

INNOVATEX 4.0 – Presidency University

Fun Events Cluster | Standard Rule Book Format

Event Overview

Field	Details
Event Name	Explain It To My Grandma
Cluster	Fun Events Cluster
Event Type	Concept Communication Challenge
Mode	Offline
Team Size	Team of 2–3 Members
Duration	60-90 Minutes

Event Task / Objective

Participants must guess technical terms using only simple, everyday explanations. One team member will hold a term card facing teammates without seeing it. The remaining members must explain the word in the simplest possible manner, as if speaking to someone with no technical background.

The objective is to test conceptual clarity, communication skills, quick thinking, and teamwork under time pressure. The team that scores the highest number of correct guesses across all rounds will be declared the winner.

Design Specifications

- Round 1: Registration & Briefing
 - Participants register and receive team IDs.
 - Rules, scoring pattern, penalties, and restrictions are explained.
 - Teams are introduced to the gameplay format.
- Round 2: Classic Heads Up Round
 - One participant holds a term card without seeing it.
 - Teammates explain the word using simple language only.
 - No technical jargon, abbreviations, or acronyms allowed.
 - Time Limit: 60 seconds per turn.
 - 1 point per correct guess.
- Round 3: Restricted Word Round
 - Certain keywords related to the term are banned.
 - If restricted words are used → 1 point deduction.
 - Time Limit: 60 seconds.
- Round 4: Lightning Challenge

- Only one-word clues OR mime-only explanation allowed.
- Time Limit: 45 seconds.
- Highest scoring teams win.

- Phase | Description | Duration
- Phase 1 | Registration & Briefing | 10 min
- Phase 2 | Classic Guessing Round | 20 min
- Phase 3 | Restricted Word Round | 15 min
- Phase 4 | Lightning Round & Results | 15 min
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General Guidelines

- All preparation must be completed within the event duration.
- Teams must ensure all members participate in the explanation.
- Use of mobile phones or external assistance is strictly prohibited.
- Explanations must remain respectful and appropriate.
- Judges may ask one follow up question after presentation.

Judging Criteria

Criteria	Weightage
Accuracy of guessing	40%
Clarity of explanation	25%
Speed and efficiency	20%
Team coordination	15%
Total	100 Points

Penalties s Disqualifications

Violation	Penalty
Use of technical jargon	-10 Points
Use of electronic devices	-20 Points
Time limit exceeded	-10 Points
Disruptive behavior	Immediate Disqualification



Awards s Recognition

Category	Prize	Remarks
1st Prize	₹1000	Winner
2nd Prize	—	Runner-up



Event Team

Role	Name	Contact
Faculty Coordinator	Dr. Divyarani MS	—
Event Lead	Yukith M Joseph	990111100

General Instructions

- Judges' decisions are final and binding.
- Participants must report 15 minutes before event start.
- Certificates will be awarded to all valid participants.