



# WINNER'S PACKET

## STATE – 2024

Congratulations! As a State Qualifier, you have earned a place to compete in the PSIA State Academic Meet. If you competed in Class “AA”, your State Meet is on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>. If you competed in Class “A”, your State Meet is on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.

### **Location Change:**

**Texas State University, 601 University Dr, San Marcos, Texas, 78666.**

If you are an ALTERNATE, please see the section in this packet for more information.

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ENCLOSED FOR ADVANCING STUDENTS!**

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### HOW DO I ENTER?

Student entry names come directly from the District Meet to the State Meet through Academic Meet Companion as results are posted as final. Entry fees for the State Meet are \$18 per entry per event, payable to PSIA and sent to the state office (PO Box 1225, Lampasas, TX 76550). Entry fees MUST be paid prior to 7 days before the meet. Your school will notify you if these funds are required for your entries. ONE CHECK FROM YOUR SCHOOL THAT INCLUDES ALL ENTRIES IS REQUIRED. You may pay by credit card. A 2% convenience fee applies to credit card payments. The invoice for your state meet entry fees can be found on Members Plus. No certification by your school is required. Results from your District Meet serve as your entry certification. Entry fees should be collected by your campus PSIA Director. Schools and individuals with unpaid invoices will not be permitted to participate. Your school may use fundraisers or activity funds to provide the fees. Entry fees pay for you and your child's health and accident insurance while visiting the Texas State University campus, and they defray rental costs and other expenses of the tournament, including 1600+ awards and judges for several events.

### WHERE DO I REGISTER? WHERE DO THOSE FILLING POSITIONS RECEIVE THEIR NAME BADGES?

#### Contestants

Contestants do **NOT** need to register anywhere. On meet day, contestants REPORT DIRECTLY TO THEIR CONTEST ROOM for roll call. There is no check-in station for Contestants.

#### Volunteer Personnel

Each personnel schedule contains directions for your first assignment. All name badges are issued from the school's campus. A small hospitality room will be available for persons with an official badge only. Persons filling positions should be checked in with their campus representative to receive their name badges either at their campus or at the tournament BEFORE going to serve in their positions. Then each person filling a position must check in with Contest Director OR the person designated as the director for the position.

#### Contest Directors

30 minutes before your contest (at least). The TAB Room will start giving out packets at 7:15am. Contest packets may not be distributed to anyone other than the Contest Director. Contest Directors must be present for all aspects of the contest, including the contest, grading, and verification. CDs serve as graders as well.

#### Assistant Directors

Report directly to the Contest Room. There are no packets for Assistants to obtain. Assistant Directors are expected to remain present and assist for all aspects of the contest, including the contest, grading, and verification. ADs serve as graders as well.

#### Speech Judges

Report to the **TAB Room** to pick up your judging packets.

#### Important Rooms:

TAB Room – *Derrick 326*

Hospitality – *Derrick 229*

T-shirts and Other  
Promotional Items –  
*Evans Lobby*

**Graders** for Objective Contests **and Judges** for Subjective Contests (Ready and Creative Writing, On-Site Drawing)  
Report to the Grading or Judging Room on your schedule at the grading/judging time.

### **Hall Monitors**

Report to the Contest Director in the classroom if you have been assigned to a contest. Report to the Meet Director in the TAB Room if you are a general hall monitor.

### **Other Positions**

Report to the room listed on your personnel schedule for your duty.

## **WHAT IF I CANNOT COME TO STATE MEET?**

Notify PSIA Campus Coordinator OR your principal immediately if you are unable to attend the State Meet. Your Campus Coordinator and principal are the only people authorized to submit a withdrawal from the State Meet. Please submit withdrawal information by email. The format for withdrawal is District Meet (Number and Classification), Contest Name and Grade Level, Student Name, School, and City.

An example withdraw email would state:

**“From District 18A, in Dictionary Skills 4-5, Doug Ray from Ray Academy, Lampasas, has withdrawn from the State Meet.”**

Remember that no substitutions may be made at State Meet. Rather, when a regular State Qualifier withdraws from the State Meet, the alternate from the District takes his or her place. This alternate may or may not be from the same school. Schools will be notified via email when an alternate has been seated up to the week before the State Meet. Schools are encouraged to send the first alternate, if possible, in each contest. The alternate will participate in the contest only if the regular State Qualifier from the same district is absent. Contest Directors will have the list of alternates and who they may replace on their rosters.

