OCTAVE

Can you do it acapella? Then bring the six most versatile vocal cords of your school to battle it out, with a completely original mash up of English songs from any time, any genre.

Presenting, **Octave**; NPS HSR’s inaugural acapella event. Don't come expecting a battle, for war is what it shall be. Only the adaptable will survive.

Rules

* Each team must compose a fusion of ENGLISH SONGS only (of any genre). Each song can be of any time period. The composition must be original.
* No team shall be allowed any instruments. Only hands, voice etc. Beatboxing is allowed.
* The composition prepared must be a maximum of 3-4 minutes in order to include a surprise song.
* A surprise song will be given to each school TWO DAYS before the event (via email). This song must be incorporated in the team’s composition for a minimum of 30 seconds
* The team’s performance will be judged only for the first 5 minutes, after which a bell shall be rung. Judges will not consider any part of the performance after this bell.

Specifications:

* The acapella team must consist of 6 MEMBERS ONLY.
* The team can perform in coloured clothes. It would be nice to have an appropriate team name.

Judging Criteria

* Stage presence
* Innovation and creativity
* Musical appeal of the composition
* Effective incorporation of the given surprise song.