

## Cosplay Catwalk Judging criteria

### Character & Performance Judging - Total 100

Points are awarded on how well the cosplayer performs and embodies the character on stage.

#### 1. **Character Accuracy (40%)**

- How well does the cosplayer embody the look and feel of the character?
- Attention to silhouette, color scheme, and key visual details (not craftsmanship, but recognizability).
- Is the character instantly identifiable to fans?

#### 2. **Stage Presence & Performance (40%)**

- Confidence and charisma when stepping on stage.
- Does the cosplayer bring the character to life through poses, gestures, and expressions?
- Ability to own the stage for 15 seconds without hesitation.

#### 3. **Creativity in Performance (10%)**

- Unique interpretation of the character's personality (pose sequence, signature move, power stance, etc.).
- Memorable moment created in a short timeframe.

#### 4. **Audience Engagement (10%)**

- Did the cosplayer connect with the crowd? (Eye contact, playful gestures, dramatic flair, etc.).
- Reaction from the audience (applause, cheers).