## **WHAT IF I HAVE A CONFLICT WITH ANOTHER CONTEST?**

**CONFLICT WITH VERIFICATION:** Please have one adult from your school attend the verification or evaluation return period if your student has a conflict. Tests will be released to students, coaches or parents at the end of the verification period only at the “A” State Meet on April 27th, and awards will be presented at this time. Tests must be held for all contestants and returned to the Tab Room at the “AA” State Meet on April 13th. Materials will be mailed to the schools after the last State Meet. Removal of testing materials during the “AA” State Meet will result in disqualification. Speech evaluations are exempt from this rule.

**CONFLICT WITH SPEECH (Dual Entry):** Contestants may receive a dual entry if they are participating in a speech contest plus any other contest concurrently. Please notify the State Office of a dual entry no later than **March 29th** by sending an email to Doug with the State Meet (“A” or “AA”), name of school, name of contestant, and the contests that the Dual Entry is requested for. Failure to request the Dual Entry by the deadline will forfeit the right to Dual Entry. Be sure to include conflicts with Finals rounds of speech contests as well as Prelims. You may not request a Dual Entry on the day of the meet for either round.



## WHAT SHOULD I WEAR?

Be comfortable but remember that appearance matters in speech contests. Pictures may be taken of individuals and groups, so please notify PSIA if you or your child does not wish to be included in a photograph that may be published on the PSIA website. In Speech events, regular nice clothing should be worn. Uniforms may be worn in all other events. The PSIA State Championship 2024 T-shirt will be available for advance purchase through the order form enclosed, or in the lounge of the Science Hall at the meet. School uniforms may be worn by participants in all contests, except Speech contests. Anyone may wear a PSIA State Champion t-shirt at the State Meet.

## SCHEDULES

Schedules for both contestants and personnel will be available for printing by your school's Campus Coordinator beginning early in the week of your meet (minus any phenomenal celestial events that the PSIA Executive Director will be participating in).

## BADGING AND SECURITY

**ALL ADULTS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR THE EITHER A PERSONNEL BADGE WITH THEIR ASSIGNMENT OR AN ADULT BADGE PROVIDED BY THEIR SCHOOL.** Adults must wear an official PSIA badge to be permitted in PSIA contests rooms on campus. If you lose your badge or your campus coordinator fails to provide you with a badge, you may purchase one in the lobby of Evans (at the Promotions table). The cost will be \$1.00 cash or \$2.00 credit card. You will need to provide your identification (driver's license is fine) and school affiliation information.

## PARKING

There is no ticketing on Saturdays at Texas State University as long as you do not park in spots that are otherwise reserved. Handicapped parking—must display your handicap tag or license plate. Red Permit (faculty) and Green Permit (students) areas are fine. The closest parking to our buildings will be the Matthews Street Garage and the Pleasant Street Garage.

Please display one of our special parking permits in your windshield. This is not required by the university, but in case something happens, it will help UPD identify your car has belonging to our group.

There is also paid parking in the LBJ Student Center Garage.

## FOOD

- Commons Dining Hall – 10am to 2pm
- Harris Dining Hall – 10am to 2pm
- Jones Dining Hall – Noon to late (includes Panda, Create & Wing It)
- LBJ Student Center Chik-fil-A – 10:30am to 5:00pm
- LBJ Marketplace – 10:30am to 5:00pm
- Alkek Library Starbucks – 10:00am to 6:00pm

## HOTELS

- La Quinta Inn by Wyndham, San Marcos, 512-392-8800
- Embassy Suites by Hilton, San Marcos, 512-392-6450
- Hilton Garden Inn, San Marcos, 512-878-4411
- Hampton Inn and Suites, San Marcos
- Holiday Inn Express & Suites South, San Marcos, 512-392-6355
- Homewood Suites by Hilton, San Marcos, 512-667-7011

## MORE QUESTIONS

Contact Doug in the PSIA State Office at [doug@academicmeet.com](mailto:doug@academicmeet.com) or call at (512)797-2158. Use this cell phone to contact the TAB Room during the State Meet.



