National Student Leadership Conference
Forensic Science
Washington, D.C.

Program Overview & Sample Daily Schedule

The following Program Overview & Sample Daily Schedule are designed to give you a better understanding of the activities in a typical session as well as the flow of a typical day. This is a sample schedule based upon past programs. While not all sessions are exactly the same, this is reflective of the activities that take place during the program.

Day 1
- Registration
- Campus Tours of American University
- College Credit Registration (optional)
- Opening Ceremony
- TA Group Orientation

Day 2
- Ropes Challenge Course
- Leadership Series: Personality Style & Group Dynamics
- Lecture: Crime Scene Investigation
- Forensic Skills Workshop: Fingerprinting
- Pizza Social

Day 3
- Trip: Drug Enforcement Agency
- Leadership Series: Conflict Resolution
- Workshop: Ballistics
- Crime Scene Simulation
- Trip: Washington at Night Tour
  - Lincoln Memorial
  - MLK Memorial
  - Jefferson Memorial
  - FDR Memorial
  - Vietnam & Korean War Memorials
  - Iwo Jima Memorial

Day 4
- Lecture: The Crime Laboratory
- Investigation Team Meeting
- United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
- Leadership Workshop: Ethics
- Guest Speaker
- Leadership Series: Community
- Social

Day 5
- Forensic Workshop: Skeletal Analysis
- Investigation Team Meeting
- Leadership Series: Commitment in Action
- Guest Speaker
- Documentary: Investigative Techniques

Day 6
- Trip: Capitol Hill & the Smithsonian Museum
  - U.S. Capitol
  - U.S. Supreme Court
  - Library of Congress
  - Air & Space Museum
  - American History Museum
  - Natural History Museum
  - American Art Museum
  - African American Museum
- Forensic Science Workshop: DNA Extraction
- Lecture: Forensics & the Law
- Social

Day 7
- Trip: Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Investigative Team Meeting
- Leadership Series: Commitment in Action
- Lecture: Careers in Forensic Science
- Baltimore Harbor

Day 8
- Leadership Workshop: Public Speaking
- Forensic Workshop: Blood Spatter Analysis
- Grand Jury Simulation
- Final Leadership Session
- Final Dance

Day 9
- Case Resolution
- Closing Ceremony
- Final TA Meeting
## Sample Daily Schedule

### Day 3

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