

# The Competition

Two students of a similar age/year level sit/stand side by side and hold a conversation by asking and answering questions about any topic using familiar language that has recently been explored in class. The conversation must be filmed, which can be done using a device such as an iPad/iPhone and the assistance of a tripod or a third person filming.

## **Eligibility**

Second language learners.

Please note: Background and first language learners are encouraged to participate in the Let Me Tell You a Story, Let Me Tell You in My Language competition.

Teachers/school can only submit one entry for each language and year category.

## Categories / Languages

Age categories:

PP-Yr2, Years 3-4, Years 5-6, Years 7-8, Years 9-10, Years 11-12

Language categories:

Arabic, Auslan, Chinese, French, German, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Modern Greek, Noongar, and Spanish.

#### **Prizes**

The winners of each age and language category will receive a Winner's Certificate, a \$10 iTunes voucher and trophy for their school. Winners will be invited to attend one event during Languages Week (7-14 August, 2017) to receive their prize. Videos of the winning submissions may be screened at the Languages Week events and/or posted on the MLTAWA website, MLTAWA YouTube channel and the Languages in the Mainstream Facebook page.

# **Submission process**

Teachers/schools make the submissions and include an original hard copy of a signed **Declaration Form** for each student appearing in the videos and an original hard copy of a **Side by Side Competition Cover Sheet**.

Submissions must be sent in a .M4V, .MP4, .mov or.avi format and sent on a USB by 23 June 2017 to:

MLTAWA Side by Side Competition Coordinator PO Box 1443 West Leederville WA 6901

Full details: http://mltawa.asn.au/litm/sidebyside/ Enquiries: litm@mltawa.asn.au

# Judging criteria

Each submission will be judged on:

- Language deployment, ie spoken spontaneously and naturally
- Sustained interaction in the target language
- Fluency
- Pronunciation and intonation