## CODE OF CONDUCT

All administrators, students, teachers, coaches, parents, and volunteers must abide by the PSIA Code of Conduct at all times when conducting PSIA business and when attending PSIA academic competition. This mandate specifically includes prompt and courteous acceptance of the decisions of contest officials and the executives and staff of PSIA. PSIA reserves the right to adjudicate, determine, and communicate all rules, all decisions, and all activities of PSIA.

Participants will —

1. Participate in contests in the spirit of fairness and sportsmanship, observing rules—both in letter and spirit;
2. Sponsor and advise individuals and teams without resorting to unethical tactics, attempting to skirt the rules, or any other unfair tactics which detract from sound educational principles;
3. Accept decisions of officials and judges without protest and extend protection and courtesy to officials;
4. Accept decisions of officials in matters not related directly to competition;
5. Regard opponents as guests or hosts while placing personal and/or team integrity above victory at any cost. Maintain grace and poise in both victory and defeat;
6. At all times, ensure that competition is relative to a more important overall educational effort, using competition as a tool in the preparation of students for good citizenship and successful adulthood.
7. Comply with all stipulated actions and deadlines, including applying, ordering, paying of invoices or fees, providing volunteers (names), attendance at district and state meet related meetings, reading and understanding contest rules prior to contest, so that all members have equal opportunity to participate and have a fulfilling experience on a level playing field.

# Private Schools Interscholastic Association 2023-2024 District and State Meet Contest & Room



## Conflict Pattern/Time Schedule One-Day, Grades 1-8 Tournament



Contestants may enter only one contest during any given block, except for dual entry between a speech contest and another contest. (E) = speak early; (L) = speak late; **Contest** = Dual with Finals

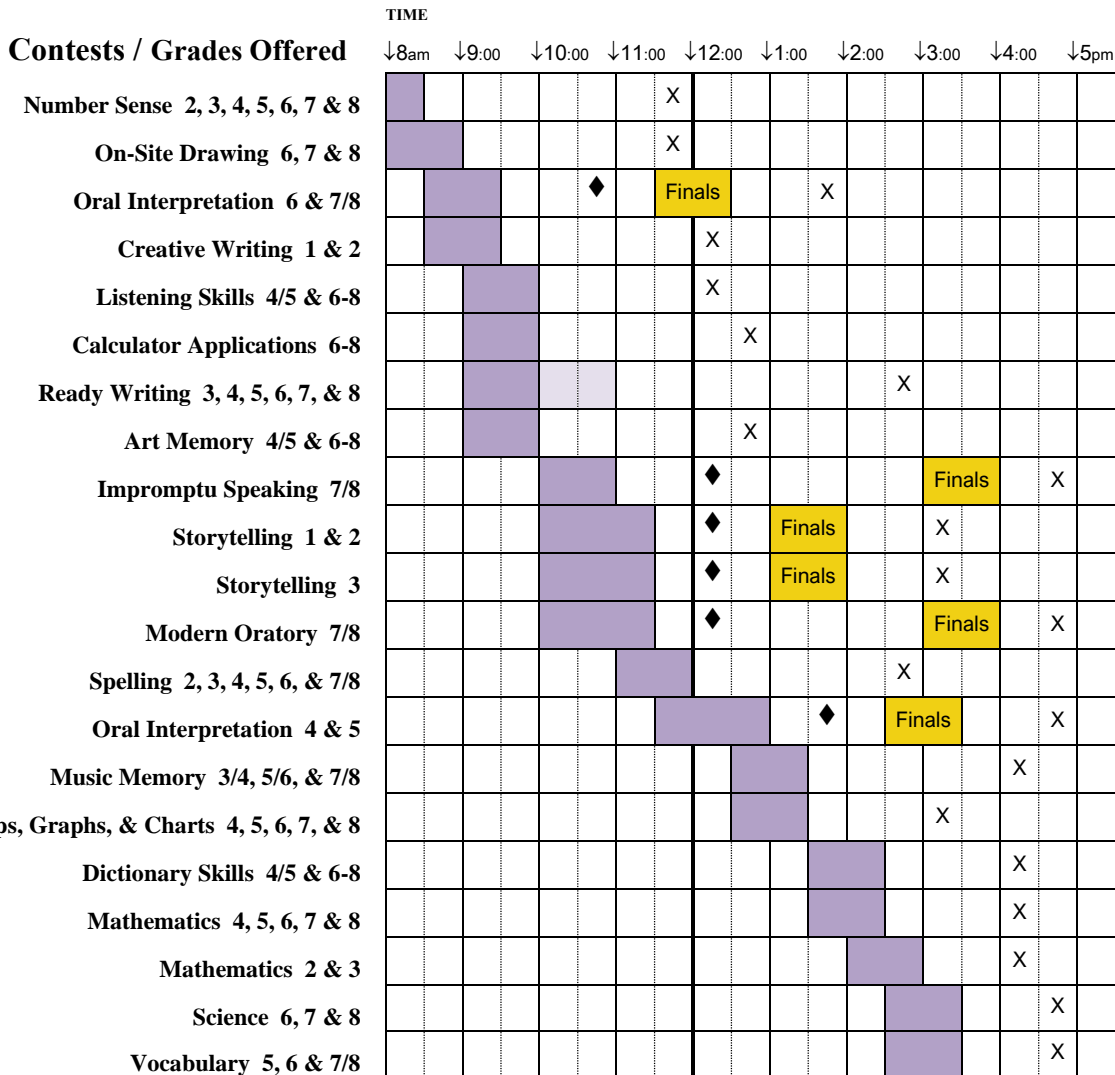
SPEECH EVENT	DUAL ENTRY
Impromptu Speaking 7/8	Modern Oratory (E/L—Prelims & <b>Finals</b> ), Spelling (E), <b>Science (L)</b> , <b>Vocabulary (L)</b>
Modern Oratory	Impromptu (E/L—Prelims & <b>Finals</b> ), Spelling (E), <b>Science (L)</b> , <b>Vocabulary (L)</b>
Oral Interpretation 4 & 5	Spelling (L), Music Memory (E), Maps (E), <b>Science 4/5</b> (pilot) (E), <b>Vocabulary (E)</b>
Oral Interpretation 6 & 7/8	On-Site (L), Listening (E), Calc'r (E); Ready Writing (E); Art Mem (E), <b>Spelling (L)</b>
Storytelling	Spelling (E), <b>Music Memory (L)</b>

