

Reporting of Results

Results are provided to schools in Term 4. Results are calculated for each year level.

The school results include an overall percentage, percentage scores for different strands of the various curricula, stanine, descriptive grade, national average and school average. The school results file can be downloaded as a csv file.

Individual student reports are available for download by the school for distribution to parents/caregivers.

The report outlines a student's performance overall and for each strand compared to the national average and school average. A student's level of completion and accuracy overall and for each strand, is also included.

A certificate is provided for all participating students.

When will the competition be run?

The online competitions will be run last 3 weeks of Term 3, at a time suitable to the school.

Different classes or groups can participate in the competition at different times during this period to give schools flexibility in running the competition.



Registration and Costs

The cost per student for each competition is \$9.90 (inc. GST).

A permission slip/letter for parents and caregivers is available on our website.

The letter invites students to participate and includes a tear off entry slip to be returned to the school. The entry fee is to be collected by schools.

Schools can register online by clicking the 'Register Now!' button on the CAM website <https://www.canterbury.ac.nz/cam>

The Kiwi Spelling Bee



Introducing the Kiwi Spelling Bee



Whaia te iti kahurangi
Reach for the stars

About the competitions

The KIWI online Spelling Bee competitions for year 5-8 students.

These are no ordinary spelling bees. In addition to the usual spelling, these competitions include synonyms, antonyms, grammar and vocabulary!

The question types are multiple choice, fill in the gaps and short answer. The competitions have been designed by experienced New Zealand teachers.

There will be two competitions aimed at Year 5-6 and Year 7-8 students.

The aim of the Spelling Bee competitions is to help students improve their spelling, increase their vocabularies, learn concepts and develop correct English usage that will help them all their lives. It's about inspiring confidence and a love of language that lasts a lifetime.

Students will need their own individual headphones/ air buds to listen to the audios throughout the competition.

What the Spelling Bee is based on?

The Spelling Bee competition covers the following:

- Spelling.
- Which word is spelt incorrectly?
- Which word is closest in meaning to
- Which word has the opposite meaning to
- Fill in the gaps to make the sentences correct.
- What is the correct meaning of the following words?