

**MINISTRY OF ARTS AND CULTURE
NATIONAL DRAMA FESTIVAL 2026
FIXTURES - English Language
SERGE CONSTANTIN THEATRE – VACOAS**

SN	PRELIMINARIES	ORGANISATIONS	PLAY/ AUTHOR	DIRECTOR	Stage Rehearsals Time (Hours)
1.	Tues 12 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Saint Mary's College, Rose Hill 2. Drama Kings of SARM SSS	The Newspaper <i>by Stephane Sirop</i> My Country lives in my heart <i>by Babooram S.D</i>	Ms Kevina Ramen Mrs Hemaprabhadevi Ujoodia	<u>Tuesday 12 May 2026</u> 11:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00
2.	Thurs 14 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. St Andrew's School 2. Queen Elizabeth College 3. Catharsis Collective	The Light of Mauritius <i>by B. Amreena Jamalkhan-Mollabux</i> 58 Stitches <i>by Riona Singh Peedoly</i> The Bear <i>by Anton Chekov adapted by Vreeshini Raojee</i>	Mrs B. Amreena Jamalkhan-Mollabux Ms Kameereddy Marie Amel Jade Aurore Crystal Ms Vreeshini Raojee	<u>Thursday 14 May 2026</u> 10:00 – 11:00 09:00 – 10:00 11:00 – 12:00
3.	Fri 15 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Duperré Government School 2. Rajcoomar Gujadhur State Secondary School 3. Atelier Pierre Poivre	The Island of Dodo <i>by Leena Pem</i> <i>Bullying</i> <i>by Dr Bhurtun Bishma Dev</i> Malika and the Beggar <i>by Marcel Cabon</i>	Mrs Leena Pem Dr Bhurtun Bishma Dev Mr Rowinraj Narraïdoo	<u>Friday 15 May 2026</u> 11:00 - 12:00 10:00 – 11:00 09:00 – 10.00

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4.	Mon 18 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Labourdonnais College 2. Hampton School Quatre Bornes 3. Atelier Théâtre Pierre Poivre	Gabriel's Guilt <i>by Luciano Stephan Steeve Perrine</i> The Day the Flag stood still <i>by Nina Shayle</i> 'The Post Office' 'Dak Ghar' <i>by Rabindranath Tagore</i>	Mrs Rushdana Bibi Janoo- Edun Mrs Sweta Mukerji Mrs Jany Jhugroo- Narraïdoo	<u>Monday 18 May 2026</u> 11:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00 09:00 – 10:00
5.	Wed 20 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Universal College 2. Dr. Maurice Curé State College 3. Le Bocage International School	Not just a flag <i>by Mukoond Indurjeet</i> Feminism is not Misandry <i>by Bibi Eliza Nilofer Aukbaraullee</i> The One Act Play that goes Wrong <i>by Henry Lewis, Jonathan Sayer & Henry Shields</i>	Mrs Nunkoo Chandini Mr Soondrum Kanene Ms Maeva Veerapen	<u>Wednesday 20 May 2026</u> 11:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00 09:00 – 10:00
6.	Fri 22 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Vacoas Rising star 2. Reverend Edward Walter Government School 3. Shrimati Indira Gandhi SSS	Echoes of the Mind <i>by Dharma Seetohul</i> Mobile Trap <i>by Nazrana Joomun/ Giovanie Valliamah</i> Break the Boy Code <i>by Beekawoo Khavi</i>	Mrs Dewantee Seetohul Mrs Nazrana Joomun/ Giovanie Valliamah Mrs Shaminee Puttoo- Rughoobur	<u>Friday 22 May 2026</u> 09:00 – 10:00 10:00 – 11:00 11:00 – 12:00

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7.	Mon 25 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Notre Dame 2. Cloud Nine Group 3. Mahatma Gandhi Institute State Secondary	Echoes across Time <i>by Cooshna Oulashna</i> Say No to Drugs <i>by Anoucheka Gangabissoon</i> Not a Liability <i>by Lubna Kader, Ziyaan Jumoorthy</i>	Ms Cooshna Oulashna Ms Anoucheka Gangabissoon Mrs Natasha Boyjonauth	<u>Monday 25 May 2026</u> 09:00 – 10:00 10:00 – 11:00 11:00 – 12:00
8.	Tues 26 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Mahatma Gandhi State Secondary Moka 2. Sookdeo Bissoondoyal State College 3. London College	The woman who refused to burn <i>by Bella Ramdharry</i> Between the Flag and the Heart <i>by Razita Dabeedial Gunesh</i> Three Stories, One Courage <i>by Bhujun Vijaya L.D</i>	Ms Iswaree Ramsaran Ms Yadalee Naheeda Ms Bhujun Vijaya Lutchmee Devi	<u>Tuesday 26 May 2026</u> 09:00 – 10:00 10:00 – 11:00 11:00 – 12:00
9.	Wed 27 May 2026 @ 12 30 hrs	1. Rising Stars of Simadree Virahsawmy SSS 2. Dazzling Divas of Simadree 3. Vacoas National Arts	Rooted in my land, proud in my heart <i>By Babooram S D</i> Equal means Equal <i>by Varuna Jaggana - Seethanna</i> The Vanishing Depths <i>by Rajeshwar Seetohul</i>	Ms Mudhoo Manisha Mrs Varuna Jaggana -Seethanna Mr Rajiv Seetohul	<u>Wednesday 27 May 2026</u> 11:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00 09:00 – 10:00

Stage Rehearsals for Finals: **Tuesday 09 June 2026** at Serge Constantin Theatre, Vacoas as from **09 00 hrs.**

Finals: Thursday 11 June 2026 at Serge Constantin Theatre, Vacoas at **10 00 hrs.**