

SCOPE – Society for Creation of Opportunities through Proficiency in English, established in 2007 by the then Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat and the current Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi, works towards empowering the youth of Gujarat by enhancing their English language proficiency and creating equal access to educational and career opportunities. SCOPE is conducting "SCOPE Talent Hunt 2026 – State Level English Skit Competition", providing college students with a platform to Think, Speak, Perform and Inspire through English Skit performances based on socially relevant and contemporary themes.

THE COMPETITION

Stage 1 – Preliminary Screening (Recorded Video):

Teams register and submit a recorded Skit on one topic via Google Form.
Eligible videos evaluated by SCOPE panel.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

Students from any College/University/Institute may participate.
Each team must consist of a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 5 participants.

Stage 2 – State-Level Final (On-Stage Performance):

Shortlisted teams perform on-stage in Ahmedabad.
Important: The topic for Preliminary must be different from the Final topic. Choose topic from SCOPE list.

Shortlisted teams will perform on-stage at
the KCG, Pragna Puram Campus,
Navrangpura in Ahmedabad.

Win
Exciting
Prizes

PRIZES & AWARDS

2 First Runner-Up

SCOPE English
Achievers 2026
Cash Prize: ₹12,000
• Individual Achievement
Certificates
• Trophy for the college

1 First Prize

SCOPE English
Titans 2026
Cash Prize: ₹15,000
• Individual Achievement
Certificates
• Trophy for the college

3 Second Runner-Up

SCOPE English
Trailblazers 2026
Cash Prize: ₹10,000
• Individual Achievement
Certificates
• Trophy for the college

The Principal and College
Coordinator of all participating
colleges will receive an e-Certificate
of Appreciation for supporting and
facilitating student participation.



Scan the QR code to register
and upload your Stage 1 video.

The cash prize mentioned for each position is for the entire team.

TOPICS FOR PRELIMINARY VIDEO RECORDING

- Digital India – Technology for a Better Tomorrow
- PM Ujjwala Yojana – A Smoke-Free Kitchen, A Healthier Family
- Skill India – Skills Today, Opportunities Tomorrow
- Make in India – Build in India, Grow in India
- Nasha Mukht Bharat Abhiyaan – Say No to Drugs
- Road Safety Initiatives – Better Roads Begin with Responsible Citizens
- Mission LIFE – Small Lifestyle Changes, Big Environmental Impact
- Environmental Conservation in Gujarat – Protect Nature, Protect Gujarat
- The Future Employee
- The Shortcut Generation
- Plastic: The Villain in Our Story
- Responsible Citizen – Whose Responsibility?
- English is a Skill, Not a Status Symbol
- If AI (Artificial Intelligence) Became Our Boss
- Gujarati in Heart – Global in Spirit

TOPICS FOR FINAL ON STAGE PERFORMANCE

- Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao – Educate a Girl, Empower a Nation
- Swachh Bharat Mission – Clean India, Healthy India
- Startup India – From Ideas to Innovation
- Digital Gujarat – Public Services at Your Fingertips
- English: A Skill or a Barrier?

JUDGING CRITERIA – 100 MARKS (Prelims & Finals)

- Story / Script - 15
- English Language & Dialogue Delivery-30
- Acting & Characterization - 20
- Creativity & Originality - 10
- Teamwork & Stage Presence - 10
- Voice Modulation & Expression - 15

In case of a tie affecting, higher marks in English
Language Proficiency & Fluency shall determine the
ranking.



Total Skit duration for Preliminary and for final

is 8 -10 Min & Introduction 2 Min

(More than 12min disqualifies the skit)

**Registration & Preliminary
video Submission**

11 Sept 2026 to 15 Oct 2026 before 6.00 PM

TENTATIVE COMPETITIVE TIMELINE

**Declaration of Preliminary
Screening Results:**

1st Week of Nov2026

[Selected teams receives information to coordinator Email]

State-Level final On-stage Performance - December 7 [Tentative]

Venue: Auditorium, KCG Campus, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad - 380015

STAGE 1 – PRELIMINARY SCREENING [RECORDED VIDEO SUBMISSION]

