Topics for Speech Contests in Chiayi City 2026

September 19

I. Junior High School Group

Topic 1：City Life or Country Life?

Speech Prompts

- What are the main differences between life in the city and life in the countryside?
- What advantages and disadvantages does each environment offer for young people?
- Which place would you prefer to live in, and why?
- How do you think your chosen environment could influence your future life and personal growth?

Topic 2：Building Healthy Friendships

Speech Prompts

- What qualities do you believe are important in a good friendship?
- How can respect, trust, and communication help people build healthy relationships?
- What challenges do young people sometimes face in making or maintaining friendships?
- What advice would you give to others about becoming a good friend and developing meaningful relationships?

II. Senior High School Group

Topic 1：My Dream Trip Abroad

Speech Prompts

- Which country would you most like to visit, and what attracts you to this destination?
- What would be the main purpose of your trip, such as learning, cultural exploration, adventure, volunteer work, or language study?
- What preparations would you make before the journey?
- What experiences, knowledge, or personal growth do you hope to gain from this trip?

Topic 2：Saving Water, Securing Taiwan’s Future

Speech Prompts

- What water-related challenges does Taiwan face today?
- How do flooding, droughts, and water shortages affect society, the economy, and the environment?
- What actions can individuals, communities, industries, or governments take to improve water management?
- What is your vision for a more sustainable and water-secure Taiwan in the future?

III. Teacher's Group

Topic 1：Toward a Bilingual Taiwan: Challenges and Opportunities

Speech Prompts

- What benefits could bilingual education bring to Taiwan's future development and international competitiveness?
- What major challenges do students, teachers, schools, families, and policymakers face in promoting bilingual education?
- What practical strategies could improve the effectiveness and sustainability of bilingual learning?
- How do you envision a successful bilingual Taiwan in the years ahead?

Topic 2：Fighting Fraud Together: The Role of Education in Building a Safer Taiwan

Speech Prompts

- Why has fraud become a serious social challenge in Taiwan?
- How do fraud and scams affect individuals, families, and society?
- What roles can education, technology, public awareness, community engagement, and government involvement play in fraud prevention?
- What practical actions can schools, universities, educators, students, communities, and governments take to build a more fraud-resistant Taiwan?

Topic 3：The Cashless Evolution: Convenience or Complexity?

Speech Prompts

- How have digital and cashless payment methods changed the way people live and do business in Taiwan?
- What are the major benefits and potential drawbacks of an increasingly cashless society?
- How do different groups, such as consumers, retailers, and older adults, experience these changes?
- What measures can Taiwan adopt to balance technological innovation, convenience, security, and accessibility for all citizens?