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Canterbury College warmly invites students from Round Square schools to join our Postcard Session exploring the world of language learning.

Students will explore how they learn foreign languages in their own school and cultural contexts, sharing the languages they study, cultural traditions they've discovered, and memorable words, script, or quirky idioms that offer insight into the communities who use them.

Students will also exchange ideas for learning beyond the classroom: connecting with native speakers online, exploring culture through food, excursions, films, or correspondence with overseas students. We want to hear what inspires and motivates language learners worldwide, as well as their challenges. This session isn't about fluency; it's about curiosity, communication, and how young people connect and build global competence.

Schools where students primarily learn English as a foreign language are equally welcome, as we hope to understand diverse perspectives on developing communication skills in global languages.

Join us as we discover that language learning is about much *more than words: it is about understanding people, cultures, and the wider world.*

Canterbury College

a Zoom Around the World with Round Square event

Title: *More Than Words: Exploring Languages, Cultures and Connections*

Date: 14 October 2026

Time: 10:30am AEST (GMT +11)

We make the start time to be 5am in Delhi, 6:30am in Bangkok, 7:30am in Beijing, Hong Kong and Perth, 8:30am in Tokyo, 9am in Alice Springs, and 12:30pm in Auckland and then 4:30pm on 13 October in Los Angeles. But please check for your own location.

Participants: 13 – 15

Register: <https://podio.com/webforms/30838039/2624107>

Pre-work: Ahead of the call our hosts ask participants to upload [HERE](#) one PowerPoint slide with a word, script-character, idiom or expression that they once found interesting, challenging, surprising, or untranslatable into their own language or context. .