



MEDIA ADVISORY

Gauteng schools vying for top honours at DWS' Public Speaking Competition

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Gauteng schools will take part in the Department of Water and Sanitation's (DWS) Provincial Public Speaking Competition which seeks to find fresh and innovative solutions to challenges that face the water and sanitation sector.

The competition, which forms part of the Department's 2020 Vision Water and Sanitation Education Programme, is the main driver of community-based water literacy initiatives. The programme targets grades 10 and 11 learners to transmit the messages of water and sanitation related issues.

The programme seeks to tap on high schools around the country to encourage learners to follow careers in the water and sanitation sector, thereby inspiring them to be active and responsible citizens that will be driven by Water Literacy initiatives.

The media is invited as follows:

Date : Friday, 10 May 2019

Venue : Roodeplaat Training Centre (Pretoria)

Time : 09:00

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