



Judging at DKC's City Championship (Feb. 27 & 28)

DEBATE-Kansas City (DKC) is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing urban Kansas City students the opportunity to become great debaters! DKC is an educational partnership that works through the University of Missouri Kansas City, five area school districts, and five charter schools to bring co-curricular debate to urban middle and high school students.

DKC City Championship Overview

The rescheduled 2010 City Championship will be held at two locations over two days:

- February 27, 2010 at Lincoln College Preparatory Academy
- February 28, 2010 at the University of Missouri Kansas City (Royall Hall)

Judging Details

Below you will find details about judging at our City Championship debate tournament. We offer judge training on-site and our students' debate in one of the two formats:

Policy Debate: Two teams square-off to debate a specific policy proposal. A general topic guides policy proposals. This year's focus is whether we should increase social services to reduce poverty in the US.

Student Congress: Students simulate the process and format of congress. They give pro & con speeches on vital issues of the day and a scorer rates each speech 1-6.

You can also receive judge training in advance at: <http://debatekc.edublogs.org/volunteers/>

Saturday Events & Times at Lincoln Prep (2111 Woodland, KCMO, 64108)

| <u>Saturday HS Policy</u> | <u>Saturday MS Policy</u> | <u>Saturday HS Congress</u> | <u>Saturday MS Congress</u> |
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| 8:00-10:00 round 1 | | 9:00-10:00 session 1 | 10:00-12:00 |
| 10:00-12:00 round 2 | 10:00-12:00 round 1 | 10:30-12:00 session 2 | 10:00-12:00 session 1 |
| 12:00-1:00 lunch | 12:00-1:00 lunch | 12:00-1:00 lunch | 12:00-1:00 lunch |
| 1:00-3:00 round 3 | 1:00-3:00 round 2 | 1:30-3:00 session 3 | 1:00-2:30 session 2 |
| 3:00-5:00 round 4 | 3:00-5:00 round 3 | 3:30-5:00 session 4 | 3:30-5:00 semi-super |

Parking: Park in the adjacent lot on Woodland. After going up steps enter the second large doorway.

Sunday Events & Times at UMKC (Royall Hall, 52nd & Rockhill)

| <u>Sunday High & Middle Policy Debate</u> | <u>Sunday High & Middle School Congress</u> |
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| 1:00-3:00 Semi-Finals HS | |
| 1:00-3:00 Finals MS | 1:00-3:00 middle school super session |
| 3:00-5:00 Finals HS | 3:00-5:00 high school super session |

Parking: Park at 52nd and Rockhill (west side) in the garage or any nearby lot. Enter Royall Hall lobby.

To Sign-Up to Judge - Email the following information to Gabe Cook at cookgabe@umkc.edu:

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Organization: _____

Type of Debate (select one): MS Policy, HS Policy, MS Congress, HS Congress or No Preference.

Time(s) (select one or more from the list above):

Do you want judge training? Yes or No