



### **MTU Competition Guidance – Violet 2026**

- No Smoking on the school grounds
- Please take home your rubbish
- Chairs will be provided and allocated per troupe – **please do not relocate chairs**
- Drinks and snacks will be available – Infinity Twirlers are hosting the food stall based in the Dining Hall.
- Spectators must book via the MTU website and **pay in advance on the booking. Tickets are non-refundable**
- Entrance fee £5 per person (1 free entry per troupe for the Troupe Leader, other Troupe Officials to pay as normal).– Children under reception year do not need to pay but must have a free ticket booked.
- Troupe Safeguarding Officers should have a list of expected spectators.
- The Troupe Fire Marshal should have a list of Troupe Attendees (Spectators / Competitors)
- Wrist bands will be issued by the Facilities Manager & team, these must be worn by all spectators whilst at the venue.
- Troupe Officials Lanyards will be issued on the day for the number of listed Officials on Troupe Membership forms. **ONLY** these individuals are authorised to move out of the spectators area.
- Troupes are to sit in the designated area (floor plan will be issued)
- Spectators are requested to sit in the hall where the competitor they are supporting is competing until Presentation.
- Photos and Videoing is only permitted for members of your own team who have given you permission.  
– This is to be done from designated spots in the spectator area, only one person using this space at a time to ensure others views aren't being restricted.
- Doors will open at 9am for competitors and spectators. – MTU Officials may enter before this time.
- Categories will be announced, and Twirlers must report immediately to the dedicated arena.
- Each Arena will be clearly named, and the current event and age group written on the white board at the Arena.
- Twirlers will be booked in by arena marshals. Marshals will have whiteboards to ensure the judges know which Twirler is competing.
- Twirlers entry and exit to the floor must be in a neat and timely manner direct from and back to the competitors waiting area.
- All twirlers are expected to wear **troupe T-shirt / Track suit** for presentation and sit as per the distributed floor plan
- Troupe Presentation Representatives are requested to wear MTU sash, Troupe T shirt and Uniform skirt / trousers.
- At the presentation, Participation & Merit Certificates will be given by the MTU Reps to each troupe at the same time as the placings.
- Awards for 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> will be presented; these Twirlers should stand and salute together.
- Spectators are permitted to visit the Snack, Photography and Shop areas at any time.
- It is requested that as many belongings as possible are taken to your cars throughout the day, and the Dining Hall, Dance Studio & Main Hall are empty before presentation.
- No prams in the Main Gym for presentation.
- We request a donation of 1 raffle prize per troupe.