

National Student Leadership Conference

Law & Advocacy

Washington, D.C.

Program Overview & Sample Daily Schedule

While not every session is scheduled exactly the same, 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.

Program Overview

Day 1

- Registration
- Campus Tours
- Opening Ceremony
- TA Group Orientation/Trial Section Orientation

Day 2

- Leadership Challenge Course
- Leadership Series: Personality Styles & Group Dynamics
- Lecture: An Overview / The Laws of Homicide
- Trial Section: Understanding the Law
- Social: Pizza Night

Day 3

- Visit: U.S. District Attorney's Office
- Lecture: Theme of the Case
- Leadership Series: Public Speaking
- Visit Historic Georgetown
- Lecture: Federal Rules of Evidence & Evidentiary Procedure
- Trial Section
- Ice Cream Social

Day 4

- Lecture: Opening Statements
- Guest Speaker: Ethics & the Law
- Trial Section
- TA Presentation: Mock Trial 101
- Washington at Night Tour
 - Jefferson Memorial
 - FDR Memorial
 - MLK Jr Memorial
 - Lincoln Memorial
 - Vietnam War and Korean War Memorials
 - Iwo Jima Memorial

Day 5

- Lecture: Direct and Cross Examinations
- Trial Section; Witness Preparation
- Leadership Series: Negotiation
- Capitol Hill and Smithsonian Institution
 - Congressional Visits
 - Library of Congress
 - Air and Space Museum
 - National Gallery of Art
 - American History Museum
 - And many more
- Social: Movie Night

Day 6

- Visit: U.S. Supreme Court
- Guest Speaker
- Leadership Series: Intrapersonal Communication
- TA Presentation: Witness Preparation
- Trial Section: Objection Drills
- Lecture: Closing Arguments

Day 7

- Visit: International Spy Museum
- Strategy Session: Defense & Prosecution
- Leadership Series: Commitment in Action
- Guest Speaker
- Trial Section: Scrimmaging
- Social

Day 8

- Visit: Georgetown University School of Law
- TA Presentation: College Life Panel
- Final Leadership Session
- Mock Trials: US Federal Courthouse
- Barrister's Ball

Day 9

- Closing Ceremony
- Final TA Meeting
- Student Departure

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Day 3

7:30am-8:45am	Breakfast
9:00am	Board Buses
10:00am-11:30am	Visit U.S. District Attorney's Office <i>Professional Attire</i>
11:30am	Board Buses
12:15pm-1:00pm	Lunch
1:30pm-2:30pm	Lecture Series: Theme of the Case <i>Neat Attire</i>
2:45pm-4:00pm	Leadership Series: Public Speaking <i>Neat Attire</i>
4:30pm-6:30pm	Dinner in Historic Georgetown <i>Casual Attire</i>
7:00pm-8:00pm	Lecture Series: Federal Rules of Evidence & Evidentiary Procedure <i>Neat Attire</i>
8:15pm-9:00pm	Trial Section <i>Neat Attire</i>
9:15pm-10:00pm	Ice Cream Social <i>Casual Attire</i>
10:30pm	Floor Check

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