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ANNUAL TALENT TEST 2026

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WELCOME TO THE ANNUAL TALENT TEST 2026!

Get ready to unleash your potential in a diverse range of tests designed for all ages.



**Train and channel your talents
for the glory of the Kingdom of God.**

Your participation is crucial for our success. Let's make this event unforgettable, embracing the spirit of **1 Peter 4:10** — **using your gifts to serve one another.**

**Join us in celebrating talent and creativity. Are you ready?
Let the Talent Test begin!**

TALENT TEST COMMITTEE 2026



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SCHEDULE SUMMARY

Beginners, KG, Sub-Juniors, Juniors, Intermediates and Sub-Seniors



Sunday School Day 1 — Ghala Bosch Hall	1st October 2026 (Thursday)
Sunday School Day 2 — Ghala Bosch Hall	8th October 2026 (Thursday)
Group Quiz Prelims (Written) — Parsonage	9th October 2026 (Friday · 11 AM)
Parsonage Day 1 — Solo Programs	23rd October 2026 (Friday)
Ghala Bosch Hall Day 1	24th October 2026 (Saturday)
Ghala Bosch Hall Day 2 — Group Programs	31st October 2026 (Saturday)
Ghala Bosch Hall — Group Instrumental	7th November 2026 (Saturday)

Seniors

Parsonage Day 1	4th December 2026 (Friday)
Parsonage Day 2	11th December 2026 (Friday)
Ghala Bosch Hall — Youth Meeting	19th December 2026 (Saturday)
Church — Prize Distribution & Convocation	2nd January 2027 (Saturday)

GROUPS & GRADING



GROUP	SS CLASS / AGE
Beginners	SS Beginners
KG 1 & 2	SS KG 1 & KG 2
Sub-Juniors	SS 1 & 2
Juniors	SS 3, 4 & 5
Intermediates	SS 6, 7 & 8
Sub-Seniors	SS 9, 10 & 11
Seniors	Age 18 Years and above

GRADE	MARKS	POINTS
A+	95 – 100	4
A	81 – 94.99	3
B	65 – 80.99	2
C	51 – 64.99	1
D	50.99 & below	0.5

💰 Points earned are converted to cash from the Talent Test prize fund and awarded at the Convocation. Grading applies to all groups except Seniors.



PORTIONS 2026

Memory Verse

GROUP	PORTION	VERSES TO LEARN	MAX TO WRITE
Juniors	Gospel of Mark	30	30
Intermediates	Book of Daniel	40	40
Sub-Seniors	1 Peter + 2 Peter	45	45
Seniors	1 & 2 Timothy + Titus + Philemon	50	50

Bible Quiz

GROUP	PORTION
Juniors	Gospel of Mark
Intermediates	Book of Daniel
Sub-Seniors	1 Peter + 2 Peter
Seniors	General

Topics for Oral & Performance

Solo Instrumental

Juniors: "What a friend we have in Jesus"

Intermediates: "How great thou art"

Sub-Seniors: "Living hope"

Group Instrumental

All Groups: "Vallabha Nee Kotta"

Speech

Intermediates: Faith that says 'Even If Not' (Daniel 3: 16 - 18)

Sub-Seniors: From the book of 1st & 2nd Peter

Defend Your Faith

Sub-Seniors: 1. How do you believe in Jesus, have you seen him?

2. Do you need to go to church to be a Christian?

3. How can you say that Jesus is the son of God?

(One of these topics will be finalised on the test date.)





PROGRAM SCHEDULE

1st OCTOBER 2026

THURSDAY · GHALA BOSCH HALL · SS DAY 1

GROUP	PROGRAMS
Beginners	Solo Song · Identify the Story
KG 1 & 2	Story Telling · Identify the Story · Solo Song
Sub-Juniors	Solo Song · Story Telling · Jumbled Words
Juniors	Solo Song · Story Telling
Intermediates	Bible Reference · Story Writing
Sub-Seniors	Bible Reference · Story Writing

8th OCTOBER 2026

THURSDAY · GHALA BOSCH HALL · SS DAY 2

GROUP	PROGRAMS
Beginners	Memory Verse Telling · Colouring
KG 1 & 2	Memory Verse Telling · Jumbled Words · Colouring
Sub-Juniors	Memory Verse Telling · Bible Reference · Colouring
Juniors	Memory Verse Writing · Bible Quiz (Written) · Bible Reference
Intermediates	Memory Verse Writing · Bible Quiz (Written) · Essay Writing
Sub-Seniors	Memory Verse Writing · Bible Quiz (Written) · Essay Writing



9th OCTOBER 2026

FRIDAY · PARSONAGE

GROUP	PROGRAMS
Sub-Juniors to Seniors	Group Quiz Written Prelims Top 5 from each group qualify for the finals.

