

Oral Interpretation

It's time to start thinking about Oral Interpretation. **The auditions will take place in the library on Monday, April 29th, at 3:30.** All children who choose to audition will have the opportunity to perform at 2 school assemblies on Friday, May 10th. This event supports and extends the County's poetry and language skills standards. It is a wonderful opportunity for children to become familiar with poetry and prose. The participants are encouraged to choose a piece of poetry that will create audience interest, and incorporate use of both verbal and non-verbal delivery.

GUIDELINES

1. Students may present as an individual or in groups. A group should be no larger than 8 students.
2. The Selection **must be memorized** and no longer than 5 minutes (There is no minimum). **STUDENTS GRADES 4-6 ARE HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO CHOOSE POEMS THAT ARE AGE APPROPRIATE & REFLECT THEIR GRADE LEVEL AND MATURITY.**
3. Selection of quality literature is encouraged- a copy of your poem must be turned in the day of auditions. **Grades 4-6 must have their teacher approve their poem.**
4. Simple costumes and props, which enhance (not distract) the presentation are acceptable but not mandatory. Elaborate costumes and props are strongly discouraged.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please turn in only one registration form per entry, naming all participants. Forms should be turned into your classroom teacher or directly to Marijo Lovell-First Grade Teacher. **All registration forms are due by Friday, April 26, 2019.** Questions? Please contact Mrs. Lovell via email Marijo.Lovell@jeffco.k12.co.us

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>TEACHER</u>
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NAME OF SELECTION _____

ORAL INTERPRETATION RESOURCES



If you are looking for poetry resources you will find many books in our Dennison library or at the Dennison website on the Library page. Click on the Library weblinks.

LET THE DENNISON LIBRARY HELP YOU find your special poem!

Witty

- Exploding Gravy: Poems to Make You Laugh
- I'M JUST NO GOOD AT RHYMING AND OTHER NONSENSE FOR MISCHIEVOUS KIDS AND IMMATURE GROWN-UPS

Funny

- IF IT RAINS PANCAKES: Haiku with LAMORIN POEMS
- DOG-KU: Andrew Clements
- I Can Repeat
- Silly Street: SELECTED POEMS by JEFF FOXWORTHY
- Take me out of the bathtub and other silly songs by Lisa Katz
- I've Lost My HIPPOPOTAMUS by JACKIE URBANOVIC

Exciting

- Abon Aclis ATE MY HOMEWORK AND OTHER POEMS
- A Light in the Attic: poems and drawings by Shel Silverstein
- Winter Poems: SELECTED BY BARBARA BODGANSKY ILLUSTRATED BY TRINA SCHARF HYMAN
- DOG-G SCHOOL
- Where the Sidewalk Ends

Sincere

- MY DOG MAY BE A GENIUS
- Autumnblings
- It's Raining PIGS, NOODLES
- Pig on a Spigot

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