



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Jeunes Artistes | 2015 - 2016

Who Can Participate?

Any student from grade 10, 11 and 12 from BC & Yukon can participate in Jeunes Artistes at the Provincial Level.

- French Immersion (Early and Late) Grades 10 - 12
- Francophone Grades 10 - 12
- Core French (Basic French) Grades 10 - 12

Any student from K to grade 9 can participate at the local and regional levels.

What are the categories eligible to participate?

You can read more about the following categories here.

1. Storytelling
2. Spoken Word Poetry
3. Singer-Songwriter
4. Dramatic Reading
5. Ghost Writer
6. Documentary Filmmaker

Do I have to be in French in school to compete?

No, you are not required to be enrolled in French as long as the presentation is 50% in French and 50% in English, with up to 15% flexibility.

Does the performance have to be all in French?

The performance must be 50% in French and 50% in English, with up to 15% flexibility.

- If content from English materials are used, the text must be accurately translated into French.
- If content from French materials are used, the text must be accurately translated into English.

Do I have to write my own song/poem/dramatic reading?

This is an open format competition. This means the content can be your own (original) or a cover of someone else's work/writing. Each student must be responsible to ensure that the materials are legally copyrighted and legally eligible for use.

What if the song or reading I choose is only in English?

You must be responsible to translate your selected work so that the content is accurately represented in French for 50% of the presentation. You will be judged on how well the piece is translated (see Judging Rubric)

When is the deadline for submission?

All entries must be uploaded by 5:00pm (PST) on February 9, 2016.

What will I be judged on?

The videos will be judged by categories according to the laid out criteria. See the Judging Rubric for more details about how the entries will be judged.

What are the prizes?

The prizes for the provincial showcase will be announced in December 2015. Winners selected to move to the Provincial round receive a weekend in Vancouver with workshops and the opportunity to showcase at the Festival du Bois.

How many student can apply in the same video entry?

There is a maximum of 5 students per group in a video entry. One student must be the lead contact.

In what format should I submit my project?

Follow the Upload Video page, and you'll learn everything about the upload process.

What is the time limit of each presentation?

- Competitors will have a maximum of 5 minutes for their presentation
- Competitors who go over the 5 minutes will receive 1 penalty point deduction per 30 seconds over the limit
- Because the competition is emphasizing creativity, there is no minimum time requirement