23rd OCTOBER 2026

FRIDAY · PARSONAGE

GROUP	PROGRAMS
Juniors	Solo Instrumental Music
Intermediates	Solo Instrumental Music · PowerPoint Presentation
Sub-Seniors	Solo Instrumental Music · Defend Your Faith

24th OCTOBER 2026

SATURDAY · GHALA BOSCH HALL

GROUP	PROGRAMS
Intermediates	Solo Song · Speech
Sub-Seniors	Solo Song · Speech

31st OCTOBER 2026

SATURDAY · GHALA BOSCH HALL

GROUP	PROGRAMS
All Groups (Beginners – Sub-Seniors)	Group Song · Group Quiz

7th NOVEMBER 2026

SATURDAY · GHALA BOSCH HALL

GROUP	PROGRAMS
All Groups (Beginners – Sub-Seniors)	Group Instrumental Music

SENIORS PROGRAMMES

Age 18 Years & Above · Empowering Christian Talents



4th DECEMBER 2026 · FRIDAY

PARSONAGE · SENIOR DAY 1



Memory Verse Writing

1 & 2 Tim, Titus, Philemon (Up to 50)



Solo Song

Christian Devotional · 3 Mins



Tune a Song

Original Melody · 15m Prep + 5m

11th DECEMBER 2026 · FRIDAY

PARSONAGE · SENIOR DAY 2



Story Writing

Spiritual Story · 30 Mins



Essay Writing

Biblical Essay · 30 Mins



Speech

10m Prep + 5m Delivery



19th DECEMBER 2026 · SATURDAY

GHALA BOSCH HALL · YOUTH MEETING



Seniors Group Song

Form teams from the Seniors group with 4–8 members · Microphones & instruments not allowed

5 Minutes



Language Choice:

Seniors may use English (NIV/NKJV/KJV), Malayalam, Hindi, or Tamil for Memory Verse Writing.



Advance Registration:

Seniors should submit their entry names to the Talent Test Committee prior to the notified deadline.



2nd JANUARY 2027 · SATURDAY

GHALA BOSCH HALL · ALL GROUPS & SENIORS

Grand Prize Distribution · Convocation Ceremony · Champion for Christ Awards





GUIDELINES

Oral & Performance Programmes & Visual Arts

Program	Eligible Groups	Tasks / Conditions	Time/ mins
 Solo Song	All Groups (Beginners – Seniors)	Participants may sing Christian devotional songs only (limited to one stanza and a chorus). Microphones and background music are not allowed.	3
Story Telling	KG, Sub-Juniors, Juniors	Participants are expected to present a story based on the Holy Bible that carries a clear biblical theme or message. Evaluations will focus on the introduction, body, moral conclusion, and overall presentation. The use of notes, scripts, or props is not allowed.	5
Speech	Intermediates, Sub-Seniors, Seniors	Participants will be given their topic 10 minutes in advance for preparation. Evaluations will focus on content, biblical accuracy, clarity, and presentation skills. Reference/commentary Bibles and electronic gadgets are not allowed.	5
 Memory Verse Telling	Beginners, KG, Sub-Juniors	Participants are encouraged to recite their verses clearly to allow evaluators to follow along, reciting as many verses as possible within the allotted time. These can be general verses of the participant's choice. (Note: Providing biblical references is not compulsory for Beginners & KG). Participants should bring a printed copy of the verses they plan to recite.	5
Identify the Story / Character	Beginners, KG	Participants will identify specific stories, circumstances, or characters based on 5 provided sketches or drawings that depict biblical events.	3
Defend Your Faith	Sub-Seniors	An evaluator will pose questions from the perspective of an unbeliever; the participant will defend their faith using appropriate Scripture. Time allotted: 10 minutes for preparation.	5
Tune a Song	Seniors	Participants will be provided with a few lines of poetry (lyrics) and will compose an original melody to sing. Evaluations will focus on originality, how well the tune complements the lyrics, and overall presentation. Time allotted: 15 minutes for preparation.	5
Colouring	Beginners, KG, Sub-Juniors	Participants will color a provided Bible-themed picture. Participants should bring their own stationery. Please note that only crayons and colored pencils are permitted.	10–15





