



## VETERANS MEMORIAL 9th TFA/NIETOC TOURNAMENT 2025

**WELCOME!** We're so excited you're here! Thank you for attending our tournament!

**A few notes:**

- Judges Check-In is in the Teaching Theatre (D132) just off the rotunda. This tournament has gotten HUGE, so *Coaches- please expect to pitch in and help judge rounds to keep our tournament running on time. Thank you to those of you who brought extra judges!*
- Computer tabulation is happening in the Black Box (F126)
- Extemp Draw is in the Library (near the cafeteria)
- Congress is held in the Choir Room (F105)
- Our beautiful campus has A LOT of windows. Please be aware of your surroundings and be respectful of the competitors in rounds when walking the campus.
- Ballots will be stuffed after rounds are complete, and the ballot box is located in the Hospitality Room upstairs. (C201-- there is elevator access.)
- A concession stand is set up in the cafeteria for your students, but many local places will also deliver with a minimum order (Jason's Deli, Pizza Hut, Dominoes, etc.), and there's always Uber Eats and Favor. Please have deliveries come to the Cimarron entrance.
- There will be some activities going on around the school- please be mindful and courteous at all times. Please don't allow students to wander around in areas we are not using for the tournament (Gyms, Band Hall, D-wing, floor pods, etc.), as well as staying out of empty classrooms.
- Please be flexible and understanding if we have some minor hiccups.
- Please be respectful of our campus and classrooms, especially with all our holiday decorations and displays.

NIETOC bids are gained at the following levels:

- 0-19 contestants = FIRST PLACE BID
- 20-34 contestants = FIRST, SECOND & THIRD PLACE BIDS
- 35-50 contestants = FINAL ROUND BIDS
- 51-70 contestants = SEMIFINAL ROUND BIDS
- 71-99 contestants = QUARTERFINAL ROUND BIDS
- 100 + contestants = OCTAFINAL ROUND BIDS



***A personal note from Laurel, Theatre Director at VMHS***

THANK YOU, thank you, thank you so much for coming! Thank you to all who have (and will) offer a helping hand to run the tournament today. If you need anything, please let me know and we'll do our best to be fair and accommodating. We hope you and your students have a GREAT day of competition! *And if you read this far, Laurel's chocolate torte is in F126!*