

## Languages of the World Day 2025 Sessions

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Alaaf und Helau: Celebrate German Carnival!	Patricia Haberkorn
Art Speaks: Uncovering Culture Beyond Language	Nilvio Alexander Punguil Bravo
Beyond Words: Untranslatable Concepts from Five Nordic Countries	Drew Swasey, Berit Skogen, Helen Durst, Nico Borbely, Liina-Ly Roos
Chinese New Year and Zodiac Animals	Tianlu Zhang
Deciphering Japanese Characters	Maria Tsoy
Digits with Depth: Chinese Numbers and Their Cultural Significance	Yaqian Zhao
Discover Laos: A Journey Through Culture, Cuisine, and Dance	Onsee Khamphouvong
Discovering Spanish Accents: Voices of the U.S.	Kiley Specht
Durbar: Discover the Magic of Horses in Northern Nigeria!	Abubakar Muhammad
Dutch Pirate Songs	Charlotte Vanhecke
Emily in Paris, Croissants, and Clichés: What's Real About France?	Mathilde Garnier
Eré Ọ̀ṣùpá: Yoruba Moonlight Games	Tana Ajiki
Explore Indonesian Language and Dance!	Hany Noviya
Explore Yoruba Through Music and Dance	Oluwatoyin (Toyin) Olanipekun
Explore the Vibrant World of Hausa Colors!	Maryam Isa
Exploring Japanese Culture Through Paper Crafts	Mina Yoshimura, Shiori Tsutsui, Maiko Kawano
From Anime to Appetizers: Learn Hiragana and Basic Japanese	Takako Nakakubo
From Grounds to Fortune: The Art of Turkish Coffee	Emre Bozer
From А to Я: Your Journey into the Russian Script	Lidia Gault, Natalia Petrova

Greetings from the Ancient Mediterranean: Letters from Egypt, Greece, and Rome	Marissa Gurtler
Hip-Hop and Pop Music in Kazakhstan	Jacob Aehl
Hąą, Pösöh, Aaniin, Boozhoo, Shekoli! What do YOU Know About the Native American Languages of Wisconsin?	Sarah Lundquist, Yolanda Pushetonequa
Imperfect, Untamed, and Rebellious: Multilingual Cardboard Cover Books from Latin America to Palestine	Saylin Alvarez, Lisa Arnold Masri
Italian Regional Delicacies: Culture on a Plate	Jessica Dubie
Korean Traditional Games: Let's Throw Yuts!	Steven Gagnon, Jaerin Ahn
Let's Make Some Noise! Learn to Pronounce Sounds in Languages Across the World	Rebecca Shields
Low Lands or High Water? How the Dutch Live (In Part) Below Sea Level	Jolanda Vanderwal Taylor
"May a Duck Kick You!": Creativity and Cursing in the Ukrainian Language	Isabella Palange
Passport to the Basque Country	Iraide Calero Caballero
Persian New Year: Experience the Blooming of Nature and Traditions	Fatemeh Mirsharifi
Reviving Kazakh: How Q-Pop is Making the Language Cool Again!	Avery Coleman, Gulnara Glowacki
South Asian Singing and Meditation	Farooq Asif, Jampa Khedup, Laleh Ahmad
Study and Intern Abroad at UW-Madison	Anna Nordhaus, Ali Garbacz
Swahili for a Kenyan Safari Adventure	Rachel Maina
Tagalog Unveiled: Dive into Filipino Language and Culture	Richard Nicolas
Test Your Might: Language Trivia!	Kerry Uniyal, Ryan Goble, Kylie Holland
The Ghostly Tales of Zhongyuan: China's Festival of Spirits	Zhijie Wang
The Real "Eatly": Learning Italian Through Food!	Loren Eadie
Unlock the Click Sounds of Zulu Language!	Zama Nkabinde