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2022 PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

Dear Parents,

Over the coming weeks, all students from K to Year 6 will be working on speeches for the Arcadia Public Speaking Competition. Students will be discussing the topics and brainstorming ideas at school, however, they will prepare and rehearse their speeches at home. Students should be prepared to present their speech to their class in the week beginning **Monday, May 23** (Week 5).

A student from each year group will be selected to present their speech at the Arcadia Public School 2022 Public Speaking assembly on **Friday, June 3**. The selected speakers from **Years 3 to 6** will represent their school at the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition District Final, (date to be announced). The local finals will be adjudicated by a panel and a winner chosen from the represented schools to proceed to the next round. Videos of previous State winners are available to be viewed at - https://vimeo.com/showcase/3601163

Here is a link to further information and points to consider when writing your speech- https://artsunit.nsw.edu.au/program/the-multicultural-perspectives-public-speaking-competition

On the back of this sheet are the success criteria, which have been devised by each Stage. They have worked collaboratively to identify what makes an effective speech. These criteria will be extremely valuable for the students as they prepare their speeches. They will be referred to for self, peer and teacher assessment. Speech preparation should be considered as a part of your child's homework.

Speech Requirements:

- **K to Year 2** 1 -2 minutes **Years 3 and 4** 3 minutes **Years 5 and 6** 4 minutes (going over by 30 seconds is fine)
- ***All Years 3 to 6 speeches must have a multicultural aspect. This is very important.***
- **Palm cards are to be used K-6**.

Years K to 2	Years 3 and 4	Years 5 and 6
Australia, a great place to live. **My family.** **My favourite place.** **My school, a great place to learn.**	**In my language** **History matters** **Racism-no way!** **Australia on the screen** **The power of sport** **Who is responsible?** **My place** **A safe place to call home** **Symbols of Australia** **Kids lead the way!**	**In my language** **The story of Australia** **Everyday racism** **Representation** **Australia Day** **Rights and Responsibilities** **Identity- it's complicated!** **Welcome to country** **Crossing borders** **Healing**

Kind regards,
Nicole Pattison
(Relieving Principal)

Multicultural Speech Early Stage 1

Early Stage 1 - **Success Criteria**	On The Way	You've Made It	Above And Beyond
Looks at the audience	Not looking at the audience	Looking at the audience	Head up and looking at the audience, using palm cards as prompts (can be pictures)
Standing still and being focused	Not standing still, fiddling	Standing still	Standing still and completely focused
Detailed with description	Not very descriptive Speech is too short	Detailed and descriptive Speech is the required length	Very detailed and descriptive
Speaks loudly and clearly	Mumbling, quiet voice	Clear and loud enough	Loud, clear and expressive
Speech has been practised	Hasn't been practised Reading from the page	Practised a lot and knows speech well	Very confident Knows speech well

Teacher Comment :-

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