

Antakshari is a popular Indian musical game where participants take turns singing songs according to specific rules. Here are the general rules for playing Antakshari:

1. Antakshari can be played by any number of players divided into two i.e. **faculties vs students**
2. The game typically begins with one team singing a song or a portion of a song. The song can start with any letter or syllable.
3. After one team sings, the next team must sing a song that begins with the last letter or syllable of the previous team's song. For instance, if the previous song ended with the word "madhushala," the next team might begin their song with "la."
4. There's usually a 1 min time limit for each team to start singing their song after the previous team finishes. This keeps the game moving and prevents delays.
5. The song must be from a recognized source, such as a Bollywood movie, a popular album, or a traditional/folk song.
6. Participants can sing songs from various languages and genres, including Bollywood, regional Indian music, pop, classical, etc.
7. Participants cannot repeat songs that have already been sung, nor can they pause for an unreasonable amount of time.
8. If there's a dispute regarding the validity of a song or its lyrics, the teams can decide amongst themselves or appoint a neutral judge to settle the matter.
9. The game continues until one team is unable to come up with a song within the time limit, repeats a song, or violates any other rules. The last team standing wins the game.
10. Antakshari is meant to be a fun and friendly game. Participants should exhibit good sportsmanship and enjoy the musical exchange with their fellow players.

These are the general rules, but variations may exist depending on regional preferences or house rules. The key is to have fun and enjoy the musical journey that Antakshari offers!