

# Tulare County Office of Education

*Tim A. Hire, County Superintendent of Schools*

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## **Media Alert**

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**Tulare County Office of Education Announces:**

## **Annual Poetry & Prose begins tomorrow, continues through April 7**

**TCOE Administration Building, 6200 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia**

*Visalia* – The Annual **Poetry & Prose On Stage** program is scheduled for **March 29 - 31 and April 5 - 7** in the Tulare County Office of Education administration building located at 6200 S. Mooney Blvd. in Visalia.

This countywide oral interpretation event for students in grades K-8 provides an opportunity for participants to recite before an appreciative audience. The public is welcome to attend this free event.

This year, Tulare County schools are sending over 1,100 students from over 80 schools to the six-day event. Students prepare poems or dramatic readings and perform either individually or in small groups. A judge provides positive and instructional critiques, and evaluates each performance. Every student receives a personalized Achievement Award Certificate.

### **Poetry & Prose Schedule**

March 29: 10:15 a.m.

March 30: 9:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

March 31: 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

April 5: 9:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

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April 6: 9:00 and 10:15 a.m.

April 7: 9:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

For information on Poetry & Prose, contact Robert Herman, communications director, at (559) 733-6606.

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