**REMINDERS:** No extra time is given in any contest. **Notification of dual entry (including Finals possibilities) MUST be given to your District Director by 30 days prior to the meet / To State Director, by 14 days prior to the meet.**

**THIS SCHEDULE AND PROCEDURE MUST BE FOLLOWED AT BOTH DISTRICT & STATE MEETS.**

**Shaded Blocks** = Time Allotted for Contest, inclusive of roll call and test distribution, etc.

X = Verification or Viewing of Tests & Awards      ♦ = Evaluation Return



# Rooms with a capacity of 20 to 36 needed to conduct a full 8-school meet

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# PSIA 2024 AA State Meet Alphabetical Schedule

**TENTATIVE**

Building Codes: DERR = Derrick Hall; ELA = Evans Liberal Arts Building

## OBJECTIVE CONTESTS

EVENT	GRADE LEVELS	SECTION	TESTING TIME/ROOM	GRADING TIME/ROOM	VERIFICATION TIME/ROOM
Art Memory	4-5		9:00am -- DERR 240	10:00am -- DERR 234	12:30pm -- ELA 311
Art Memory	6-8		9:00am -- DERR 235	10:00am -- DERR 234	12:30pm -- ELA 316
Calculator Applications	6-8		9:00am -- DERR 336	10:00am -- DERR 239	12:30pm -- DERR 329
Dictionary Skills	4-5		1:30pm -- DERR 332	2:30pm -- DERR 234	4:00pm -- DERR 241
Dictionary Skills	6-8		1:30pm -- DERR 336	2:30pm -- DERR 234	4:00pm -- DERR 336
Listening Skills	4-5		9:00am -- DERR 334	10:00am -- DERR 239	12:00pm -- DERR 334
Listening Skills	6-8		9:00am -- DERR 121	10:00am -- DERR 239	12:00pm -- DERR 113
Maps, Graphs, and Charts	4		12:30pm -- DERR 334	1:30pm -- DERR 234	3:00pm -- DERR 334
Maps, Graphs, and Charts	5		12:30pm -- DERR 330	1:30pm -- DERR 234	3:00pm -- DERR 330
Maps, Graphs, and Charts	6		12:30pm -- DERR 336	1:30pm -- DERR 234	3:00pm -- DERR 331
Maps, Graphs, and Charts	7		12:30pm -- DERR 328	1:30pm -- DERR 234	3:00pm -- DERR 328
Maps, Graphs, and Charts	8		12:30pm -- DERR 332	1:30pm -- DERR 234	3:00pm -- DERR 332
Mathematics	2		2:00pm -- DERR 120	2:45pm -- DERR 234	4:00pm -- DERR 120
Mathematics	3		2:00pm -- DERR 121	2:45pm -- DERR 234	4:00pm -- DERR 121
Mathematics	4		1:30pm -- DERR 334	2:30pm -- DERR 239	4:00pm -- DERR 334
Mathematics	5		1:30pm -- DERR 330	2:30pm -- DERR 239	4:00pm -- DERR 330
Mathematics	6		1:30pm -- DERR 331	2:30pm -- DERR 239	4:00pm -- DERR 331
Mathematics	7		1:30pm -- DERR 328	2:30pm -- DERR 239	4:00pm -- DERR 328
Mathematics	8		1:30pm -- DERR 329	2:30pm -- DERR 239	4:00pm -- DERR 332
Music Memory	3-4		12:30pm -- DERR 235	1:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 331
Music Memory	5-6		12:30pm -- DERR 240	1:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 334
Music Memory	7-8		12:30pm -- DERR 325	1:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 336
Number Sense	2		8:00am -- DERR 120	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 120
Number Sense	3		8:00am -- DERR 121	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 121
Number Sense	4		8:00am -- DERR 241	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 334
Number Sense	5		8:00am -- DERR 235	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 336
Number Sense	6		8:00am -- DERR 331	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 331
Number Sense	7-8		8:00am -- DERR 329	8:30am -- DERR 234	11:30am -- DERR 329
Science	6		2:30pm -- DERR 235	3:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 235
Science	7		2:30pm -- DERR 325	3:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 325
Science	8		2:30pm -- DERR 336	3:30pm -- DERR 239	4:30pm -- DERR 332





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Spelling	2		11:00am -- DERR 235	12:00pm -- DERR 234	2:30pm -- DERR 331
Spelling	3		11:00am -- DERR 325	12:00pm -- DERR 234	2:30pm -- DERR 334
Spelling	4-5		11:00am -- DERR 240	12:00pm -- DERR 234	2:30pm -- DERR 240
Spelling	6-8		11:00am -- DERR 113	12:00pm -- DERR 239	2:30pm -- DERR 329
Vocabulary	5-8		2:30pm -- DERR 113	3:30pm -- DERR 234	4:30pm -- DERR 329



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### SUBJECTIVE & SPEECH CONTESTS

