# **Literary Events**

Be it academics or industry, the ability to communicate eloquently and cognizance to world affairs in a myriad of fields has been the major driving factor in the progress of one's career. The following events measures where you stand in that aspect.

## Vector- The written Quiz

The one and only time when all the fragmented fields of human endeavour come together to salvage is at the time of Quiz. From Arts to Science, Geography to History, Current affairs to Finance, be it progress of any human knowledge, they are all tested in a Quiz. **SPIRIT'16** invites you to test your store of knowledge.

There will be two types of quizzes this season, Written and Live. While written quiz gives you a chance to test your own minds against the omniscience, staged quiz lets you team up and form unbeatable bonds with each member contributing his or her fields of expertise.

This is an **'open for all'** quiz of about 40 minutes comprising of a set of Multiple Choice Questions. Participants from both UG and PG courses are eligible for participation.

- 1. Total time span of written Quiz will be 40 minutes.
- 2. Questions might be from any field as in General knowledge.
- 3. All students from undergraduate/diploma/postgraduate are eligible for the written quiz.
- 4. All students intending to contest in Live Quiz are required to appear in the written quiz as well; the total score of the team shall serve as sole criterion for selection in Live Quiz.

Genus-Minds: Live Quiz

The participants in groups of three will contest against each other. There will be 5 rounds in this quiz.

- 1. Students are required to participate in **groups of 3** and the team should report at the Registration counter on arrival.
- 2. Live Quiz participants must give written quiz as their preliminary round.
- 3. The Live Quiz will be held in 5 rounds.
- 4. The details regarding rounds will be disclosed on spot.

## Ignited-Minds: Debate

The art of circumlocution cannot be better tested than in the battle of wits. A debate has many things to offer like patience and perseverance, the ability to comprehend what others say, not just hear it; it opens our mind to new ideas and innovations.

The debate in **SPIRIT'16** will be a notch different from the conventional; it will be a bit volatile. All participants must register in a team of two for debate (send the two registrations together and report the team on registration counter on your arrival), one speaking for the topic and the other against (This shall be strictly observed).

- 1. The debate will be controlled and mediated by the moderator.
- 2. Each team comprises of 2 participants in one team.
- 3. If one is for the topic, the other must be against the topic.
- 4. Participants are required to present proof of their data in the debate, if asked for, in the form of print/copy of the source of Data.
- 5. The Debate is divided into two rounds::
  - Speakers Round
  - · Inquisitor Round

### Speakers Round

- 1. Each speaker will be given a total time of four (2 + 2) minutes.
- 2. The first two for an uninterrupted monologue.
- 3. However you may limit your speakers round to 1.5 minutes (1st bell) and devote rest of the time in Inquisitor Round.

#### Inquisitor Round

- 1. After each speaker has spoken his/her views, an Inquisitor round follows.
- 2. Any participant may question his/her opposite side; further he/she can counter questions as long as the moderator feels the debate is healthy and progressive.
- 3. Speaker may continue to express his views after answering any doubts in this round.
- 4. Standard Facts may only be questioned if the person asking has a counter proof against it.