

Western Montana NSDA 2026 Schedule:

Friday, February 13th, 2026

1pm-2pm VIRTUAL Registration

DEBATE

4:00pm DEBATE Round 1

6:00pm DEBATE Round 2

8:00pm DEBATE Round 3

CONGRESS

5:00pm CONGRESS Session 1

SPEECH

4:00pm SPEECH Round 1

6:00pm SPEECH Round 2

8:00pm SPEECH Round 3

Saturday, February 14, 2026

DEBATE

8:00am DEBATE Round 5

10:00am DEBATE Outround 1ⁱ

12:00pm DEBATE Outround 2

2:00pm DEBATE Outround 3

4:00pm DEBATE Outround 4 (If needed)

CONGRESS

8:00am CONGRESS session 2

1:00pm CONGRESS Session 3/Finals

SPEECH

8:00am SPEECH Round 4

9:30am SPEECH Round 5ⁱⁱ

12:00pm SPEECH Semifinals

2:30pm SPEECH Finals

6:30 pm AWARDS Ceremony -- (or earlier, depending on debate)

EXTEMP	
Round 1 Draws	Domestic: 3:45pm International: 4:45pm
Round 2 Draws	Domestic: 5:45pm International: 6:45pm

NOTE: These are DRAW times

Rounds start 30 minutes after DRAW

EXTEMP	
Round 3 Draws	Domestic: 8:00am International: 9:00am
Round 4 Draws	Domestic: 10:00am International: 11:00am
Semifinal Draws	Domestic: 1:00pm International: 2:00pm
Finals Draws	Domestic: 3:00pm International: 4:00pm

Big Questions

11:00am	Registration for BQ
12:00pm	BQ Round 1
12:30pm	BQ Round 2
1:00pm	BQ Round 3
1:30pm	BQ Round 4
2:30pm	BQ Round 5
3:00pm	BQ Round 6
4:00pm	BQ Round 7

ⁱ All Debate entries with a winning record in Prelims will advance, single elimination in outrounds.

ⁱⁱ All Speech events except DX and IX will have five preliminary rounds, DX and IX will have 4.