EVENT	GRADE LEVELS	SECTION	TESTING TIME/ROOM	CRITIQUE WRITING/ DRAWING TIME/ROOM	EVALUATIONS TIME/ROOM
Creative Writing	1		8:30am -- DERR 118	9:30am -- DERR 111	12:00pm -- DERR 331
Creative Writing	2		8:30am -- DERR 119	9:30am -- DERR 111	12:00pm -- DERR 331
On-site Drawing	6		8:00am -- DERR 330	9:00am -- DERR 330	11:30am -- DERR 330
On-site Drawing	7		8:00am -- DERR 328	9:00am -- DERR 328	11:30am -- DERR 328
On-site Drawing	8		8:00am -- DERR 332	9:00am -- DERR 332	11:30am -- DERR 332
Ready Writing	3-4		9:00am -- ELA 225	10:15am -- ELA 225	2:30pm -- ELA 225
Ready Writing	5-6		9:00am -- ELA 311	10:30am -- ELA 225	2:30pm -- ELA 311
Ready Writing	7-8		9:00am -- ELA 316	10:45am -- ELA 225	2:30pm -- ELA 316
Impromptu Speaking	7-8	Prelims - Section 1	10:00am -- DERR 334	10:00am -- DERR 334	12:00pm -- DERR 120
Impromptu Speaking	7-8	Prelims - Section 2	10:00am -- DERR 336	10:00am -- DERR 336	12:00pm -- DERR 120
Impromptu Speaking	7-8	Prelims - Section 3	10:00am -- DERR 331	10:00am -- DERR 331	12:00pm -- DERR 120
Impromptu Speaking	7-8	Finals	3:00pm -- DERR 118	3:00pm -- DERR 118	4:30pm -- DERR 118
Modern Oratory	7-8	Prelims - Section 1	10:00am -- DERR 118	10:00am -- DERR 118	12:00pm -- DERR 121
Modern Oratory	7-8	Prelims - Section 2	10:00am -- DERR 119	10:00am -- DERR 119	12:00pm -- DERR 121
Modern Oratory	7-8	Prelims - Section 3	10:00am -- DERR 120	10:00am -- DERR 120	12:00pm -- DERR 121
Modern Oratory	7-8	Finals	3:00pm -- DERR 120	3:00pm -- DERR 120	4:30pm -- DERR 120
Oral Interpretation	4	Prelims - Section 1	11:30am -- ELA 312	11:30am -- ELA 312	1:30pm -- ELA 283-A
Oral Interpretation	4	Prelims - Section 2	11:30am -- ELA 315	11:30am -- ELA 315	1:30pm -- ELA 283-A
Oral Interpretation	4	Prelims - Section 3	11:30am -- ELA 220	11:30am -- ELA 220	1:30pm -- ELA 283-A
Oral Interpretation	4	Finals	2:30pm -- ELA 283-A	2:30pm -- ELA 283-A	4:30pm -- ELA 283-A
Oral Interpretation	5	Prelims - Section 1	11:30am -- ELA 283-A	11:30am -- ELA 283-A	1:30pm -- ELA 229
Oral Interpretation	5	Prelims - Section 2	11:30am -- ELA 283-B	11:30am -- ELA 283-B	1:30pm -- ELA 229
Oral Interpretation	5	Prelims - Section 3	11:30am -- ELA 229	11:30am -- ELA 229	1:30pm -- ELA 229
Oral Interpretation	5	Finals	2:30pm -- ELA 229	2:30pm -- ELA 229	4:30pm -- ELA 229
Oral Interpretation	6	Prelims - Section 1	8:30am -- ELA 312	8:30am -- ELA 312	10:30am -- DERR 240
Oral Interpretation	6	Prelims - Section 2	8:30am -- ELA 315	8:30am -- ELA 315	10:30am -- DERR 240
Oral Interpretation	6	Prelims - Section 3	8:30am -- ELA 220	8:30am -- ELA 220	10:30am -- DERR 240
Oral Interpretation	6	Finals	11:30am -- DERR 118	11:30am -- DERR 118	1:30pm -- DERR 118
Oral Interpretation	7-8	Prelims - Section 1	8:30am -- ELA 283-A	8:30am -- ELA 283-A	10:30am -- DERR 241
Oral Interpretation	7-8	Prelims - Section 2	8:30am -- ELA 283-B	8:30am -- ELA 283-B	10:30am -- DERR 241
Oral Interpretation	7-8	Prelims - Section 3	8:30am -- ELA 229	8:30am -- ELA 229	10:30am -- DERR 241



