

FreeCon



Karaoke Contest Rules

1. Must be an OFFICIAL anime, video game, J-Pop/J-Rock, K-Pop, or Vocaloid song. Fan-Made and Western Songs are *not* accepted.
2. Your song cannot be more than 3 minutes.
3. Keep the song PG-13; make sure that there is no profanity, offensive language, or sexually explicit lines.
4. You may compete as a soloist, a duet, or a group. Please note that only one prize will be given across the board.
5. When selecting your track, you must ensure that there are no other vocals. We want to hear your voice, not the original vocalists.
6. Props are only permitted on stage if they are relevant to your costume/cosplay. They cannot make noise that will disrupt your performance (instruments, noise makers, etc).
7. You may not sing in the acapella style. You must provide a backing track.
8. You may not interact with the judges, MC, or staff during your performance.
9. You may not interact with the audience (coordinating a fan club, going into the audience, inviting the audience on stage). However, you may invite the audience to clap along.
10. In the event of a tie, the ruling will be made by the majority vote of the judges.
11. If you are the winner, you will be permitted to sing a second song of your choice (following the previously stated guidelines) as a "victory lap".
12. You agree to abide by all FreeCon, FSU, and staff regulations.
13. If you have any questions, please contact Liliana Watson at fsu.freecon@gmail.com with the subject "Karaoke Contest".

Judge Criteria

1. Judges will be looking for your knowledge of your song, your stage presence, showmanship, and how appropriate your selected song is for you as the vocalist.
2. Score sheets remain confidential. At no point will you be allowed to see your score or someone else's. All rulings by the judges are final.