

SPEECH ARTS DIVISION

NOTE:

1. All selections are “own choice”. A clean copy must be provided for the adjudicator, and be handed in at least 10 minutes before the class is scheduled.
A list of graded excerpts can be found in the RCM Speech Arts Syllabus - 2011 at:
https://examinations.rcmusic.ca/sites/default/files/speecharts_syllabus_2011.pdf.
2. In Age categories performers must be of the prescribed age on **December 31** of the year preceding the Festival.
 - Junior refers to participants 10 years and under
 - Intermediate refers to participants 11 - 14 years
 - Senior refers to participants ages 15 and over
3. A participant may enter as a competitor at only one grade level, within the Speech Arts classes. Additional selections will be for adjudication only.
4. All selections must be memorized.
5. Junior selections should be no longer than 5 minutes, and Intermediate and Senior selections no longer than 10 minutes. It is imperative to accurately indicate the performance time on the entry form.
6. Costumes and portable props are permitted only for the drama selection. Such devices must be simple and remain the sole responsibility of the performer. Please refer to the RCM Syllabus for other guidelines.
7. To be eligible for consideration for the Shield competition a candidate must perform 2 of the following Senior level solo selections:
 - (a) One selection of **drama**: a scene depicting one character of the performer’s own sex from a published play or published anthology of individual monologues
 - (b) One selection of **narrative poetry**
 - (c) One selection of **prose or lyric poetry**

JUNIOR SPEECH ARTS

SPEECH ARTS AND DRAMA SOLO - GRADED

Speech Arts Solo - Preparatory

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DJP1	Preparatory	1 or 2 selections	\$20.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 1

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DJ1A	Grade 1	List A - Poetry	\$20.00
DJ1B	Grade 1	List B - Prose	\$20.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 2

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DJ2A	Grade 2	List A - Poetry	\$20.00
DJ2B	Grade 2	List B - Prose	\$20.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 3

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DJ3A	Grade 3	List A - Poetry	\$20.00
DJ3B	Grade 3	List B - Prose	\$20.00

INTERMEDIATE SPEECH ARTS

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 4

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DI4A	Grade 4	List A - Poetry	\$25.00
DI4B	Grade 4	List B - Prose	\$25.00
DI4C	Grade 4	List C - Scenes	\$25.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 5

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DI5A	Grade 5	List A - Poetry	\$25.00
DI5B	Grade 5	List B - Prose	\$25.00
DI5C	Grade 5	List C - Scenes	\$25.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 6

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DI6A	Grade 6	List A - Poetry	\$25.00
DI6B	Grade 6	List B - Prose	\$25.00
DI6C	Grade 6	List C - Scenes	\$25.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 7

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DI7A	Grade 7	List A - 20 th and 21 st Century Poetry	\$25.00
DI7B	Grade 7	List B - Prose	\$25.00
DI7C	Grade 7	List C - Scenes	\$25.00
D74	Grade 7	List D - Shakespeare Scenes	\$25.00

SENIOR SPEECH ARTS

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 8

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DS8A	Grade 8	List A - Sonnet Sequence	\$35.00
DS8B	Grade 8	List B - Prose	\$35.00
DS8C	Grade 8	List C - Scenes	\$35.00
DS8D	Grade 8	List D - Shakespeare Scenes	\$35.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 9

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DS9A	Grade 9	List A - 19 th Century Poetry	\$35.00
DS9B	Grade 9	List B - Prose	\$35.00

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DS9C	Grade 9	List C - Scenes	\$35.00
DS9D	Grade 9	List D - Shakespeare Scenes	\$35.00

Speech Arts Solo - Grade 10

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DS10A	Grade 10	List A - Poetry	\$35.00
DS10C	Grade 10	List B - Prose	\$35.00
DS10B	Grade 10	List C - Scenes	\$35.00
DS10D	Grade 10	List D - Shakespeare Scenes	\$35.00

Speech Arts Solo - Diploma

Class Code	Grade Level	Description	Fee
DSDA	Diploma	List A - Lyric Verse	\$35.00
DSDB	Diploma	List B - Narrative Verse	\$35.00
DSDC	Diploma	List C - Prose	\$35.00
DSDD	Diploma	List D - Scenes	\$35.00
DSDE	Diploma	List E - Shakespeare Scenes	\$35.00