

10th Annual CCFLT Videotaped Speaking Contest

This is a fantastic opportunity for students of CCFLT members to show-off their speaking skills by creating a 90-second videotape of themselves in a conversation with another student!

Conversations should be based on the new Colorado Academic World Languages Standard 1.1: Communication in Languages Other Than English, interpersonal mode. Specific standards language for each level, as well as judging/scoring rubrics are available on the website at <http://www.ccflt.org/contests/VideoTapedSpeakingcontest.htm> and give all the information necessary to organize your students and explain how the entries will be assessed.

Performance Details:

- Pairs of students will create, present, and record an original conversation. Conversations should focus on interactions with one another as opposed to a “commercial-mode” presentation. Students may determine their conversation topic... in line with the Standards.
- Each entry must be comprised of two on-camera students.
- Each student must wear a name tag or a tag with either the number “1” or “2” on it, visible to the judges.
- Videos with only one student performing, or three or more students performing, will be disqualified.
* Note – You are encouraged to assess the videos and/or have students assess each other’s entries, using the appropriate rubric, prior to sending in your submission(s).

Entry Details:

- Only teachers who are members of CCFLT may submit entries. * Note – Board members’ students may compete in competitions sponsored by CCFLT, but board members may not be on the judging committee.
- Each teacher may send up to two (2) videos per language, per level.
- Videos must be submitted on VHS or DVD (DVD is preferred). No other formats will be accepted.
* Note – if submitting on DVD, please view the product on multiple computers to ensure that the DVD will play. Also, please be certain to record on a DVD and not on a CD.
- Teachers determine the level that is appropriate for their students: beginner (novice low – novice mid), intermediate (novice high – intermediate low), advanced (intermediate mid), or heritage speaker.

Awards:

- First Place will be awarded in each language at each level – novice low-novice mid (beginner), novice high-intermediate low (intermediate), intermediate mid (advanced), and heritage speakers. The prize will consist of a certificate and a \$10 gift card.
- All students will receive a certificate for participating.

Please fill out the entry form below. Video entries must be postmarked no later than December 1, 2010. Note: Videos will not be returned by mail. However, if you would like your students’ tapes back, you may pick them up at the Spring Conference.

If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca at Rebecca.Schwerdtfeger@D51Schools.org.

Please send your students’ videotapes or DVDs to: **CCFLT Video Contest Chair, Rebecca Schwerdtfeger, 2523 Patterson Rd., Grand Junction, CO 81505.**

Check-Off Sheet for the CCFLT Videotaped Speaking Contest

- Students are informed of the CCFLT 90 Second Foreign Language Videotaped Speaking Contest guidelines, Standards language, and judging/scoring rubric criteria.
- In groups of two, they determine the topic of their conversation and will prepare the content. Students may prepare extemporaneously or write a script that they proofread and rewrite.
- Students rehearse and time their conversation.
- Students present their conversation to others for feedback.
- If necessary, students re-work, re-rehearse and re-time their conversation.
- Each entry must be comprised of two on-camera students. Each student must wear a name tag or a tag with either the number “1” or “2” on it, visible to the judges. Videos with only one student performing, or three or more students performing, will be disqualified.
- Students check to make sure that their presentation does not exceed the 90-second limit by more than 30 seconds.
- **Only one performance may be submitted per tape or DVD, and VHS tapes should be rewound to the beginning.**

Entry Form for the CCFLT Videotaped Speaking Contest

Use a separate entry form for each video submitted.

School Name _____ School Phone () _____

Name of School District _____

School Street Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Teacher's Name _____

Teacher's Email _____

Language of Entry _____

Level of Presentation beginner (novice low-novice mid)
 intermediate (novice high – intermediate low)
 advanced (intermediate mid)
 heritage speaker

Title of Presentation _____

Name of Student #1 *(Student must be identifiable in video with a sign or name tag.)*

Name of Student #2 *(Student must be identifiable in video with a sign or name tag.)*