PARTICIPANTS [STUDENT TEAM] ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Participating student teams are solely responsible for the creation, performance, technical recording, and internal coordination of the skit.
- **Commit to One Team:** Participate strictly in only one team; multiple team memberships will lead to team disqualification.
- **Form a Team:** Gather a minimum of 3 to a maximum of 5 members from the same college.
- **Select a Topic:** Choose exactly one topic from the prescribed list provided by SCOPE.
- **Write Original Content:** Create an original script, storyline, and dialogues without plagiarism.
- **Manage Logistics (Optional):** Arrange props, costumes, background settings, and stage setups only if desired. These elements are not compulsory and depend entirely on the team's own interest and choice.
- **Perform in English:** Deliver the performance entirely in English with clear pronunciation, fluency, and expression. Use of another language may result in a deduction of marks.
- **Record the Video:** Shoot the video in landscape mode (HD standard), preferably in one continuous recording.
- **Ensure clear audio, adequate lighting and good visibility.** All performers should remain clearly visible and audible.
- **Maintain Performance Integrity:** Do not use dubbing, voice alterations, teleprompters, off-camera prompting, or voice-overs, recorded dialogues and other external assistance affecting the performance
- **Basic editing at the beginning/end and title are permitted.**
- **The video should clearly display:** College/Institution Name, Team Number, Selected Topic, Short Play Title, and Names of all participating students. These details may be presented through an opening title card or closing credits.
- **Recommended file name:** CollegeName_City/Village_TeamNo_SCOPE Talent Hunt 2026.
- **The video must not exceed the prescribed duration or specified file-size limit, max of 500MB.**
- **Videos must be submitted before the specified date and time.** Late submissions may not be accepted.
- **Register through Coordinator:** Submit the team details and final video directly to the assigned Coordinator of your college well before the deadline. Last-minute rush should be strictly avoided to prevent technical glitches or missed deadlines.

COORDINATOR ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- The Coordinator acts as the mandatory gateway, supervisor, and quality controller for the competition.
- **Prevent Dual Participation:** Ensure that a student registered in one team is not a member of any other participating team.
- **Verify Team Details:** Check every participant's name, College ID, branch, and year/semester.
- **Audit Submissions:** Verify the selected topic, video quality, title details, duration, file size, and overall compliance.
- **Assign Group Numbers:** Create and assign a separate Batch/Group Number to each team if a college sends multiple teams.
- **Manage Submission:** Facilitate registration and video uploads strictly through the prescribed Google Form.
- **If the team submits multiple submissions, Only final submitted entry will be evaluated, the proper email should be done by mentioning the date of submission in case of multiple submissions.** Email: it.scopegujarat@gmail.com
- **Final Quality Check:** Carry the ultimate responsibility for carefully reviewing the video file before hitting submit.

STAGE 2 – STATE-LEVEL FINAL [ON-STAGE PERFORMANCE]

- Shortlisted teams will perform on-stage at the KCG, Pragna Puram Campus, Navrangpura in Ahmedabad.
- SCOPE will inform the shortlisted teams through the email provided at the time of registration and submission of video.
- The shortlisted teams for the final on-stage performance must select the topic to be performed from the list provided by SCOPE.
- The team that qualifies through Preliminary Screening should participate in the Final on-stage performance.
- Every registered team member under shortlisted teams for the final on-stage performance must participate in the Final. A team may be disqualified if any registered participant of that team does not participate without prior SCOPE approval. Every student must carry their college ID while participating in finals.
- The same core rules relating to English, originality, content, pronunciation, expression, teamwork and participation apply.
- The Maximum Skit duration should not exceed 12 min.
- SCOPE will provide the necessary MIC (Microphone) sets for the performances at the Final venue. Teams do not need to bring or arrange their own sound amplification systems or microphones.
- Arrange props, costumes, background settings, and stage setups only if desired. These elements are not compulsory and depend entirely on the team's own interest and choice.
- Government and Grant-in-Aid Colleges under the Commissionerate of Higher Education (CHE) may utilise the grants received under the “Learning and Exposure-cum-Study Tours” component, subject to applicable Government/CHE guidelines and financial norms, towards eligible expenditure such as students’ transportation and food expenses during the journey for the selected teams participating in the On-Stage Final of the SCOPE Talent Hunt 2026 – State-Level English Skit Competition in KCG ,Ahmedabad & rest all other colleges must arrange and pay for their own transportation to and from the venue. SCOPE shall not bear any type of costs under any circumstances.

CONTENT & CONDUCT REGARDING PLAYING SKIT AT PRELIMINARY & FINAL STAGES

- The Skit must be appropriate for a student audience.
- It must not contain vulgar or obscene content, offensive or abusive language, discriminatory content, defamatory content, hate speech, or politically/religiously inflammatory content.
- SCOPE reserves the right to reject or disqualify content that violates these guidelines.
- The content should be original. Plagiarism or unauthorised use of copyrighted material may lead to disqualification.

GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Participation in Preliminary Screening does not guarantee selection for the State-Level Live Final.
- Teams must comply with all competition rules and instructions issued by SCOPE.
- Each team is responsible for the accuracy of information provided in the registration form and for ensuring that its video meets all technical and content requirements.
- The decision of the SCOPE-appointed evaluation panel regarding selection and evaluation is final and binding.
- SCOPE reserves the right to modify, amend, add to, or withdraw rules, guidelines, eligibility conditions, topics, timelines, technical requirements, evaluation criteria or other provisions as deemed necessary. Such modifications will be communicated through appropriate official channels.

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Your Talent. Your Voice. Your Stage. - SCOPE Talent Hunt 2026!

Come. Participate. Perform. Shine! All the Best for SCOPE Talent Hunt 2026!