

**LA CAÑADA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SCHOOL SPONSORED ACTIVITY**

TO: Superintendent
FROM: Susan Moore
DATE: October 18, 2016

Activity Name and Destination: La Costa Canyon Winter Classic Speech and Debate Tournament

Address: 850 Palomar Airport Road, Carlsbad, CA 92011

Date(s) of Activity: 12/9-12/11/2016

School(s): La Canada High School Speech and Debate Team

Number of Students Attending and Grade Level or Group: 20 students, 9-12th Grade

Supervising Certificated Employee(s): Susan Moore

How many administrators attending? 0 How many teachers attending? 1

Adult to Student Ratio: 5 to 1 Employee to Student Ratio: 2 to 1 (2 coaches)

How many substitutes? 1 How many days? 1 Charge Substitute to: Field Trip Fund

Rationale for activity:

A) Explain the educational value and relate to the instructional program or sponsoring organization and Policy 1100.

Students will be competing in a state-wide speech and debate tournament with the opportunity to qualify for the National Tournament of Champions held later in the year. Students will compete in Lincoln Douglas Debate, Public Forum Debate, Parliamentary Debate and Speech events including impromptu and extemporaneous speech.

B) Explain impact on instructional time and justification for any time lost.

Students will be missing a day of class to attend the tournament. They will make up the work they miss over the weekend during breaks in the tournament schedule. This time lost will be made up in the experience of competing in argumentation and public speaking against students from around the state performing in front of coaches from around the state as well. They will also be meeting students from competitive programs statewide as well.

C) Complete Itinerary: Please be specific and include detailed activity time periods for each day. (Attach additional page(s) if necessary.)

Students will leave by 9 am on 12/9 to begin competing in Carlsbad by 3 pm. The tournament continues on Saturday at La Costa Canyon High School all day beginning at 7 am - 8 pm. Students will compete on Sunday in final rounds for the morning and return to the high school by 3 pm Sunday, 12/11. We will be staying at the Carlsbad by the Sea at 850 Palomas Airport Road, Carlsbad. Students will be transported by district approved parent drivers and Mrs. Moore.

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COMPLETE COST BREAKDOWN

<u>Complete Cost Breakdown Per Student</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Group Cost</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Registration:	\$ paid by team	Registration	\$ 600
Housing:	\$ 50	Housing	\$ 2000
Transportation Method:	\$ 30	Transportation	\$ 600
Miscellaneous Expenses:	\$ 20	Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 400
Meals:	\$ 150	Meals	\$ 3000
Total Student Cost	\$ 250	Total Group Cost	\$ 6,600

Source of Funds:

Speech and Debate Fundraising and individual student collection of funds - the team will pay entry fees and snacks, students will pay for housing and meals.

How is financial assistance provided to students in need:

Team fundraising and the support of Boosters will make it possible for any student who wants to go to attend regardless of financial considerations.

If this activity is not planned for all your students, what learning activities will be planned for the students or classes that remain in session? Please attach lesson plans.

Lesson plans will be left for the substitute in charge of my classes. My English 2 Honors students will be working on World Religions Sacred Texts at the time of the tournament and my English 3 students will be reading Huckleberry Finn.

Approved: Principal

Approved: Superintendent or Designee

Date

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10-21-19

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