American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL)

Student Video Podcast Contest
Not Just a Language Class!

Submission Guidelines:

1. *1.* Participation is limited to students who are enrolled in a PK-16 world language class at the time of submission. ***Only one video entry per student (or group) please!***
2. Total video podcast length is not to exceed 2 minutes. On the video, please be sure to include:
    a. Your first name only (NO LAST NAMES PLEASE!)
    b. Your grade
    c. The name of your school (NO CITY OR STATES PLEASE!)
    d. The language(s) you are currently studying in school
    e. How long you have been studying the language(s)
    f. Why you chose to study the language(s)
    g. How you use what you are doing in your language class in other areas of your life
3. A signed release/consent form must be included with the submission.
    a. Students who are under 18 years of age and who attend a public or private school must return their signed release/consent forms to their world language teacher. The official release/consent form may be downloaded from: http:// (insert website)
    b. Students who are under 18 years of age and who are home-schooled must have a parent or guardian complete an online consent/release form.
    c. Students who are over 18 years of age and who are at a post-secondary institution must complete the online release/consent form.
4. The video podcast must be viewable by all audiences; "G" rating.
5. Submission process is as follows:
    a. Video entries for students in grades PK-5, 6-8, and/or 9-12 must be submitted by the world language teacher. The teacher must have the signed release/consent form for each student entry. Visit the website at http:// (insert website) for more details.
    b. Video entries for home-schooled students in grades PK-5, 6-8, and/or 9-12 must be submitted by the parent or guardian by visiting the website at http:// (insert website)
    c. Video entries for post-secondary undergraduate students over 18 years of age must be submitted by visiting the website at http:// (insert website)
6. Submissions that do not meet these guidelines will not be considered.