

2024-25 Competitive Events Changes

Middle School



Visit individual competitive events guidelines for specifics.

High Level Changes for the 2025 National Leadership Conference

- Clarification on competition items that are required of competitors.
- Updates to the number of devices that can be used during a preliminary and finals round. Competitors can present with up to two devices.
- External speakers are not allowed for presentations.
- Links and QR codes during presentations are for display purposes only.
- Production events will happen on-site during the National Leadership Conference.

Exploring Business Ethics

- Formerly named Business Ethics
- Team Event, Presentation
- Event not eligible for those that placed in the top ten at previous NLCs in Business Ethics

Exploring Computer Applications

- New Event
- Individual event, Production

Exploring Leadership

- Formerly named Leadership
- Individual Event, Objective Test
- Event not eligible for those that placed in the top ten at previous NLCs in Leadership

Exploring Parliamentary Procedure

- Formerly named Running an Effective Meeting
- Individual Event, Objective Test
- Event not eligible for those that placed in the top ten at previous NLCs in Running an Effective Meeting

Exploring Public Speaking

- Formerly named Elevator Speech
- Individual Event, Presentation
- Event not eligible for those that placed in the top ten at previous NLCs in Elevator Speech

Exploring Website Design

- Formerly named Multimedia & Website Development
- Team Event, Presentation
- Event not eligible for those that placed in the top ten at previous NLCs in Multimedia & Website Development