

2014 Far North Speech Competition



ATTENTION ALL SCHOOLS!!

**Pompallier Catholic School
Far North Speech competition
Our focus is on year 4-8 students**



**When: Tuesday 23rd September Week 10
10.00 am**

Where: Far North Reap

Topics: The students must use the topics stated and argue for or against

Rules: Students must speak about one of the topics attached, for approximately 2-3 minutes. Please enter one student from each year level. No props are to be used. Criteria for the speeches can be forwarded if requested or any queries please email Emily Robinson. Judges decision will be final and a winner from each year group will be chosen. (Please note external judges will be used)

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**Speech
topics 2014
Year 4-8**

Gyms/Fitness should be free to the public

Mining is the way forward for Northland

Barbies should be banned

Text language should be accepted as NZ's 4th language

A kid in sport is a kid out of court

Modern learning environments are the way forward in schools

Dog laws should apply to cats

Digital devices should be compulsory in every NZ classroom

Shark nets should be compulsory on NZ beaches

Fizzy drink should be banned

School rules should be adhered to

Sideline rules for parents/whanau should be compulsory

NAME		DATE	
TOPIC		TIME:	
PRESENTATION	SPEAKING VOICE	SUBJECT	
<p>Was there a gripping introduction? Was the content clearly ordered? Did the conclusion bring the speech together? Were visual aids used effectively? Was the speaker enjoying themselves? Does the speaker believe in what they are telling you?</p>	<p>Is each word clear (diction) Can you hear well (volume) Is the tone pleasant (resonation) Does the expression vary? (the tune) Is there effective pausing? (pace) Are main ideas emphasised vocally? Is the voice sincere? Is a rhythm and momentum maintained? (pace)</p>	<p>Is the subject well known? Does the speech have a logical sequence? Can you “hear” the hamburger method? Is it said in the speaker’s own words? Are quotes used?</p> 	10
<p>10</p>	10	10	10
POSTURE	APPEAL	Notes	
<p>Is the speaker neatly dressed? Does the speaker appear relaxed, yet confident? Is there good use of eye contact? Is the face interesting and alive? Is body language used effectively?</p>	<p>Did you want to keep listening? Did you learn something? Did it motivate you? Did it amuse or entertain you? Was there humour? Was the speed interesting?</p>	<p>Definition of visual aids: not to interfere with presentation (ie. could be a theme costume or photo board - the visual aid is to enhance the oral presentation and not to be a focus)</p>	
10	10		
TOTAL: /50			
COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS:			
 <p>Please note, this is a guideline for the judges</p>			