



**Welcome to  
Chinese Poetry Recital Competition  
Info Meeting**


# What's Chinese Poetry Recital?

It's a unique performing art form that's similar to theatrical monologue with classical literature.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j5O3cNlekpc&feature=youtu.be>

# Benefits for the Students



- Improve accent
  - Speak more fluently
  - Exposure to Chinese literature
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# What's a Heritage Speaker?

Anyone who has any direct family member who can speak Chinese.

# 3 Competitions in CA:

Location	Reg. Deadline	Competition Date	Target Audience	Content
San Francisco	2/17	3/2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Heritage</li><li>• Non-heritage</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Poetry</li><li>• Writing</li><li>• Translation</li><li>• Painting</li><li>• Calligraphy</li></ul>
San Diego	4/5	4/5 - MS 5/8 - Elementary	Non-heritage	Speech & Talents
Los Angeles	4/24	5/5 - Individual 5/19 - Group	Heritage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Poetry</li><li>• Literature Memorization</li><li>• Speech</li></ul>

# LA Competition Group Category - Poetry Recital

- 5-15 students, K-12
- **Registration deadline: 2/22**
- Non-refundable Fee: \$50
- Parent **MUST** volunteer
- Students **MUST** commit to all rehearsals, plus a potential critic session on a Sat late April
- Student **MUST** commit to 20min/practice, at least 4 practices/wk
- **Rehearsals:** Tuesdays 3:30-4:30@Newhart MPR, starting 2/26
- **Competition and Award Ceremony:** 5/19 (Sun) afternoon in El Monte

# How to Register for LA Group Competition:

- Pick up and Drop off Completed Registration Form with Fee at School Front Desk.
- Scan and Email Completed Registration Form to Lisa Yi <[lisayi55@gmail.com](mailto:lisayi55@gmail.com)> or Sabrina Liu <[sabrina626@gmail.com](mailto:sabrina626@gmail.com)> and venmo the registration fee.
- Registration Deadline: February 22, **THIS FRIDAY** at 1pm.

# More Information for All Competitions:

- San Diego Competition for Non-native speakers  
<https://confucius.sdsu.edu/bridge.html#cbcomp>
- San Francisco Competition - Deadline for Reg. is end of Feb  
[http://www.sfsu.edu/~ci/events/2018/2018\\_12\\_13.html](http://www.sfsu.edu/~ci/events/2018/2018_12_13.html)
- LA Competition - Deadline for Reg. 4/22  
<http://scccs.net/events/event43/SpringContest/SpringContestMain.htm>



# Fee Based Coach Recommendations:

**Peggy Chen** 818.357.3262 - 10 yr experience teaching kindergarten and children's theater in Taiwan. Experienced in training for poetry competitions.

**Michelle Yang** 949.689.1831 - VERY famous poetry trainer in Taiwan. Every one of her students got placed the first time they were trained. ALL of their students were 1st place if they are trained for the 2nd year and beyond.

**Jenny Zhang** 949.668.3039 - 20 years experience training over 2000 students each year to enter various language arts and cultural dance competitions in mainland China. Plenty of them received national awards.