDGEMENT CRITERIA)

I. ART- Drawing , Painting and Cartoon

The paper or canvas required shall be provided to the participants. The theme or the topic shall be given by the judges at the venue. The time allowed shall be one hour. The participants shall bring materials like pen, pencil ,colours etc

VALUE POINTS

a. Drawing

Proportion –Shading –neatness-imagination and beauty of the strokes.

b. Painting

Ability in doing portraits and scenery – Light and shade, imagination – perception

c. Cartoon

Clarity of the theme –sense of humor –uniqueness- beauty of the strokes.

II. LITERARY ITEMS

Essay writing, Story writing, Versification (Poetry writing), Extempore, Elocution, and Recitation. The topics for elocution shall be announced in advance. Recitation has to be chosen by the contestants. Only poems are allowed for recitation. Topics for all other items shall be announced at the venue.

Value Points

a. Essay writings

Suitable introduction and conclusion –systematic and logical arrangement of points, in-depth knowledge of the topic –flow of language-grammatical correctness, correct spelling.

b. Story writing

Correct understanding of the theme-flow of language-correct spelling

c. Poetry writing

Rhythmic arrangement of words in poems –imagination , flow of language –correct spelling, Rhyme

d. Extempore & Elocution

Time limit, in-depth knowledge of the topic-logical arrangement of points-flow of language-grammatical correctness, appropriate poise-gestures – facial expressions-voice modulation- confidence.

e. Recitation

Suitable facial expressions – imbibing the meaning and message of the poem – clarity and correct pronunciation – appropriate introduction and voice modulation. Only poems are allowed in recitation.

III. MUSIC

3. Light Music

Film songs, album songs or devotional songs shall not be allowed.

Value Points

Sangeetha Njanam- Shareeram – Sruthilayam- Njana Bhavam-Shabda Shudhi- Thalam- Manodharmam

2. Classical Music

For classical music competition, sruthi box shall be allowed and participants can sing any raga.

Value Points

Shareeram– Sruthilayam- Njana Bhavam- Bhava Shudhi- Thalam- Manodharmam

3. Group Song

Only Malayalam songs shall be allowed. Number of participants shall be 7.

No musical instruments shall be allowed except Sruthi Box.

Value Points

Harmony Rhythm-Tune - Njana Bhavam- Group Singing, Sangeetha Njanam- Shareeram – Sruthilayam- Shabda Shudhi- Thalam

4. **Group Patriotic Song**

For group patriotic song, both boys and girls shall sing. Should be related to the theme of national integration. Malayalam, Hindi or English songs shall be allowed. No musical instruments ; no sruthi box shall be allowed

5. **Mappilappattu**

In Mappilappattu, film songs are not allowed.

6. **Instrumental Music**

(Thabala (Eastern), Mrudangam (Eastern), Violin(Eastern),Flute (Eastern),Guitar (Western)

Instrument shall be arranged by the participants.

Value Points

Thabala (Eastern)

Fingering, Chollu, Gamagam , Thalam

Mrudangam(Eastern)

Fingering ,Chollu, Nadham , Thalam

Violin (Eastern)

Fingering ,Swarasthanam, Nadham, Thalam

Flute(Eastern)

Swarasthanam, Nadham, Thalam, Manodharmam

Guitar(Eastern)

Nadham, Thalam , Fingering , Notation

IV. **Dance**

Music recorded on cassettes/CDs shall only be used for Group Dance, Bharathanatyam, Mohiniyattam, Kuchupudi and Folk Dance. The Cassettes /CDs shall be handed over to the stage manager 15 minutes before the performance.

1. **Folk Dance**

Value Points

Akara Sushama, Bhava Prakadanam , Thalam , Mudra, Chalana Bhangi, Costume

Classical Dance

Value Points

Vesham, Akara Sushama Bhava Prakadanam , Thalam , Mudra, Steps

3. **Oppana**

There shall be 10 participants (Three singers and seven performers).No background music shall be allowed. Only girls can participate.Time:10 minutes. Both stage performers and back stage performers shall wear the same costume and make up

Value Points

Rhythm of singing, Expressions, Dress, Movements, Thalam, Combination of clapping , Originality of Presentation

4. **Thiruvathira**

There shall be 10 participants (2 singers and 8 performers)

Only girls shall participate. Time: 10 minutes.

