



Dear High School Speech Coaches:

Danville High School is proud to invite you to the ***DHS Tournament of Firsts: Virtual Edition*** on November 21, 2020. This will be a NSDA Campus tournament so ALL participants (students, judges, etc) must have an account on Tabroom.com. All prepared event prelims will run asynchronously and limited prep prelims and finals for all events will run synchronously.

CATEGORIES OFFERED

We offer all high school KHSSL speech events. Please consult the latest KHSSL Handbook at www.khssl.org for rules.

ENTRIES

You may enter as many students per event as you like; the best three competitors from your team in each event will count toward team sweepstakes. Each student may enter up to three events.

JUDGES/FEES

Each IE speech entry will be \$6, with Duo Interp & Improv Duo charging \$12 with the maximum cost for competitors per school being \$100. . Any judge fees that may be incurred will be charged separately. Invoices will be adjusted at the close of registration. Schools should send a check in advance to confirm payment.

You must provide one judge for every six entries or fraction thereof; 7 entries = 2 judges, etc. Remember, Duo Interp and Improv Duo count as one entry in judges needed. You may hire judges you do not provide for \$35 apiece. Your judges should be familiar with the KHSSL rules and ballots and must be available for synchronous and asynchronous judging.

AWARDS

Trophies will be awarded to first through sixth places in all categories as well as in sweepstakes. All awards will be mailed after the tournament.

HOW TO ENTER AND COMPETE

Register online at www.tabroom.com. Deadline to register is

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13th.

We will be using NSDA Campus for synchronous competition, which is integrated with Tabroom.com. Asynchronous competition will be judged via Tabroom.com. You can refer to the KHSSL virtual best practices guide or the NSDA website to familiarize yourself with this platform.

SCHEDULE

Prepared Events (Dec, DI, Duo, HI, Info, Oratory, Poetry, Prose, POI, Storytelling)		Limited Prep Events (Broadcasting, Extemp, Impromptu, and Improv Duo)	
11/16- 4:00pm-6:00pm	Registration	11/21- 9:00 am	Round 1
11/17- 5:00pm	Deadline for all video entries (Videos uploaded past this point will be counted as drops and fees will be added)	11/21- 10:45 am	Round 2
11/18- 9:00am	Prelims will be released to judges	11/21- 12:30 pm	Round 3
11/21- 9:00am	Prelims judging deadline	11/21- 2:00 pm	Finals Posted
11/21- 2:00 pm	Finals Posted	11/21- 2:30 pm	Live final round
11/21- 2:30 pm	Live final round	11/21- 5:00 pm	Awards
11/21- 5:00 pm	Awards- Live		

Looking forward to hearing from you! Let us know if you have any questions,

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