

Mantra

A competition where bands showcase their musical prowess and stage presence.

RULES

1. **Team Size:** 3-8 (Including all Music Accompanists)
2. **Judging Criteria:** Technique, Tightness, Overall Sync, Creativity, Overall Impact (Stage presence, etc.)
3. **Time limit:** Bands will be allowed a total of 7 minutes on-stage (including 5 minutes for performance and 2 minutes for setup, soundcheck, and clearance)
4. **General Rules**
 - Participants are NOT required to play an original composition.
 - Inter-college participation is allowed but an individual can be a part of only 1 band.
 - At least 2 instrumentalists are required, including 1 percussion instrument compulsory.
 - Purely classical numbers are not allowed; however, a classical refrain is permitted.
 - Obscenity (at the discretion of the judges) is not allowed and will lead to immediate disqualification. The time limit should strictly be followed. Participants will be penalized by judges for not doing so.
 - Any kinds of fluids, live animals, flame, heavy objects, or any other material that has the possibility of damaging the stage or venue are STRICTLY not allowed.
 - The decision of the judges shall be final and binding.
 - The decision of the organizers regarding the final line-up would be final.

1. INCENTIVES

- The top teams would be directly selected in the Higher Rounds of Mood Indigo 2024.