

## CC - SPEECH CHOIR

### Trofeë/Trophies

TIE-2012.....	Grade R
Elize Ebden.....	Grade 1
TIE-2012.....	Grade 2
TIE-2012.....	Grade 3
TIE-2012.....	Grade 4
TIE-2012.....	Grade 5
TIE-2012.....	Grade 6
TIE-2012.....	Grade 7
TIE-2012.....	Grade 8
Excelsior Outfitters.....	Grade 9
TIE-2012.....	Grade 10
TIE-2012.....	Grade 11
TIE-2012.....	Grade 12
TIE-2012.....	Open
TIE-2012.....	Combined Section Grade R - 3
TIE-2012.....	Combined Section Grade 4 – 7

### General information

1. Participants may use their own rostra, but it must be of such a nature that participants will be able to handle it with ease.
2. The use of voice, facial expression and atmosphere will be adjudicated - not actions, decor or props.
3. One voice must not overpower the group.
4. Avoid over articulation - keep it natural.
5. Use a variety of pace, pauses, volume, emphasis and tones.
6. Interesting formation of the group is also encouraged.
7. Create a colourful sound experience by using rhythm, sounds and sound effects. No musical instruments or electronic devices may be used to create sound effects.
8. You need not adhere to the words of the chosen poem. Additions, repetition of sections, background voices, etc. may be used to add to the atmosphere.
9. As this is a speech choir (i.e. a group of people performing in unison), the instructor may conduct the choir.
10. There is no limit to the number of participants in a speech choir. The group must consist of more than 15 members.
11. Clothing does not play a role in speech choirs, as it is primarily a listening experience. Costumes are not permitted. Basic clothing, e.g. Jeans and white shirts may be worn.
12. Movement: In ordinary speech choirs, it is advisable to restrict movements to the absolute minimum, e.g. nodding heads, swaying together. Excessive movement will be penalised.
13. Time limit: **4 minutes**

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CC 13: Own choice  
**Open**  
CC 14: Own choice

**COMBINED SECTION**  
*Only open to schools with less than 300 learners, as well as  
private institutions and drama-groups.*

**Grade R - 3**  
CC 15: ..... Own choice  
**Grade 4 - 7**  
CC 16: ..... Own choice

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