



Sharing Languages and Cultures

Competition free and open to all students from
preschool to Year 12

First Prize of \$100 for each category

6 Runner up prizes of \$50

ACTBEA is running a video competition! Team up with someone who speaks a language other than English, and film a short video (maximum length 2 minutes) featuring the language. It could be your family language, a community language, a language that you are learning, or a language that you try out just to make the video.

Closing date extended to Thursday 30 SEPTEMBER 2021

Record a conversation with:

- an older member of the family
- a classmate or friend at school
- a family friend

Example questions for inspiration:

- What do you like about learning or speaking the language?
- Why is learning or speaking the language important for you?
- How does the language help us understand more about life in Canberra or other parts of the world?

Eligibility

Open to all students in the ACT and neighbouring NSW schools from pre-school to Year 12.

Only ONE entry per student. Any joint entry will only be eligible for one prize.

Categories

1. Preschool – Year 2
2. Primary (Years 3-6)
3. Secondary/college (Years 7-12)

Questions?

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Acknowledgement of submissions

All entries will be acknowledged. If you do not receive an acknowledgment within 7 days of submission, please contact us to confirm receipt.

Judging criteria

The judging panel will evaluate

- creative approach,
- unique story, and
- how much of the video is in a language other than English.

Submission process

1. Upload the video to Dropbox: link [here](#) or do it through the ACTBEA website (<https://actbilingual.weebly.com/news.html>)
2. Complete a Student Declaration Form - [downloadable](#) from the ACTBEA website
3. Send an email to canberrabilingual@gmail.com with:
 - student declaration form
 - title of video clip and date uploaded
 - name of the language/s in the video and English translation of sections of the video in another language (unless subtitles have been added)



Winners and shortlisted finalists will be notified by email and/or phone and results will be posted on the ACTBEA website: <https://actbilingual.weebly.com>

Competition organised by the ACT Bilingual Education Alliance, with support from the Canberra Multicultural Community Forum Inc and an ACT Government 2021 - 2022 Participation (Multicultural) Grant.