Indian School of Music
"Where Music Speaks Tradition"

PRESENTS

NATIONWIDE ONLINE SINGING COMPETITION

Golden Voice

2026

Your voice. Your stage. Your moment.

Sing from anywhere in India, rise through three thrilling rounds judged by ISOM's vocal faculty and, at the finale, the ISOM Founder with external judges, and earn the title of ISOM Golden Voice 2026. Every entry includes the ISOM Music Discovery Pass.

18+	₹499	3 Rounds	₹24,550
OPEN TO ADULTS	ONE-TIME ENTRY	100% ONLINE	PRIZES · 15 WINNERS

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE

Sun, 6 Dec 2026

Register at indianschoolofmusic.com/golden-voice-2026

WELCOME

01 Step into the *spotlight*

ISOM Golden Voice 2026 is a nationwide online singing competition by Indian School of Music (ISOM), a music brand of Roy Career Solutions Private Limited, open to every adult singer in India — self-taught, hobbyist or formally trained. We celebrate pitch, control, expression and versatility, and the courage to rise to a challenge you didn't see coming.

COMPETITION AT A GLANCE	
Eligibility	Indian residents aged 18 or above as on 01 January 2026
Registration fee	₹499 one time — includes the ISOM Music Discovery Pass; no further fees
Round 1 · Audition	One song of your choice · recorded video · max 2 minutes
Round 2 · Musical Challenge	Top 15 · format sealed until 10 Dec · 7 days to prepare
Round 3 · Grand Finale	Top 5 · live on Zoom, Sun 27 Dec · format sealed until 20 Dec
Mystery format	Rounds 2 & 3 are revealed only when each begins — same brief, same 7 days for all
Judging	Rounds 1 & 2: ISOM vocal faculty · Grand Finale: ISOM Founder & external judges · no public voting
Prizes	15 winners · ₹24,550 in prizes and vouchers · 35% scholarship for the Champion

Who can take part

- Singers aged **18+** living in India, of any training level or genre
- Solo performers only — no duets, groups or bands
- One registration per person, verified with a valid photo ID
- Able to record clear video and, if selected, perform live on Zoom

INCLUDED WITH EVERY ENTRY

ISOM Music Discovery *Pass*

- Live Vocal Master Workshop
- ISOM Vocal Practice Guide (PDF)
- 7-day workshop replay access
- Optional music learning assessment

THE COMPETITION JOURNEY

02 Three rounds. *One Golden Voice.*

All entries	Top 15	Top 5	Champion
Round 1 · Audition	Round 2 · Challenge	Round 3 · Live Finale	+ 4 Runners-up

ROUND 1
Open to all

The Voice Audition

DUE 6 DEC · 11:59 PM

Sing **one Hindi song of your choice**, in any genre. Upload it to Google Drive and share the link in your registration form. The judges select the **Top 15**.

- 1 song
- Max 2:00 — longer entries rejected
- Single continuous take
- Results 10 Dec

ROUND 2
Top 15

The Musical Challenge

FORMAT SEALED

The challenge stays under wraps until Round 1 results are out. On **10 December**, every Top 15 contestant receives the brief at the same moment, with exactly **7 days** to prepare and submit. The Top 5 advance.

- Brief revealed 10 Dec
- 7 days to prepare
- Due 17 Dec · 11:59 PM
- Results 20 Dec

ROUND 3
Top 5

The Grand Finale

FORMAT SEALED

Performed **live on Zoom** before the ISOM Founder and external judges. The format is revealed to the Top 5 on **20 December**, with 7 days to prepare. The Champion and four Runners-up are announced after the final performance.

- Brief revealed 20 Dec
- Rehearsal 26 Dec
- Live · Sunday, 27 Dec

Why the secret? *Nobody can prepare in advance.*

Same moment. Each brief goes to every qualifier at once, by email and WhatsApp.

Same 7 days. Every deadline falls exactly 7 days after the reveal.

Same rules. The judging criteria, rules and prizes in this brochure apply to every round.

KEY DATES · ALL TIMES IST

03 Mark your *calendar*

16 Nov
MONDAY
Registrations open

6 Dec
SUN · 11:59 PM
Registration & audition deadline

10 Dec
THURSDAY
Top 15 announced · Round 2 format revealed

17 Dec
THU · 11:59 PM
Round 2 submission deadline

20 Dec
SUNDAY
Top 5 announced · Finale format revealed

26 Dec
SATURDAY
Finalists' technical rehearsal

27 Dec
SUNDAY
Grand Finale live on Zoom

3 Jan 2027*
SUNDAY · TENTATIVE
Vocal Master Workshop for all participants

*Workshop date is tentative and will always be a Sunday. Grand Finale and workshop timings are shared later by email and WhatsApp.

HOW TO REGISTER

04 Six steps to *your stage*

1. **Open the form**
Go to **indianschoolofmusic.com/golden-voice-2026** and open the registration form.

2. **Fill in your details**
Name, age, gender, city, email, phone and WhatsApp number — exactly as on your ID.

