In 2011 Warnervale Public School will participate in the Hunter Central Coast Regional Public Speaking Competition. All students in the school will be preparing and presenting a speech to their classmates. As Talking and Listening is one of the major strands of the English Syllabus we ask that you encourage and support your children as they participate in preparing and delivering their speech.

All students will present a speech in class during week 10 of this term. The timetable of the Public Speaking competition is:

TERM 2

Wk 8  Note home
      Discussion in class and assistance re ideas etc...
Wk 10 Class speeches

TERM 3

Wk 2  Stage speeches – choose 2 per stage
Wk 4  Assembly – all finalists to present speeches
Wk 5  Regional finals: Mannering Park PS (August 19)

SPEECH DETAILS

Early Stage 1
  Topic: My Family
  Speech length: 1 – 2 mins

Stage 1
  Topic: If I won a million dollars, I would.....
  Speech length: 1 – 2 mins

Stage 2
  Choose one topic from topics listed on reverse
  Speech length: 2 – 3 mins

Stage 3
  Choose one topic from topics listed on reverse
  Speech length: 3 mins

GENERAL INFORMATION

• Timekeepers will be used to ensure time limits are not exceeded
• No props are to be used
• No PowerPoint presentations
• Palm cards allowed

We look forward to all children participating. This speech will be part of their assessment for Semester 2 Talking and Listening.

Regards,

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