



STUDENT FOREIGN LANGUAGE COMPETITION GUIDELINES

REGISTRATION POSTMARK DEADLINE - MARCH 1st

POETRY RECITATION VIDEO

Topic: There is no specific topic. All subjects for poetry recitation are acceptable and must be in good taste.

1. A student **MUST MEMORIZE** a published poetry selection of an author, written in the target language in which he/she is currently enrolled. **ORIGINAL STUDENT POEMS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.**
2. The title and the author of the poem must be mentioned. STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT **THREE TYPEWRITTEN** COPIES OF THE POEM with their taping. The name of the student, teacher, and school **MUST** appear on copies of the poem. Place all these poems in one file folder and label it COPIES OF POEMS FOR RECITATION.
3. Each video recitation must adhere to a three-minute time limit.
4. No more than one (1) student from the same **teacher** may interpret the same poem.
5. No students may share in the recitation of a single poem.
6. **There can be no more than five (5) entries per language/per level/per division/per school, per teacher.**
7. Each VHS tape/DVD must contain only one (1) presentation. Flash drives and CDs cannot be submitted.

POSTMARK REGISTRATION DATE: MARCH 1st

ALL MANILA ENVELOPES, CONTAINING REGISTRATION MATERIALS, ENTRIES, AND YOUR CHECK, MUST BEAR A UNITED STATES POSTMARK OF NO LATER THAN MARCH 1st.

CONSULT the LILT WEBSITE Homepage: EXECUTIVE BOARD, COMMITTEES AND ASSISTANTS, subsection STUDENT LANGUAGE COMPETITION, subsection SUBMISSIONS CO-CHAIRPERSONS, ON THIS WEBSITE FOR THE CURRENT CONTACT PERSON AND ADDRESS TO WHERE YOU WILL BE SENDING YOUR ENTRIES.

Your LILT membership must have been paid before **DECEMBER 31st** if your students are to participate in LILT's competitions. You may consult the LILT Treasurer via the Executive Board listing found elsewhere on the LILT Website.

DIVISIONS:
A - Grades K - 6
B - Grades 7 - 9
C - Grades 10 - 12

LEVELS: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 - correspond to current placement/ years of study
1N , 2N, 3N, 4N, 5N, 6N - native speaker or near-native speaker

COMPETITION FEE \$7.00 PER STUDENT AND IS GOOD FOR MULTIPLE CATEGORIES OF COMPETITION. ALL FEES ARE NONREFUNDABLE.

SUBMIT YOUR REGISTRATION FORM AND ENTRIES WITH A PERSONAL CHECK, BANK CHECK, SCHOOL CHECK OR POSTAL MONEY ORDER POSTMARKED BY MARCH 1st TO THE PERSON NAMED ON THE TOPIC SHEET FOUND ELSEWHERE ON THE LILT WEBSITE.

PLEASE BE SURE TO KEEP COPIES OF ALL YOUR ENTRIES BEFORE SUBMITTING THEM FOR COMPETITION.

ALL ENTRIES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF LILT AND WILL NOT BE RETURNED.

MAKE SURE YOU PERSONALLY COMPLETE ALL THE REQUIRED FORMS CORRECTLY, AND ADHERE TO THE GUIDELINES.

DO NOT ALLOW STUDENTS TO COMPLETE YOUR FORMS.



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**PLEASE CUT OUT THIS VHS TAPE/DVD JEWEL BOX COVER LABEL FOR EACH VHS TAPE/DVD AND PASTE IT ON EACH VHS TAPE SLIPCASE/DVD JEWEL BOX FRONT COVER (not on the VHS tape/DVD itself) FOR EACH LANGUAGE/LEVEL/DIVISION/TEACHER.
*Duplicate as needed.***

LONG ISLAND LANGUAGE TEACHERS
STUDENT FOREIGN LANGUAGE COMPETITION
VHS TAPE SLIPCASE/DVD JEWEL BOX COVER LABEL

POETRY RECITATION VIDEO

EACH VHS TAPE/DVD JEWEL BOX MUST HAVE THIS OFFICIAL LILT
COVER LABEL TAPED OR PASTED TO THE
OUTSIDE FRONT.

LANGUAGE: _____

LEVEL (Use Roman numerals): _____

DIVISION: _____

STUDENT'S NAME ON THIS VIDEO/DVD:

TITLE OF POEM BEING RECITED:

TEACHER'S NAME:(Mr., Mrs., Miss, Dr.) _____

SCHOOL: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE OF TEACHER: _____

SCHOOL PHONE: _____

REMINDER: THERE IS A FIVE (5) MINUTE TIME LIMIT FOR EACH PRODUCTION. This excludes the one minute cue card page.

EACH VHS TAPE OR DVD ITSELF MUST CONTAIN A PASTED LABEL WITH THE TEACHER'S NAME, SCHOOL, LANGUAGE, LEVEL AND DIVISION OR ON EACH DVD ITSELF, USING A SHARPIE™ MARKER, PRINT THE TEACHER'S LAST NAME AND THE WORDS: POETRY RECIT. VIDEO. Do not use tape since it will damage the VCR/DVD PLAYER. Only three (3) videos per language/per level/per division/per teacher.

NATIVE SPEAKERS: All native speakers must be registered in the native speaker category.
If not, they will be disqualified.



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***POETRY RECITATION VIDEO
FILE FOLDER COVER SHEET***

LANGUAGE: _____

LEVEL (Use Roman numerals): _____

DIVISION: _____

TEACHER'S NAME (Circle which applies: Mr., Mrs., Miss, Dr.)

→ → → Last Name First: _____

SCHOOL: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____

SCHOOL PHONE () _____ HOME PHONE () _____

**ALPHABETICALLY LIST THOSE STUDENTS INCLUDED IN THIS FOLDER,
→ → → LAST NAME FIRST, PLEASE PRINT.**

- 1. _____ Title of Poem _____
- 2. _____ Title of Poem _____
- 3. _____ Title of Poem _____
- 4. _____ Title of Poem _____
- 5. _____ Title of Poem _____

**USE ONE STAPLE (middle of folder on top) TO STAPLE THIS SHEET TO THE
OUTSIDE FRONT COVER OF EACH FILE FOLDER.**

DO NOT USE GLUE OR TAPE.

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