3. **Upload a photo ID**
Aadhaar, Passport, Driving Licence or Voter ID, to confirm your age. You may mask your Aadhaar number except the last 4 digits.

4. **Upload your audition**
Save your Round 1 video to your Google Drive. Name it **YourName_City_GV26**.

5. **Share & paste the link**
In Drive, give **Viewer** access to both ISOM emails:
roycareersolutions@gmail.com
indianschoolofmusic.trademarked@gmail.com
or simply set it to **"Anyone with the link"**. Then paste the link into the form.

6. **Pay ₹499 & submit**
Pay securely on the form and submit. You'll receive a confirmation email with your Participant ID.

KEEP READY BEFORE YOU START
Scanned photo ID (JPG / PNG / PDF) · your audition video on Google Drive · UPI, card or net-banking for payment

PAY ONLY ON THE OFFICIAL FORM
ISOM never asks for fees by personal UPI, phone call or direct message. Entries with a link we can't open are not judged.

JUDGING

05 Judged on *pure talent*

Pitch & intonation	30%
Rhythm & timing	20%
Vocal technique & control	20%
Expression & interpretation	20%
Musicality & challenge execution	10%

Every round starts fresh. Scores do not carry forward.

No public voting. Likes, views and followers never count.

Tie-breaker: higher Pitch & Intonation score, then Vocal Technique.

Final word: the judging panel's decision is final.

INCLUDED WITH EVERY REGISTRATION

06 Every entry *wins something*

ISOM

Music Discovery *Pass*

Included with every ₹499 registration, whether or not you qualify

Exclusive Vocal Master Workshop

A live 60–75 minute online group session with ISOM's vocal faculty — breathing, pitch control, voice exercises and performance technique.

LIVE · SUN 3 JAN 2027 (TENTATIVE)

ISOM Vocal Practice Guide

A beautifully designed PDF with a 7-day plan of vocal warm-ups, basic sargam exercises, breathing techniques and practical singing tips.

PDF · EMAILED ON REGISTRATION

Complimentary Workshop Replay

Can't attend live? Watch the full ISOM workshop recording at your own pace — nobody misses out on the learning.

7-DAY ACCESS AFTER THE WORKSHOP

Music Learning Assessment

Optional. Request a personal assessment to discover whether Vocals, Guitar or Piano/Keyboard training suits you. No obligation to enrol.

OPTIONAL · ON REQUEST

ADMIT ONE · GOLDEN VOICE 2026 · ₹499

PRIZES & RECOGNITION

07 15 winners. *Real rewards.*

₹24,550
IN PRIZES & VOUCHERS

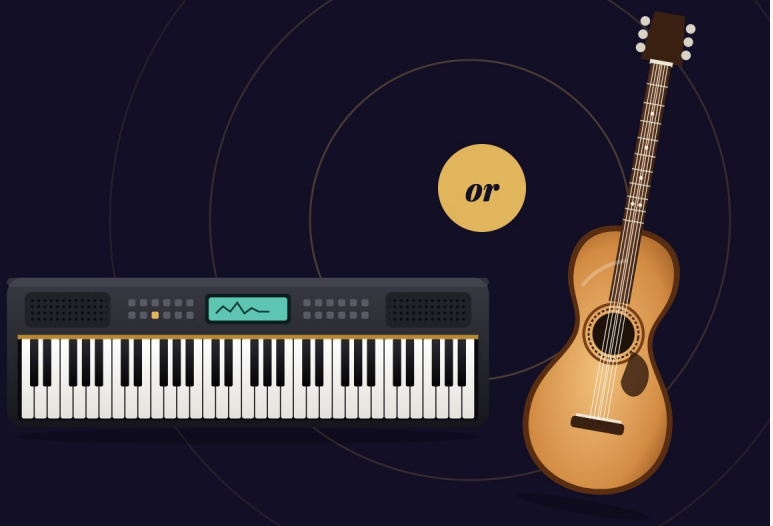
CHAMPION

ISOM Golden Voice 2026

YOUR CHOICE · WORTH ₹10,000
Yamaha Keyboard or **Yamaha Guitar**

LEARNING BENEFIT
35% scholarship on any ISOM course fee

RECOGNITION
Champion's digital certificate





1ST RUNNER-UP
JBL Speaker
worth ₹5,000

+ 5 complimentary classes*
+ Digital certificate



2ND RUNNER-UP
boAt Earbuds
worth ₹2,500

+ 4 complimentary classes*
+ Digital certificate



3RD RUNNER-UP
Amazon Voucher
worth ₹1,250

+ 3 complimentary classes*
+ Digital certificate



4TH RUNNER-UP
Amazon Voucher
worth ₹800

+ 2 complimentary classes*
+ Digital certificate



TOP 15 FINALISTS · RANKS 6–15
Amazon Gift Voucher worth ₹500
+ 1 complimentary class* + Digital certificate

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WINNERS

*Complimentary classes are added on purchase of any ISOM course package. The Champion's 35% scholarship applies to the fee of any one ISOM course. Learning benefits are valid for 6 months from 27 December 2026, are non-transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash. Gift vouchers are emailed and physical prizes shipped free within India within 30 days of ID verification. Illustrations are representative; the exact model may vary at equal value.

