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Multicultural Public Speaking Competition

Dear Parents & Guardians,

This year students in Years 3 to 6 have the opportunity to participate in the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition. Students are required to write and present a speech on one of the multicultural topics below. This speech is a compulsory assessment task, but if your child does not wish to speak about one of the topics below they can write a speech on a topic they choose (students who choose this option will not be eligible to progress to the stage finals).

Students are required to have their speech ready to present during class time by Monday May 13th. Each class will have two representatives go forward to the stage finals which will be held Monday 27th May. These class finalists will also be required to present an impromptu speech. Stage winners will compete at the Campbelltown Zone finals later in Term 2.

Years 3&4 Topics	Years 5&6 Topics
Playing together	Welcome to Australia
Multiculturalism in the media	Being a global citizen
Watch your language	What would Captain Cook say?
Kid power	Human rights and wrongs
Belonging	Sport and multiculturalism
Every child matters	Australia Day
Understanding	Colour-blindness
Our backyard	Learning from the past
Multiculturalism at school	Australia on the screen
What makes an Australian	It's complicated
Refugees	Getting a multicultural education

Speaking requirements (grade and stage finals)

Speech	Warning Bell	Speaking time (2 bells)	Continuous Bell
Years 3&4 prepared speech	2 minutes	3 minutes	4 minutes
Years 3&4 impromptu speech	30 seconds	1 minute	1 ½ minutes
Years 5&6 prepared speech	3 minutes	4 minutes	5 minutes
Years 5&6 impromptu speech	1 ½ minutes	2 minutes	2 ½ minutes

If you have any further questions regarding the speech please contact your child's class teacher.

Miss Kerri-Anne Hamilton
Public Speaking Coordinator


Mrs Selena McPhee
Rel. Principal