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DANCE LEAGUE 2026

Dance for India.

3 – 4 December 2026 | Bangalore



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WELCOME

Every dancer deserves a stage. Some stages lead to the world.

The TAISI Dance League 2026 invites students from schools across India to perform, compete and be celebrated in Bangalore. For the first-place winner in each dance form and age group, the journey continues as part of the India delegation to the Dance World Cup 2027 in Lisbon, Portugal.

Whether a child is stepping on stage for the first time or has trained for years, the League offers a platform built on fairness, expertise and the joy of movement.



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AT A GLANCE

Dates:
3–4 December 2026

City:
Bangalore
Venue: To be announced

Open to:
Students under 8 to under 18

Formats:
Solo, Duet, Trio, Quartet,
Small Group (5–10),
Large Group (11–30)

Registration:
Through schools only,
closes 25 November 2026

Pathway:
First place in each dance form and age group joins the India delegation to the Dance World Cup 2027



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THE ROAD TO LISBON

Win here. **Dance for India.**

Dance World Cup 2027

Lisbon, Portugal

29 June – 9 July 2027

The first-place winner in each of the 12 dance forms, in each age group, earns a place in the India delegation, performing for their country alongside young dancers from around the world.

Travel, stay, visa, living expenses, membership fees and category fees for the finals are borne by the school or family.



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AGE GROUPS & DANCE CATEGORIES

Mini	Children	Junior
U8	U13	U18

(age as on 1 December 2026)



Street Dance

- Hip Hop
- Breaking
- Popping
- Locking



National & Folk

- Indian Classical
- Semi Classical
- Folk Dances of the World



Theatrical

- Jazz
- Ballet
- Contemporary



Commercial

- Bollywood
- Cinematic

FORMATS & PERFORMANCE TIME

Format	Dancers	Max Duration
Solo	1	2 min
Duet	2	2 min
Trio	3	2.5 min
Quartet	4	2.5 min
Small	5–10	3 min
Group	11–30	3 min

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JUDGING CRITERIA 40 Points



Technique & Skill
Precision, control and command of the style

10 Points



Choreography & Creativity
Originality, structure and use of space

10 Points



Performance & Expression
Energy, emotion and storytelling

8 Points



Musicality & Rhythm
Timing and interpretation of music

7 Points



Stage Presence & Costume
Confidence and visual presentation

5 Points

ENTRY FEES

Category	TAISI Member Schools	Non-Member Schools
Solo	₹1,999	₹2,999
Duet, Trio, Quartet, Small Group, Large Group	₹999 per	₹1,999 per child

All fees exclusive of GST. TAISI member schools save 50% on group entries. Each entry is charged separately.

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FOR SCHOOLS

A national stage for your performing arts programme

The League gives your students a national platform and a pathway to the world's largest dance competition for young performers. It celebrates your performing arts team and connects your school with the TAISI community. **Member schools save 50% on group entries.**



Registrations through schools
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Delegation & participation queries

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