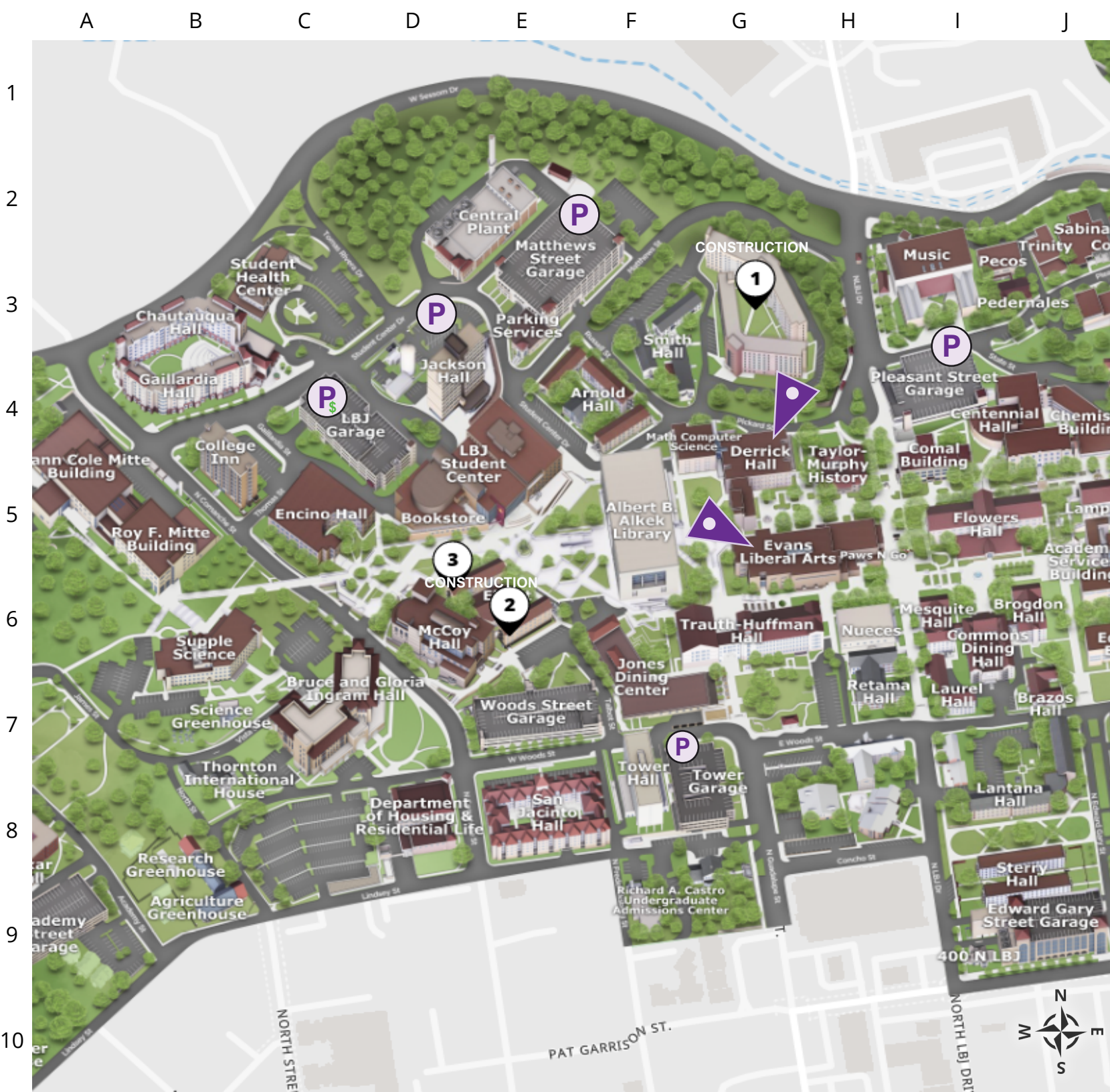
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Oral Interpretation	7-8	Finals	11:30am -- ELA 311	11:30am -- ELA 311	1:30pm -- ELA 311
Storytelling	1	Prelims - Section 1	10:00am -- ELA 283-B	10:00am -- ELA 283-B	12:00pm -- DERR 325
Storytelling	1	Prelims - Section 2	10:00am -- ELA 283-A	10:00am -- ELA 283-A	12:00pm -- DERR 325
Storytelling	1	Finals	1:00pm -- ELA 312	1:00pm -- ELA 312	3:00pm -- ELA 312
Storytelling	2	Prelims - Section 1	10:00am -- ELA 220	10:00am -- ELA 220	12:00pm -- DERR 241
Storytelling	2	Prelims - Section 2	10:00am -- ELA 229	10:00am -- ELA 229	12:00pm -- DERR 241
Storytelling	2	Finals	1:00pm -- ELA 315	1:00pm -- ELA 315	3:00pm -- ELA 315
Storytelling	3	Prelims - Section 1	10:00am -- ELA 312	10:00am -- ELA 312	12:00pm -- DERR 119
Storytelling	3	Prelims - Section 2	10:00am -- ELA 315	10:00am -- ELA 315	12:00pm -- DERR 119
Storytelling	3	Finals	1:00pm -- ELA 220	1:00pm -- ELA 220	3:00pm -- ELA 220



**STATE MEETS  
2024**

**Our Buildings:  
DERR  
Derrick Hall (G4)**

**ELA  
Evans Liberal  
Arts Building  
(G5)**

**T-shirt Sales:  
Evans Lobby**

**Food:  
LBJ Student Center  
Jones Dining Center**







# STATE MEET Parking Permit

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# PROMOTIONAL ITEMS ORDER FORM

