

日本語スピーチコンテスト2021

# JAPANESE SPEECH CONTEST 2021

**Application Deadline 6 June 2021**

**Categories** Secondary, Junior College, Tertiary, Open

**AMAZING PRIZES TO BE WON!**

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**HOW TO BE OUR SPEECH CONTEST CHAMPION**

- NOW!** ◦ Write a speech on a topic of your choice in Japanese  
by 6 June ◦ Submit your script and application  
11 June ◦ Shortlisted applicants will be notified via email  
by 20 June ◦ Submit an audio recording of your speech  
25 June ◦ Finalists will be notified via email  
3 July ◦ Rehearsal and briefing for finalists  
**11 JULY ◦ PRESENT YOUR SPEECH LIVE!**  
at The Japanese Association  
(The contest will be aired to the public via zoom)

\*As the health of all participants is of utmost concern to us, we will implement safe management measures accordingly. Changes to the program may be inevitable depending on the prevailing Covid-19 situation.

**APPLY  
NOW!**

## ELIGIBILITY & REQUIREMENTS

- Both of the applicant's parents must not be native Japanese.
- The applicant's first language or mother tongue must not be Japanese.
- The applicant must be a Singapore Citizen, PR or student pass holder.
- The applicant must not have stayed in Japan for an extended period of time (excluding stay in Japan before primary school):
  - Open category: not more than **36** months
  - All other categories: not more than **12** months
- Those who have previously won first place in any category in this contest are not eligible to enter the contest in the same category.
- Applicants under the age of 18 must obtain their parent or guardian's signed consent.

## HOW TO APPLY

- 1) Write an original script for a 4 minute (Secondary category) or 5 minute (all other categories) speech on a topic of your choice  
Name your script file "Category\_Name" (e.g. "Secondary\_Elaine Lee")
  - 2) Go to: [form.jotform.com/jasjsc/2021](https://form.jotform.com/jasjsc/2021)
  - 3) Fill in the online application form and submit your speech script **no later than 6 June**.  
**Those below 18 years old** are required to upload signed permission by a parent or guardian.  
Download the form from our website: [www.jas.org.sg/event/speechcontest/jsc.html](http://www.jas.org.sg/event/speechcontest/jsc.html)
- You cannot submit a script that has been presented in public before.
  - The Japanese Speech Contest Committee reserves the right to request amendments to any speech that is deemed to be of a sensitive nature.
  - Free tuition (subject to availability) will be provided to finalists if requested during application.
  - Finalists and winners of the Junior College, Tertiary and Open Categories may be invited to participate in Japan programmes (including homestay) subject to terms and conditions.

### **Late applications will not be accepted.**

Only applications submitted via the online form above will be accepted.  
The Committee reserves the right to reject any applicants found to have not met the eligibility and application requirements.



Please visit our website for more information.

[www.jas.org.sg/event/speechcontest/jsc.html](http://www.jas.org.sg/event/speechcontest/jsc.html)

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## ORGANISERS

