

ABHYUDAYA '25 - GROUP DISCUSSION

Event Overview

The Group Discussion (GD) is a formal, youth-centric academic event aimed at evaluating participants' communication skills, clarity of thought, teamwork, leadership, and ability to present and defend ideas in a group setting. Participants are expected to discuss a given topic in a structured, respectful, and time-bound manner.

Objective

- To assess verbal communication and interpersonal skills
 - To encourage logical thinking and idea articulation
 - To evaluate leadership, teamwork, and listening abilities
 - To promote respectful exchange of opinions on relevant topics
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Team Size

- Each group shall consist of **6–10 participants**
 - No individual team registration is required unless specified
 - Participants must remain seated throughout the discussion
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Round

- All participants will discuss the topic collectively
 - 10–15 minutes per group
 - Participants may enter the discussion at appropriate times without interrupting other
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Topic & Preparation

- The topic will be provided on the spot / prior to the event
 - Preparation time: 3–5 minutes
 - Participants must strictly discuss the given topic
 - Use of notes, mobile phones, or external help is not permitted during discussion
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Judging Criteria

Participants will be evaluated based on:

- Knowledge and understanding of the topic
 - Clarity of thought and expression
 - Communication skills and confidence
 - Leadership and initiative
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 - Team participation and cooperation
 - Listening skills and ability to respond
 - Overall attitude and discipline
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General Instructions and Guidelines

- Participants must maintain decorum and respectful behavior
 - Interrupting, shouting, or dominating the discussion is discouraged
 - Use of offensive, abusive, or discriminatory language will lead to disqualification
 - The moderator's decision will be final and binding
 - Any form of misbehavior may result in immediate elimination
 - Participants should focus on quality of content rather than quantity of speech
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