



RECITATION CONTEST SEPTEMBER - 30 NOVEMBER 2025 GUIDELINES FOR 10-18-YEAR-OLD STUDENTS

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WHAT?

A poetry recitation contest to practice Public Speaking skills, presentation skills, creative writing and performance for 10-18-year-olds.

WHY?

- Poems are short
- A dynamic way to learn
- Public Speaking Practice
- Inspiring

WHEN?

- Online phase September -October 2025
- Submit the link to the recording until October 30 2025
- Offline Finals November 30, 2025

ONLINE UNTIL 30 OCTOBER

- 1. Choose 1 poem (25 lines or fewer)
- 2. Learn the poem by heart.
- 3. Record the poem (up to 2 minutes)
- 4. Submit the link to your recording via the Poetry in My Heart 2025 application form >

FINALS 30 NOVEMBER

in case you are chosen for the finals

you will be informed until 10 November, 2025

- 1. Learn your second poem by heart.
- 2. Perform it live on 30 November, 2025.
- 3. Be ready to prepare your piece of creative writing on the spot and perform it live (for 15-18-year-olds)

HOW TO RECORD THE VIDEO

- 1. Instagram format
- 2. Plain or nice background
- 3. En face from the waist up

In case you need any help, contact Your teacher.



