



2013 MHCS Multimedia Contest

1. **Contest Date/Time:** 12/14/2013, Sat. 1:30pm
2. **Registration deadline:** 12/07/2013, please submit the registration form to Jeannie Pang (at school office Rm120) or via e-mail: LanguageDean@mhcs-nj.org. Also, you can register online :
3. **The contestants are grouped by age:**
Intermediate : 9 to 13 years of age by 2/23/2014
Senior group : 14 to 18 years of age by 2/23/2014
Bilingual CSL: 9 to 18 years of age by 2/23/2014
Each team can consist 1 to 2 members. There must be minimum 3 teams for each group. The age group is determined by the older member. All members from each team will receive one AMC GIFT CARD from school.
4. Students can choose their own topics of interest but the theme must be related to Chinese or Chinese heritage.
5. Scoring criteria: Chinese: 20% Content: 30% Delivery: 20% Creativity: 20% Time Management: 10%
6. The top winner(s) of each group will represent MHCS for inter-school multimedia contests. For further information, please contact vice principle Henry Tseng (at school office, Rm120) or via email: viceprincipal@mhcs-nj.org
7. You are required to draw a number from the box for your child and attach that number to the form to complete the registration.

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Registration Form

Name Chinese: _____

English: _____

Family ID: _____ Class: _____

Group: _____ Birthday: _____

Speech Title: _____

Contact info: Tel: _____ e-mail: _____

Speech Number: _____ (To be filled in by staff)

Note: e-mail registration can be addressed to LanguageDeputyDean@mhcs-nj.org. You will also need to come to the office to draw your number.

Students can choose their own topics of interest but the theme must be related to Chinese or Chinese heritage. The presentations should be between **3 to 4 minutes** long followed by questions and answers with the panel of judges. Students may use electronic media, live performance, or poster presentation to introduce the topic, however, the content of the presentation or performance must be articulated in Chinese, including the questions and answers session. Students may choose one of the following formats:

A. Presentation : Students must make an on the spot oral presentation to the audience and judges. Students may bring a prepared speech to read , however, points will be proportionally deducted. If the students have visual aids such as posters, books, papers or other displays, they must make them available for the judges to view.

B. Performance : Students may include a portion of the presentation a pre-recorded audio or video in Chinese, however it may not exceed 50% of the total performance time. Presentations can be used in the following manner :

- a. computer and projector : Pdf, Word, Excel, Power Point, movie, or other equivalent applications
- b. video : movies , CD / DVD / TV , videotapes , audiotapes , etc.
- c. Props : Diabolo , musical instruments , toys , clothing , etc.
- d. drama : comic , singing concerts or performances

C. Mixed Presentation/Performance : Students can mix the above forms

Examples of topics include:

1 People: modern Chinese history or story characters in the past , including in the United States or elsewhere in the world.

2 .History or current events : current or historical legends, stories , things and events.

3 Geography and Attractions : limited to Taiwan, mainland China , Hong Kong, Macau and other related areas .

4 Culture or customs: any modern day or ancient Chinese customs, festivals, or unique way of living .

5 Art, architecture and science : Chinese created modern or ancient art, architecture, medicine, mathematics, or scientific inventions.

6 Idioms, literature and stories: Chinese idioms, ancient and modern Chinese books, poetry, speech , etc.

7 Movies and TV shows : the protagonist must be a Chinese, filmed in the United States or Chinese community elsewhere in the world , Taiwan, China, Hong Kong or Macau, Chinese language must be the primary language.

8 Performances : music or dialogue must be specific to Chinese language or culture..