

HATTIESBURG *Forensics*

The Hattiesburg High School Forensics department is pleased to host our inaugural Tiger Middle School Invitational on the campus of Hattiesburg High School, 301 Hutchinson Avenue, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, on Saturday, December 3, 2022. The Hattiesburg Public School District has a proud tradition of supporting Middle School Speech and Debate education and greatly values the activity. This year, in lieu of hosting our annual national high school invitational, we have opted to make a commitment to support middle school ranks in Mississippi and across the nation with this needed opportunity for live middle school competition. We believe that our middle schools are very important in the development of students who have the opportunity to matriculate to high school programs.

The tournament will offer the following events: Congressional Debate, Public Forum Debate, Dramatic Interpretation, Duo Interpretation, Extemporaneous Speaking, Humorous Interpretation, Impromptu Speaking, Informative Speaking, Original Oratory, Poetry Interpretation, Prose Interpretation, and Storytelling.

Legislation for Congressional Debate will be posted November 1.

The Public Forum resolution to be debated will be announced November 1.

The topic areas for Extemporaneous Speaking will be of domestic issues.

The theme for Storytelling is WINTER TALES.

We hope you will join us for a fun day of competition and great food! Please consider the purple and gold carpet officially rolled out and this your personal invitation.

Sincerely,

Logan Green, Hattiesburg HS NSDA Chapter President

Scott Waldrop, Tournament Host

Micah Everson, Murrah HS, Tabulations

Rachel Clapper, Madison Central HS, Tabulations

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