

National Student Leadership Conference

Intelligence & National Security

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
- Opening Ceremony
- College Credit Registration (*optional*)
- Reception
- TA Group Orientation

Day 2

- Ropes Challenge Course
- Workshop: Members of the National Security Council
- Simulation: National Security Council
- Lecture: History & Organization - U.S. Intelligence
- Pizza Social

Day 3

- FBI, DIA, or CIA Visit
- Guest Speaker
- Lecture: Intelligence Gathering & Analysis
- Leadership Series: Art of Negotiation
- Simulation: National Security Council

Day 4

- Trip: Arlington Cemetery OR International Spy Museum (student choice)
- Simulation: National Security Council
- Trip: Capitol Hill & the Smithsonian Museum
 - U.S. Capitol
 - U.S. Supreme Court
 - Air & Space Museum
 - American History Museum
 - Natural History Museum
 - American Art Museum
 - African American Museum

Day 5

- Trip: Pentagon Tour
- Simulation: National Security Council
- Guest Speaker
- Simulation: Departmental Meeting
- Leadership Series: Conflict Resolution
- Trip: Washington at Night Tour
 - Lincoln Memorial
 - MLK Memorial
 - Jefferson Memorial
 - FDR Memorial
 - Vietnam & Korean War Memorials

Day 6

- Final Presentations
- Closing Ceremony
- Final TA Group Meeting

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Day 5

7:30am-8:45am	Breakfast AU Terrace Dining Room
9:00am-10:00am	Lecture Series: U.S. Intelligence Community Department of Homeland Security
10:15am	Board Buses
11:00am-12:30pm	Pentagon Tour <i>Professional Attire</i>
12:45pm	Board Buses <i>*box lunch</i>
1:30pm-2:30pm	National Security Council Simulation <i>Professional Attire</i>
2:45pm-3:45pm	Guest Speaker: Secretary Jeh Johnson Department of Homeland Security <i>Professional Attire</i>
4:00pm-5:00pm	Department Meeting <i>Professional Attire</i>
5:15pm-6:15pm	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room
6:30pm-7:30pm	Leadership Session: Conflict Resolution <i>Causal Attire</i>
7:45pm	Board Buses
8:00pm-10:30pm	Washington Monuments at Night <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lincoln Memorial• MLK Memorial• Jefferson Memorial• FDR Memorial• Vietnam and Korean War Memorial <i>Casual Attire w/casual walking shoes</i>
10:45pm	Floor Check