

4th Annual
Union Forensic Society
Invitational Speech and Debate Tournament

Union High School 6636 S. Mingo Road Tulsa, OK 74133-3247 **January 22-23, 2016**
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Deadlines

Entries are due by 5:00PM Tuesday, January 19, 2016.

List of judges is due by 5:00PM Wednesday, January 20, 2016.

Entry Instructions

For Debate - Enter at <http://union.tabroom.com>

For Speech - Please fully complete the Excel workbook, school.xlsx, with your entries, save as "your school name".xlsx (example: union.xlsx), and email to jones.christian@unionps.org to enter. Before Friday, email adds and drops to jones.christian@unionps.org. On Friday, please text drops to 918-809-1163. Expect a confirmation of any add or drop. Please inquire if you do not get one the same day.

Fees

Entry fees are \$10 per CX or PF debate team, \$5 per Lincoln Douglas debater, \$6 per duet or duo, and \$3 each for all other events. Please refer to the OSSAA manual for add/drop fees and missing judge fees.

Judges

Please email your list of judges by Wednesday, January 20, 2014. High school students with more than 150 NFL points are welcome to judge novice. OSSAA requirements are: 1 judge per 2 CX entries; 1 judge per 4 LD/PF entries; 1 judge per 12 speech/acting entries. Saturday judges may count for debate and speech. For each varsity judge provided in excess of the requirements, your school will be credited \$10 on their invoice (provided that all judges actually judge rounds).

Logistics

On Friday, please enter through Union Collegiate Academy entrance on the Northeast side of the school and wait in the Grand Hall before rounds begin. Busses may park in the Northeast visitor parking lot in the front of the school. School gets out at 3:20PM, so please try to arrive before 3:00PM.

Events - Qualifying (3A, 4A, 5A, 6A)

We will offer all OSSAA events. If you have any questions about the events or rules, please refer to the OSSAA manual.

Events - Championship and Novice

We will offer all OSSAA events. In championship division, we will also offer Duo Interp, Informative, and Program of Oral Interpretation. These additional events will use the NSDA rules. Similar events may be combined within a division; and/or prelims may be combined across divisions. These decisions will be made based on the total entry. Every speech event will have 2 preliminary rounds. Novice is defined as someone in their first year of competition or has not yet reached 9th grade. Union middle school students will be allowed to compete in novice, but Union will not be eligible for a sweepstakes award.