

ANNOUNCING THE WINNERS OF THE CONCOURS ORAL NATIONAL 2025

Year 12

JONATHAN PEEL (Palmerston North Boys High School)

Year 13

JEREMY HABWE (Christchurch Boys' High School)

Congratulations to our two national winners, and their French teachers. We wish them all the best for their exciting adventure in New Caledonia from 23rd January to 7th February 2026!

On behalf of the Fédération des Alliances Françaises de Nouvelle-Zélande, I would like to thank all of those teachers and volunteers within the Alliance Française network who have offered their time and support to ensure that this year's Concours Oral has once again been a success.

The winning school of the \$1,200 ImmerseMe voucher for a 12-month class account for 30 students/30 licences in 2025 is Lincoln High School.

I would especially like to thank the national final's jury members Paul Soupaya Valliama (Assistant Linguistique, Embassy of France) and Florence Lyons (French Facilitator, Tui Tuia Learning Circle, University of Auckland). Thank you also to Candice Grandener for preparing the national exam papers.

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Yves-Louis Dorsemaine

President – Fédération des Alliances Françaises de Nouvelle-Zélande.

