



Coolidge Debate League at the Luddy Schools
2024-2025 Season • Tournament #2 of 4
Saturday, November 9, 2024, at Thales Academy Waxhaw

*Professional attire: slacks, or knee-length skirts, suit jacket, blouse, dress shirt,
 tie or bow tie, dress shoes, dark socks, business dresses.*

8:15 AM - 8:45 AM	Arrival <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pick up optional printed materials at the door; proceed to the gym • Check in with your coach and let them know if your partner is missing
8:45 AM - 8:50 AM	Welcome and Introduction of Seminar Speaker <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Jonathan Peele, Director of Speech & Debate, Coolidge Foundation
8:50 AM - 9:30 AM	Topic Seminar with Q&A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker to be announced
9:30 AM - 9:55 AM	Preparations and Final Adjustments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Round 1 pairings and locations posted ASAP • Judge Training Q&A opportunity (for judges only, in the judges' lounge)
10:00 AM - 10:45 AM	Debate Round 1
11:30 AM - 12:15 PM	Debate Round 2
12:15 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch <i>(beverages not provided, so bring your own drink or water bottle)</i>
1:00 PM - 1:45 PM	Debate Round 3
2:30 PM - 3:15 PM	Debate Round 4
3:15 PM - 3:45 PM	Interlude while final results are being compiled
3:45 PM - 4:00 PM	Awards Ceremony

Times are approximate--we will try our best to stay on schedule!

Parents, judges, and coaches are welcome and encouraged to attend the morning seminar.

Students should plan to be present for the full day.