For Thiruvathira, the simple traditional dress should be used. Originality of the dance must be maintained. The singers must be students. Both stage performers and back stage performers shall wear the same costume and make up **Nilavilakku and Nirapara should be arranged by the participants.**

Value Points

Costume (traditional Kerala Dress preferably Kasavuset), originality of the item, Chalanam, Thalam, Steps

5. **Group Dance**

7 Participants shall be allowed. Time 10 minutes

Value Points

Harmony between the performers, dress, Music, Movement, Rhythm, Presentation

Margam Kali

Traditional costume is necessary. Kuzhi Thalam (Cheriyathalam) can be used in singing. No background music. Only girls can participate. **Nilavillakku & Kuzhi Thalam should be arranged by the participants.** (6+1members, 6performers and 1singer) .Time:10 minutes. Both stage performers and back stage performers shall wear the same costume and make up

Value Points

Veshathanima, Thalam, Steps, music and clarity of singing, Presentation

7. Ottanthullal

For Ottanthullal , back stage singers can be non- students as well.

Value Points

Vesha bhangi, Sangeetham,Sahithyam, Ucharanam, Abhinayam, Thalam

8. Kol Kali

Participants themselves shall sing. Only boys can participate. No.of participants12. Time :10 minutes

Value Points

Originality of song , Thalavum Koladakkavum, Meythayam, Steps, Presentation

Duffmutt

Arab byth or Mahath pattukal only shall be used. The expressions are of Veeram, Roudram, Bhayanakam, Bakthi and Unmadham. Only boys shall participate. 10 participants. Time:10 minutes

Value Points

Correct rhythmic singing, Expressions, Dress

Monoact

Time allowed shall be 5 minutes. Common for boys and girls.

Value Points

Clarity , Expressions , Theme

VI. Mimicry

Time allowed shall be 5 minutes. Common for boys and girls.

Value Points

Theme, Acting, Imitative skill, Originality

VII. Mime

Time allowed shall be 5 minutes. Common for boys and girls. No. of participants should not exceed 7. Music recorded tape or CD only can be used.

Value points

Contemporary value of themes, Expression, Originality, Clarity, Dress code

Power Point Presentation

(Time allowed: One hour for preparation and 10 minutes for presentation.)

- a. Number of slides and the topic will be announced at the time of the competition.
- b. The file should be saved in the folder named Power Point Presentation created on the desktop.
- c. The file name should be compulsorily participant's chest number. All other file names will be considered as invalid entry.
- d. Confirm the folder and check that your file is saved in the specific folder before logging off. Organizers will not be responsible for any lost of file.
- e. The images needed for the slide will be provided in the folder named Power Point Presentation created on the desktop. Choose the appropriate images and backgrounds. MS Power Point 2003 version will be provided in the computer.
- f. No CD or pen drive is permitted, and internet shall not be used.

Value Points

1. Clarity of the theme

20 marks

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| 2. In-depth knowledge of the topic given | 20 marks |
| 3. Appropriate animation and transition used | 20 marks |
| 4. Appropriate use of colour code and images | 20 marks |
| 5. Suitable introduction and conclusion | 20 marks |

IX. Poster Designing (Time allowed : 2 hrs)

- i. The competition is open to all students of category 4 and 5.
- j. There should be one Logo or emblem created by the participant based on the theme given.
- k. The poster design should be of commercial nature.
- l. Words or text is not compulsory while designing, but if wordings are used , it should be relevant to the theme.
- m. The participants can use any media for designing. (water colour , poster colour, fabric colour , crayons or colour pencil can be used .)
- n. Cutting and pasting pictures are not allowed. The design should be done solely by the participants themselves.
- o. Size of the design will be based on the paper distributed at the time of competition .
- p. Only paper will be provided at the time of competition. All other materials necessary for the designing should be brought by the participants.
- q. The theme will be announced at the venue of the competition.

