### Frequently asked questions (FAQs) about Kala Utsav-2019

### 1. When and where Kala Utsav-2019 is taking place?

Kala Utsav, 2019 will be organized at Regional Institute of Education, RIE Bhopal from 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> January, 2020.

## 2. What is the last date for State/ UT/ KVS/ NVS to submit Kala Utsav entries for the National Kala Utsav, 2019?

The last date for State/UT/ KVS/NVS to submit the Kala Utsav entries for the National Kala Utsav, 2019 is 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2019. In order to avoid last minute technical delay, you are requested to submit it before 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2019.

### 3. Will the accompanist be provided for the Music (Vocal and Instrumental) by the Kala Utsav team?

Yes, each participant will be provided with maximum of two accompanists for the performance of vocal or instrumental music. This facility will depend on the requisit placed in the Kala Utsav Entry Proforma submitted by the team. Therefore please be specific while submitting your entries for the same.

\* Mridangam, Chenda, Sarangi and Violin also will be provided. Students who need Tanpura are requested to carry their personal electronic Tanpura. Please avoid the manual Tanpura as it is a very fragile instrument.

## 4. Will the Participant of Instrumental Music be provided with the desired Instrument to be played by him/her by the Kala Utsav team?

No. We will not provide any Musical Instruments to the competition participant for performance. Only accompaniment along with Musical Instruments is being provided. Each participant of the 'Instrumental Music' shall carry his or her own instrument for his her performance in Kala Utsav.

#### Will the painting materials be provided by the Kala Utsav team?

Yes, but only if the requirement for painting materials has been specified at the time of submitting the Kala Utsav entry Proforma by the team.

### 6. What should be the ideal dates for arrival and departure?

The student teams from State/ UT should arrive by 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2020 and can depart by 7<sup>th</sup> of January, 2020. The tickets may be booked accordingly.

#### 7. What will be the staying arrangement for the teams coming to RIE, Bhopal?

Every student participants along with their escorts will be allotted rooms in the hostel at RIE, Bhopal. Boys and girls will be staying separately in their respective hostels along with their escort as per guidelines.

### 8. How many officials can accompany the teams from each state?

As it is mentioned in the guidelines, from every State/ UT/ KVS/ NVS there will be two teachers/escorts to accompany the team of 8 participants (4 girls and 4 boys). In case of CWSN participant, one additional escort/teacher/parent will be allowed. Therefore please avoid sending / bringing any other person.

## 9. Is there any transportation facility available for the teams arriving at railway station/airport?

Yes. There will be help-desk of Kala Utsav, 2019 at railway station/s and airport in Bhopal. They will help you with the vehicle to reach the Kala Utsav stay venue. States are required to share their travel schedule with complete details of the trains/flight details for organising pick up and drop facilities.

All escorts are requested to share their Mobile and WhatsApp numbers for necessary follow up. It is very important

# 10. What would be the time limit for completing the painting during the competition?

The time duration for painting is 2 days i.e. from 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> January, timings 10 AM to 5 PM.

#### 11. What would be the suitable medium for the painting?

Student participants are free to use any medium (water colours, pencils, crayons, oil colours and acrylics) on canvas/paper. If any student wants to use other than these listed mediums/materials, he/she is requested to carry their own materials.

### 12. What would be the suitable size for the painting (canvas/paper)?

Maximum size is  $24 \times 30$  inches.

#### 13. Whom should the states/UT's contact for Kala Utsav related the queries?

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#### 15. Is there any theme for the art form of painting?

No, there is no theme.