

(Topics will be shared closer to the date)

Declamation: Key Guidelines

- Speech Duration: The standard length for all speeches is 3 minutes.
- Time Limit & Penalty: Participants must not exceed the time limit. If they exceed the maximum grace period of 30 additional seconds, the judges will negatively mark the speech.
- Language & Category Choice: Participants may choose to speak in either Urdu or English. Within their chosen language, they must select a topic from one of two categories: Humorous or Serious
- Conduct Rule: The use of any racist or abusive language is strictly prohibited. Furthermore, no speeches or comments directed aggressively or personally toward any individual or group are allowed.
- Judging Protocol: All judges are expected to work properly and impartially, evaluating speeches solely based on the official criteria (listed below).
- Awards Structure: Prizes will be awarded separately for the two language groups (English and Urdu). Additionally, awards will be granted separately for the Humorous and Serious categories.
- There will be only one round of declamation

