

**Dranoff International 2 Piano Foundation  
presents**



**PIANO SLAM, Vol. 6  
Poetry Competition to include STEM**

**Big News! Your Students can be the #1 STEM Poet in M-DCPS**  
PIANO SLAM has expanded to include a brand new category in the popular competition! Now science students can compete for the  
**STEM Poetry Grand Prize**

Content for poems can be selected within the areas of:  
Matter, Motion and Machines and/or Human Impact on the Environment.  
Students must explain a scientific concept in those areas, through their experience with MUSIC, by using musical vocabulary (glossary provided)

PIANO SLAM invites M-DCPS Middle- and High School students to write poetry about the MUSIC in their lives.  
Winners receive \$100 and \$500 & perform their poetry on the stage!

**Semi-Finalists and Finalist Performance & Prizes**

**Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m.**

at Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts

John S. and James L. Knight Concert Hall

1300 Biscayne Boulevard

Miami, Florida

**Starting April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014**

**Enter PIANO SLAM at: [www.dadeschools.net](http://www.dadeschools.net)**

**Deadline for Poetry Submissions is April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014**



**Professional Development Workshop**

**Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014, 8:30am -1:30pm**

**Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts**

**Instructor: Dasha Kelly, Def Jam Poet and Coach for HBO's  
"Brave New Voices"**

**Teachers: The Dranoff knows that you are the key to students' success in the PIANO SLAM poetry writing contest and believes you should win as well.**

- **The school sending the most attendees to the PIANO SLAM workshop on February 7<sup>th</sup> will win a \$25 gift certificate for each workshop participant.**
- **Science Coaches who have the most teachers with students entering poetry into the PIANO SLAM competition will win \$50 Target gift cards.**
- **The science teacher with the most students entering poems into the PIANO SLAM competition will win \$100 Target gift card for 1 Middle School and 1 High School**

For more information please call the  
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