RECORDING GUIDE

08 Record it *right*, let your voice shine

No studio needed — a smartphone, a quiet room and good light are enough. Follow these specifications for every recorded round.

LENGTH
Round 1: max 2:00 · later rounds: as per brief

FILE
MP4 or MOV · 720p or higher

ORIENTATION
Landscape preferred · phone on a stand

TAKE
One continuous, unedited take

FRAMING
Face clearly visible throughout

INTRO
Say name, city & song (not timed)

Do

- Choose a song that suits your natural range
- Sing live with karaoke, an instrumental track or your own instrument
- Keep your voice clearly louder than the music
- Record in a quiet room with light falling on your face
- Warm up for 10 minutes before you press record
- Watch the full video once before uploading

Don't

- Use auto-tune, pitch correction or vocal effects
- Lip-sync, or use tracks that contain lead vocals
- Cut, splice or join multiple takes
- Add filters that change how your voice sounds
- Exceed the time limit — over-length videos are rejected
- Use AI-generated or another person's vocals

BEFORE YOU SUBMIT

Check access. Shared with both ISOM emails, or set to "Anyone with the link".

Keep it live. Don't delete or move the file until results are out.

Beat the rush. Submit a day early to avoid upload delays.

FOR FINALISTS

Going live on Zoom

- Laptop or phone, fully charged, on a stand
- Play your track from a second device or speaker
- Connection drops? You get one restart per performance
- Stable Wi-Fi plus a mobile-data backup
- Attend the 26 Dec rehearsal — it's mandatory
- Stay online until results are announced

RULES & CONDUCT

09 A fair stage *for every voice*

Golden Voice 2026 is organised by Indian School of Music (ISOM), a music brand of Roy Career Solutions Private Limited (RCS). By registering, you agree to the rules below. Breaking any of them may lead to disqualification at any stage, without refund.

01 **Eligibility.** Aged 18+ as on 1 January 2026 and living in India. The name on your ID must match your registration; ISOM may verify identity at any stage.

02 **Your own live voice.** Solo performances only. No lip-syncing, auto-tune, pitch correction, AI vocals or edited takes.

03 **One entry per person.** Duplicate registrations are cancelled without refund.

04 **Fresh recordings.** Videos must be recorded for Golden Voice 2026 and not posted publicly before you submit them.

05 **Song choice.** Any Hindi language Song. Songs with obscene or offensive lyrics are not accepted.

06 **Backing tracks.** Karaoke or instrumental tracks without lead vocals, or self-accompaniment, are allowed.

07 **Deadlines are firm.** All deadlines are 11:59 PM IST. Late entries, over-length videos and links ISOM cannot open are not judged.

08 **Finale attendance.** The Top 5 must attend the rehearsal and live finale. If a finalist withdraws, the next-ranked contestant may be invited.

09 **Respectful conduct.** Harassment, abuse, contacting or influencing judges, or false information leads to disqualification.

10 **Stay informed.** All updates go to your registered email and WhatsApp. Please check them regularly.

11 **Reporting errors.** Administrative issues (e.g. a missing entry) must be reported within 48 hours of results. Musical judgments are final.

12 **Schedule changes.** If dates must change for unavoidable reasons, every participant is informed by email.

FEE & REFUNDS

The ₹499 fee covers your entry and the ISOM Music Discovery Pass (workshop, practice guide, replay and optional assessment). It is non-refundable once your registration is submitted. If ISOM cancels the competition, all fees are refunded in full. Paying the fee does not guarantee progress to later rounds.

YOUR DATA & CONSENT

Workshop replays are for personal viewing only. Your ID is used only to verify age and identity, and is deleted once prizes are distributed. Your details are never sold or shared with third parties. By entering, you allow ISOM to stream the finale and share Top 15 performances on its official channels to promote the competition.

Share your journey. Once you've submitted, post your performance and tag ISOM.

#ISOMGoldenVoice

FREQUENTLY ASKED

10 Questions, *answered*

I've never trained. Can I enter?
Absolutely. Self-taught and trained singers compete on equal terms.

Which languages are allowed?
Hindi songs only, in every round. Genres for later rounds are revealed when each round begins.

When do I learn the Round 2 & 3 formats?
The day the previous round's results are out — with 7 days to prepare.

Do I have to buy an ISOM course?
No. Courses are optional. Complimentary-class prizes apply when you buy a package.

Do I need studio equipment?
No. A smartphone with clear audio and a stable internet connection is enough.

Can I sing with karaoke?
Yes — any track without lead vocals, or your own instrument.

Can I change my song after submitting?
No. Your first submitted entry is final, so record carefully.

How will I know if I qualify?
Results are emailed and posted on ISOM's website and official social pages.

YOUR MOMENT STARTS HERE

Are you the next *Golden Voice?*

Register at indianschoolofmusic.com/golden-voice-2026

Closes **6 Dec 2026, 11:59 PM IST**
₹499 · 18+ · 100% online

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