

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

- Team Building Activity
- 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

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Sample Daily Schedule

Day 3

7:30am-8:45am	Breakfast AU Terrace Dining Room
8:30am	Board Buses
9:00am-11:00am	Federal Bureau of Investigation <i>Neat Attire</i>
11:15am	Board Buses <i>*box lunch</i>
12:15pm-1:15pm	Guest Speaker: Dr. Roger A. Mitchell, Jr. M.D. D.C. Chief Medical Examiner <i>Professional Attire</i>
1:45pm-3:15pm	Crime Scene Simulation Active Investigation <i>Neat Attire</i>
3:30pm-4:45pm	Workshop: Ballistics <i>Neat Attire</i>
5:00pm-6:00pm	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room
6:15pm-7:30pm	Leadership Session Conflict Resolution <i>Neat 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