

K.RAMAKRISHNAN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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HIKARI CLUB

(A JAPANESE LANGUAGE CLUB)

PRESENTS

HIKARION 25

EVENT RULEBOOK





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General Eligibility

- Participants who have not completed any Japanese Exam or who have cleared JLPT N5 (or equivalent) exam are welcome to participate in all events.
- Participants who have cleared JLPT N4 (or equivalent) or above levels are only eligible for Animethon and Drawing Contest [Anyone can participate in these two events].

Event Category

- Internal (KRCE)
- External (KRCT + MKCE)
- Separate prizes will be awarded for both internal and external categories.
- Top 3 winners in each event will receive cash prizes.
- Overall Shield Awards:
 - a. Internal: A shield for the Overall Winner and Overall Runner-up will be awarded to the top-performing departments.
 - b. External: The top-performing college (MKCE or KRCT) will receive an Overall College Shield.

General rules

- Participants from KRCE, KRCT, and MKCE are eligible to participate.
- Student ID card is mandatory for verification during registration and event entry.
- Participants must report at least 15 minutes before their event start time. Do try to come in at your earliest possible time.
- Maintain respect and sportsmanship throughout the event. Any misconduct will lead to disqualification.
- Electronic devices are not allowed during events.
- Event registration is on a first-come, first-served basis due to limited slots.
- Participants cannot switch events after registration.

JAPANESE QUIZ

Event Format

- Individual event.
- The quiz consists of three interactive rounds:
 - a. Round 1 Language Basics & Recognition
 - Jumbled Letters
 - Matching Questions
 - Common Questions (Greetings, Expressions, Counters, Adjective Forms)
 - Odd One Out
 - b. Round 2 Vocabulary Link
 - Find Similar Words
 - Find Related Words
 - c. Round 3 Crossword Puzzle
 - Japanese-themed crosswords involving vocabulary, kana, and general knowledge.
- Time-restricted answering system.
- Participants with the lowest scores will be eliminated after each round.
- A great event to showcase your Japanese knowledge and quick thinking!

Rules & Guidelines

- Teams must arrive 15 minutes before the event starts.
- No external help or devices allowed.
- Judges' decisions are final.

Required Items

• Writing materials (such as Pencil, Eraser, Writing pad...)

INTERPRET

Event Format

- Individual event.
- Participants listen to a short Japanese passage and must provide a correct English interpretation (Translation).
- Three rounds with increasing difficulty.
 - a. Basic Sentences (Simple conversations)
 - b. Everyday Situations (Announcements, dialogues, and instructions)
- Sentences will be below N4 level.
- Scores will be based on accuracy and correctness of the translation.

Rules & Guidelines

- No electronic devices allowed.
- Participants will have 30 seconds to process and interpret each question.
- Judges' evaluation is final.

Required Items

• Writing materials (such as Pencil, Eraser, Writing pad...)

CONNECTIONS

Event Format

- Team event (2 members per team).
- Participants will be shown a series of images or word-based clues on the screen.
- Teams must connect the visual elements to identify the correct Japanese word.
- Three rounds will be conducted.
- The answering method will be buzzer in mobile phone
- The fastest correct response gets the point.

Rules & Guidelines

- The first team to press the buzzer can answer first.
- The First team who press the buzzer should answer as soon as they press the buzzer, if delayed the chance will be given to the next team.
- Correct answer gets the highest points.
- Judges' decision is final.

Required Items

• Mobile phones are permitted strictly for buzzer use. If a team is caught using them to answer questions, they will be immediately disqualified.

DRAWING CONTEST

Event Format

- Individual event.
- Theme: Japanese Common Themes.
- Topic will be provided on spot.
- The work should be in **Black and white** only .(<10% Red can be used)
- Participants can express their creativity using any medium of their choice.
- A3 sheets will be provided; participants must bring their own drawing materials.
- Time limit: 1 hour.
- 5 minutes is given for browsing reference.
- Judging criteria: Creativity, theme relevance, technique, and presentation.

Rules & Guidelines

- Only A3-sized paper provided by organizers is allowed.
- No digital drawings; only hand-drawn artwork permitted.
- Judges' decisions are final.

Required Items

• Participants must bring their own drawing materials (pencils, colors, erasers, etc.).

KANJI CLASH

Event Format

- Team event (2 members per team).
- Participants will go through three rounds that contains questions as:
 - a. Kanji Recognition Identify the meaning of given kanji.
 - b. Kanji Writing Reproduce kanji correctly based on given readings.
 - c. Kanji Puzzle Fill in missing kanji to complete a word.
- OMR sheet will be provided for answering.

Rules & Guidelines

- Participants must maintain strict silence and refrain from looking at other candidates' answers. Any violation will result in immediate disqualification.
- No electronic assistance is allowed.
- Judges' decisions are final.

Required Items

• Participants are asked to bring a pencil and an eraser.

ANIMETHON

Event Format

- Individual event.
- Participants will go through three rounds that includes:
 - a. Guess the Anime Identify anime from an image or music clip.
 - b. Anime Trivia Answer trivia questions on anime series.
 - c. Character Roleplay Act out famous anime lines/poses.
- Scores will be awarded based on correctness and enthusiasm.

Rules & Guidelines

- Participants should avoid inappropriate content.
- No external help or devices allowed.
- Judges' decisions are final.