GUIDELINES

Written Programmes & Technology

Program	Eligible Groups	Tasks / Conditions	Time/ mins
Memory Verse Writing	Juniors, Intermediates, Sub-Seniors, Seniors	A specific set of verses from the selected books have been provided in advance. Participants may write as many verses as they can within the allotted time. Please state the Bible translation used at the top of the paper. Bibles, reference materials, and electronic gadgets are not allowed.	20
Bible Quiz — Solo	Juniors, Intermediates, Sub-Seniors, Seniors	Answers should be written on the provided sheets and returned to the TTC. Portions are as follows: Juniors — Gospel of Mark · Intermediates — Daniel · Sub-Seniors — 1 & 2 Peter · Seniors — General. Bibles, reference materials, and electronic gadgets are not allowed.	20
Bible Reference	Sub-Juniors, Juniors, Intermediates, Sub-Seniors	Participants will identify and recite the correct verse corresponding to the given biblical reference. If the evaluator does not receive a proper response, that reference will be voided. Reference/commentary Bibles and electronic gadgets are not allowed.	N/A
Story Writing	Intermediates, Sub-Seniors, Seniors	Participants are expected to creatively develop the provided subject into an engaging story. The topic will be announced 15 minutes prior to the test. Evaluations are based on narrative style, clarity, and adherence to spiritual values. Electronic gadgets and reference/commentary Bibles are not allowed.	30
Essay Writing	Intermediates, Sub-Seniors, Seniors	Participants will write a well-structured essay on the assigned subject. The topic will be announced 10 minutes prior to the test. Participants may use their own standard Bibles, but reference/commentary Bibles, books, and electronic gadgets are not allowed.	30
Jumbled Words	KG, Sub-Juniors	Participants will unscramble the provided words into their correct format. The words will consist of names, places, books, and similar terms found in the Bible. Sample questions will be provided to children for practice during Sunday School.	10
PowerPoint Presentation	Intermediates	Participants will prepare an effective presentation on an assigned topic using the provided inputs. Please bring your own fully charged laptop (with MS Office 2013 or newer) and any necessary power extension cables. Evaluations will focus on the use of materials, overall effectiveness, and presentation skills. The use of the internet or AI tools is not allowed. Time allotted: 25 minutes for preparation followed by 3 minutes for presentation.	28





GUIDELINES

Instrumental Music & Group Programmes

Program	Eligible Groups	Tasks / Conditions	Time/ mins
Solo Instrumental Music	Juniors, Intermediates, Sub-Seniors	Each student may play only one instrument. The use of recorded tracks or electronic beats is not permitted. However, background music will be provided exclusively for Drums or Tabla performances.	5
Group Song	Kids (Beginners, KG, Sub-Juniors) · Juniors · Teens (Intermediates, Sub-Seniors) · Seniors	An individual may participate in only one team. Teams should consist of a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 8 members, and all members should belong to the same age group. Microphones and musical instruments are not permitted. Teams should register on or before 24th October 2026 via https://ttc.opamuscat.com/form/index.php.	5
Group Bible Quiz	Sub-Juniors to Seniors	A written preliminary round will be held on October 9th at the Parsonage. The top five participants from each group will advance to the final round. Following the preliminaries on the same day, final teams of 5 members (consisting of one participant from each age category) will be formed by casting lots.	40
Group Instrumental Music	Beginners to Sub-Seniors (up to 17 yrs; teams across age groups)	An individual may participate in only one team. Teams should consist of a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 7 members. All participants should bring their own musical instruments. Teams should register on or before 31st October 2026 via https://ttc.opamuscat.com/form/index.php .	7

Remember

- **No AI tools** for any programme — all submissions should be original work.
- Answer sheets should carry the **participant's assigned code only**; please do not write any names on the answer sheets.
- The evaluators' decisions are final, subject only to the formal appeal process notified by the Talent Test Committee (TTC).

General Rules

- **The use of AI tools is not allowed** for all programmes.
- Every written submission should be the **original work** of the participant.
- Answer sheets carry the participant's **code only** — names should not be written on the answer sheet.
- Seniors should register their names in advance with the TT Committee before the announced deadline.
- The evaluators' decision is final, subject to the appeal process announced by the TT Committee.
- The grading system applies to all groups except Seniors.
- These notes are supplementary to the usual practices of the Talent Test.



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