



Dear Parents:

Congratulations! Your child is about to embark upon the exciting and challenging world of public speaking.

This week, your child's school will be participating in the 4-H/Tropicana Public Speaking Program. This educational program, designed to introduce fourth, fifth and sixth grade children to the concept of public speaking, is administered by your local 4-H Cooperative Extension Office and sponsored by Tropicana (PepsiCo, Inc.)

Students throughout Florida will compete in classroom and school-wide speaking contests with winners going on to a county competition.

To prepare your child for this educational opportunity, your child's teacher has been provided with a series of instructional materials introducing the 4-H/Tropicana Public Speaking Program. Throughout the week, your child will learn how to research, organize and deliver a speech topic of their choice. Your child will need your support at home...from the selection of a topic to the preparation of the final speech. Share with them your own public speaking experiences...the good and the bad!

We hope this program will further your child's confidence and that it will provide a solid foundation for his or her future educational and professional aspirations.

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