

## **INVITATION - 2025 JCFL Qualifier**

**JCFL District Qualifiers Dates:** Friday-Saturday, February 7-8, 2025

**JCFL District Qualifiers Location:** Jackson Preparatory School (3100 Lakeland Drive, Flowood, MS 39232)

**JCFL District Moderator:** Richard Younce (Jackson Preparatory School - [ryounce@jacksonprep.net](mailto:ryounce@jacksonprep.net))

**DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION:** 11:59 PM on Monday, February 3, 2025

Only schools that have turned in a completed, NCFL "Data Card" form may register.

Only schools that have paid the \$125 JCFL membership fee may compete.

(Send check to - Darin Maier, JCFL Treasurer, PO Box 147, Ridgeland, MS 39158)

### **EVENTS AT THE 2025 JCFL AND NCFL TOURNAMENTS:**

Lincoln Douglas Debate

Policy Debate

Public Forum Debate

Student Congress

Dramatic Performance ("DP") – must be either Dramatic Interp ("DI") **OR** Humorous Interp ("HI") from a published source that can be authenticated

Extemporaneous Speaking ("Extemp") – domestic and international topics will alternate rounds

Oral Interpretation of Literature ("OI") – must have both prose and poetry from published source(s) that can be authenticated; presentation of prose and poetry will alternate rounds

Oratorical Declamation ("Dec") – event is limited to Freshman and Sophomore students

Original Oratory ("OO") – must be composed by the speaker; the number of words quoted from other authors must not exceed 150 and extensive paraphrasing of other sources is prohibited

Duo Interpretation of Literature ("Duo") – must be from a published source that can be authenticated

### **ENTRY LIMITATIONS FOR THE 2025 JCFL DISTRICT TOURNAMENT:**

Each school may register up to 40 total entries in debate and IEs combined. Congress is NOT included in the 40-count.

Individual students may enter a total of three events, NOT including Congress.

For example, a student can do ONE debate event (all on Friday) and TWO IEs (all on Saturday morning) ... or NO Friday debate events and up to THREE Saturday IE events.

Any student may enter the Saturday afternoon Congress no matter what debate or IE events they are also entering – but the student **MUST** be registered for Congress by the Monday, February 5 deadline (NO late adds into Congress).

Up to TWO, proposed bills for JCFL Congress may be submitted to the moderator of by 11:59 PM on Friday, January 31. The JCFL Congress packet will be available sometime Sunday, February 5.

**PLEASE READ THIS INVITATION CAREFULLY AND CHECK < [www.ncfl.org](http://www.ncfl.org) > FOR THE COMPLETE RULES OF EACH EVENT. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH COACH AND COMPETITOR TO READ AND FOLLOW THE RULES1**