



POETRY SLAM

Thursday, April 13, 2017

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. There will be four categories; (A) Grades 1-3, (B) Grades 4-6, (C) Grades 7-8, and (D) Grades 9-12.
2. The competition is open to all schools. Schools wishing to sign-up students must complete the registration form and send to admin@safaandmarwa.ca.
3. The deadline to register is March 31, 2017.
4. Schools can register a maximum of two (2) students per category.
5. The cost is \$10 per student.
6. Poems must be original.
7. No props, costumes or musical instruments. Breaking this rule is a 2-point deduction.
8. Maximum time limits for each poem in each category is as follows: (A) one minute, (B) two minutes, (C) & (D) three minutes. There is a 10-second grace period. After the grace period, 0.5 points per 10-second interval are deducted. There is no minimum time limit.
9. Poems can be recited from memory or read from a page.
10. Team performances of up to three students are accepted. The poem performed must still be an original and the author (one student) must still be at the centre of the performance.
11. All styles are welcomed and encouraged.
12. Performers will be randomly chosen to determine the order of performance.

