UNM's WORLD LANGUAGE EXPO

A WORLD OF WORDS

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2013 — 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
ORTEGA HALL, UNM campus — Admission: $2

It's the world in New Mexico! And everyone's invited! The World Language Expo brings hundreds of New Mexicans together to share their experience of the world. Past Expos have offered presentations in over 40 languages, from Afghan culture to French truffle-making, from Tahitian dance to Japanese tea ceremonies and polyglot zoos. Our Expo guarantee is that Expo participants will leave knowing a little bit more about the world they live in. Look for a preliminary Expo schedule on-line at www.unm.edu/~fll (click on Language Expo) beginning Feb. 11. It will continue to be updated until Feb. 27. Contact Marina Peters-Newell at mpnewell@unm.edu for more info.

EXPO 2013 competition guidelines

- **BEST ATTENDED SCHOOL** will receive a $100 gift certificate to the Teacher's Discovery Store! **2012 winner: Volcano Vista!**
- **TRIVIA COMPETITION:** If there is interest, we will implement a school trivia competition. Your school will need a team of 1-4 students to answer questions on languages, culture, geography, etc. Winning team will receive an Amazon gift certificate of $50. Teams must contact Marina Peters-Newell by Monday, Feb. 18 at mpnewell@unm.edu to compete. **2012 winner: St. Pius!**
- **POSTER COMPETITION***:* Anyone can enter! It must depict the theme "A World of Words" Maximum size: 24" x 30", to be submitted by 10 a.m., Saturday, March 2 (Ortega hall 3rd floor hallway). If you are a student, your name, as well as the name of the class teacher, school, e-mail and tel. no. of the teacher must be affixed to the back of the poster. All media and languages are accepted. The posters will be judged on-site. First place: $50 Amazon gift certificate, 2nd place: $25 Amazon gift certificate, and popular vote: $25 Amazon gift certificate. **2012 winner: Las Cruces HS!**
- **CHALK ART COMPETITION***:* (weather permitting) At 11 a.m., we will begin the Chalk art competition, just southeast of the duck pond. This can be done individually or as a group. Each participant/participating group will receive different colors of sidewalk chalk, and will be given 20 minutes to create a picture/graphic depicting the theme "A World of Words" The winner/winning group will receive a prize. **2012 winner: Albuquerque HS!**

A note to teachers: for proof of participation in the Expo, students will submit completed passports (= 4 stamps). Please remind students that 1 stamp = 30 min. session, so 4 stamps will require at least 2 hrs of participation, and the last session is 12 – 12:30. Students are welcome to come for just 1 specific session, but this will not result in a completed passport.
Also, as a result of the increased participation in 2012, we will be making use of larger classrooms for some of the more popular sessions, as well as increasing the number of sessions, to enable all students to participate.