7/23 to 6/24

School / Individual Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Attn: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

C/S/Z: \_\_\_\_\_ PO#: \_\_\_\_\_

Return to Doug via email at [doug@academicmeet.com](mailto:doug@academicmeet.com) or mail in with a check to PSIA, PO Box 1225, Lampasas, Tx, 76550

Item	Quantity	Unit Price	Total
State Championship T-shirt: (specify sizes/qtys)		\$12.00	
Youth-Medium	_____		
Youth-Large	_____		
Adult-Small	_____		
Adult-Medium	_____		
Adult-Large	_____		
Adult-XL	_____		
Adult-XXL	_____		
Stuffed Owl		\$8.00	
Coffee Mug		\$10.00	
Tumbler		\$10.00	
Flashlight Pen with Stylus		\$3.00	
Computer Screen Brush		\$2.00	
Disc Flyer		\$2.00	
Magnetic Clip (single)		\$1.50	
Magnetic Clips (4-pack)		\$5.00	
Tape Measure		\$1.50	
Dry Erase Markers (3-pack)		\$5.00	
Highlighters (4-pack)		\$4.50	
Mop Top Pen		\$3.00	
Pen – Bic Clic with White Logo		\$1.00	
Pen – Bendy Buddy		\$3.00	
Pencil – Gold Logo on Purple Barrel		\$0.50	
Mechanical Pencil		\$1.00	
Owl Erasers (set of 4)		\$2.00	
<b>SUBTOTAL:</b>			
<b>Shipping and Handling Chart:</b>		<b>SHIPPING:</b>	
For subtotal up to \$15.00		Add \$5.00	
between \$15.01 and \$50.00		Add \$7.50	
\$50.01 and up		Add \$10.00	
Priority Shipping		Add \$5.00 extra	
<b>TOTAL:</b>			

Note: Promotional Items are not taxable. All items can be purchased at the Promotional Table at the State Meet as well. You can view images of these items (except T-shirts) online in our Online Ordering System. T-shirts will be available the second week of March. We will be unable to accept orders for pick-up at State.

## ALTERNATES INFORMATION

Here are the Frequently Asked Questions alternates have about their role in the State Meet.

### HOW SOON WILL I KNOW IF I CAN COMPETE? WHO WILL NOTIFY ME?

State Qualifiers should notify their campus coordinator or principal who is responsible for notifying the PSIA State Office. The State Office will send an email promoting the Alternate to State Qualifier. Your campus coordinator will notify you if you have been promoted. If you do not receive a notification from your campus coordinator, it means that you have not been promoted.

In most contests, the 3rd place contestant at District is the only alternate and can replace the 1st place or 2nd place contestant. If there is a tie at 3rd place, all contestants involved in the tie are promoted to State Qualifier. In Creative Writing, Math 2, Math 3, and Storytelling, only the 1st place winner is a State Qualifier. The 2nd place contestant is the 1st alternate and will take the place of the State Qualifier if they withdraw. If the 1st alternate is unable to attend, the 2nd alternate (3rd place contestant from district) will be promoted.

### IF I HAVEN'T HEARD ABOUT BEING PROMOTED, SHOULD I CALL THE PSIA STATE OFFICE?

No. Please consult your campus coordinator to see if he or she was notified of your promotion. If the campus coordinator does not receive information about your promotion, it means that the regular State Qualifiers did not withdraw.

### AM I ELIGIBLE TO FILL ANY VACANT POSITION IN THE CONTEST AT STATE?

No. As the alternate from a particular district, you are only eligible to fill the vacancies from your district in your contest for which you are the alternate.

### SHOULD I ATTEND THE STATE MEET ANYWAY?

This is up to you, your parents, and your school to decide. It's not unheard of that a contestant had to drop out at the last minute; had the alternate been present, they would have been seated in the contest.

### IF I SHOW UP TO STATE, CAN I TAKE THE TEST ANYWAY?

No. Only actual State Qualifiers may take the tests or participate in the State Meet.

**Congratulations on doing so well at the District Meet. We hope that your experience was worthwhile and that you can reflect on your year with pride and pleasure.**