



GRIFFIN GROWL

Santa Fe Prep
1101 Camino de Cruz Blanca
Santa Fe, NM 87505

February 10, 2018

Dear Coaches,

Come join us for the inaugural Griffin Growl Debate and Congress tournament!

FORMAT & EVENTS

We will offer four rounds of debate in varsity and novice divisions of Public Forum, Lincoln Douglas, and Policy, power-matching the third and fourth rounds as necessary. Winners will be determined after the fourth round. Schools may register up to six entries in each debate division.

Novice entries will be those competitors who competed in 11 or fewer rounds the previous year. Divisions with fewer entries may be collapsed into one.

We are also offering two sessions of Congress concurrently with Debate rounds. Competitors may not register for both Debate and Congress.

REGISTRATION

Registration deadline is February 8th.

Register online at <https://griffingrowl.tabroom.com> starting on January 22.

\$8.00 entry fee for individuals; \$16 entry fee for PF and CX. Since there are no drop fees, no maverick entries in CX or PF. Entry fees can be paid either by cash or check made out to Santa Fe Prep, memo line Speech and Debate.

Please make every attempt to limit changes after February 8th. If any such change needs to happen, please email updates to aferber@sfprep.org or call (505) 920-2350.

Congress legislation should be emailed to aferber@sfprep.org, and deadline is February 2nd.

Sincerely,
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Schedule		
7:00 – 8:30	Check-In	Commons (Upper floor of gym)
9:00 – 12:00	Congress Session I	Auditorium
8:30 – 10:15	Debate Round I	Classrooms
10:30 – 12:15	Debate Round II	Classrooms
12:15 – 12:45	Lunch	
1:00 – 4:00	Congress Session II	Auditorium
12:45 – 2:30	Debate Round III	Classrooms
2:45 – 4:30	Debate Round IV	Classrooms
4:45	Awards	Commons Cafeteria

DRIVING/PARKING

Use main entrance to school on Camino Cruz Blanca.

Parking is open across campus. There isn't much of anything else going on on campus, so you should be free to park in any open space, and there should be plenty of room. If, for some reason, parking fills up, there is a large lot directly across the street from Prep's main entrance. Large vehicles such as buses might find this an easier place to park.

Check-In, hospitality rooms, and student lounge are all in the Commons (Gym), which is the large building on the west side of the circle drive.

FOOD

A cash concessions bar with all manner of snacks and drinks will be available in the student lounge area all day.

The coaches' and judges' hospitality room will be in the Founder's Room adjacent to check-in area. A variety of food and drink will be available here all day.

There are no eating establishments in the immediate vicinity, but in addition to concessions, we will have food trucks available before, during, and after the lunch break with a variety of food available for purchase.

WIFI

Guest access to our wireless network will be available, and passwords will be included in your registration packet. However, NSDA guidelines about computer and internet usage during rounds will be strictly enforced.

LOCATIONS

Electronic and printed campus maps will be distributed to registered teams, and there will be ample signage and student guides on the day of the tournament.

Check-In Teams and Judges	Founder's Room Lounge upper floor, Commons (Gym)
Judge and Coach Hospitality	Founder's Room upper floor, Commons (Gym)
Student Lounge	Cafeteria lower floor, Commons (Gym)
Tab Room	Network Classroom lower floor, Commons (Gym)
Awards	Cafeteria lower floor, Commons (Gym)
Congress	Auditorium Admin Building
Debate	Middle School, Upper School, and Library (lower level) Classrooms

NOTE: There will be other activities taking place in the main areas of the upper level of the library. Please do not wander up stairs, and be mindful of noise in transit to rounds taking place in the lower level of the library.