Value Points

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| 1. Subject composition | 20 marks |
| 2. Creativity | 20 marks |
| 3. Visualization | 20 marks |
| 4. Approach of emblem and logo | 20 marks |
| 5. Colour scheme | 20 marks |

X. DIGITAL PAINTING (Time Allowed : 30 mts)

10. The competition is open to all students of category 2 and 3 .
11. Image size in MS Paint should not exceed as given below.

Width = 10 inches

Height =7 inches

Resolution = 102 x 81 dots per inches.

3. No external images should be used. The images should be created by the participants on the spot.
4. The file should be saved in the JPEG file format. The file should be saved in the folder named Digital Painting created on the desktop.
5. The file name should be compulsorily participant's chest number. All other file name will be considered as invalid entry.
6. Confirm the folder and check that your file is saved in the specific folder before logging off. Organizers will not be responsible for any lost file.
7. Text can be used to specify the theme, but the participants name or other details should not be mentioned on the images created.

8. Theme will be announced at the venue.

Value Points

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| 1. Clarity of theme | 20 marks |
| 2. Optimization of images
(make the best use of image display quality) | 20 marks |
| 3. Synchronisation of colour settings | 20 marks |
| 4. Perception
(The way of seeing something so that they seems to have height, width, depth and relative distance) | 20 marks |
| 5. Uniqueness | 20 marks |
- XI. **COLLAGE DESIGNING** (Time allowed : 2 hrs)

- k. The competition is open to all. Waste magazine cuttings and newspapers can be used for collage designing.
- l. Size of the design will be based on the paper distributed at the time of competition.
- m. If needed, water colour can be used for designing.
- n. Only paper will be provided at the time of competition. All other materials necessary for the designing should be brought by the participants.
- o. Theme will be announced at the venue.

Value Points

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| 1. Approach to subject | 20 marks |
| 2. Recycled materials used | 20 marks |
| 3. Neatness | 20 marks |
| 4. Creativity | 20 marks |
| 5. Colour Scheme | 20 marks |

ONE- ACT PLAY (Common group Items)

Time allowed :15 mts

- a. The play should not exceed 15 mts. 5 mts time is allowed for stage preparation .
- b. Number of characters in the play should not exceed 10 persons. 3 persons are allowed for stage preparation.
- c. While editing, the main flow of the original play should not be changed.
- d. No major backdrops (stage settings) allowed, but the props that cannot be avoided for the character is allowed. (eg. When you depict a palace scene no screen nor backdrops of the palace is needed , but props like crown, sword of the king etc can be used.)
- e. Sound effects (only extra music effects) appropriate for the scene is allowed but the dialogue should be presented live. (no recording is allowed for the dialogue.) Use of key board for background music is allowed.
- f. No light effects allowed for the play.

Value Points

1. Presentation	20 marks
2. Flow of language	20 marks
3. Expression	20 marks
4. Direction	20 marks
5. Originality	20 marks

XIII. Anchoring (Common for boys and girls, Cat 4 & 5)

Time limit : 7 Minutes

Number of participant : Single

Mode of Conduct: A theme will be given one hour before the competition

- a. Perform with ease in naturality behind a microphone.
- b. The subject matter will be based on any event which should be anchored completely (e.g., a marriage function, an award meet, film show)
- c. The participant should be able to speak continuously on the given theme.
- d. There should be no gap in between.
- e. The participant can utilize the entire stage if necessary.
- f. Presentation should be entirely in English and within the time limit.
- g. Use your facial expressions correctly.
- h. Modulate your voice appropriately.
- i. Portray your personality at its best.
- j. Theme will be given one hour before the competition .
- k. Dress to impress-in the style and colour which suit you. No vulgarity in dress code allowed .
- l. Make up can be used . Get your messages across in a simple /media friendly manner.

Value Points

1. Presentation (Body language & Cheerfulness)	20 marks
2. Aptness of dress (Style of dressing, colour & pattern)	20 marks
3. Flow of language(Voice modulation, accent , language)	20 marks
4. Expression (Emotions, Actions)	20 marks
5. Subject Knowledge (In-depth knowledge of the event, clarity)	20 marks

XV. Western Music

Participants : 7

Time allowed : 10 Mts

Orchestra: Only organ and drum set can be used

Principal

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