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All sessions are scheduled in Central Daylight Time.

Week June 9-12

TUESDAY, June 9

■ 10 AM
  • THEATRE. Teamwork SOS: Secrets of Success. Wendy Pratt, Curtis Ashby and Lyn Esquivel, Tuloso-Midway HS.

■ 11 AM
  • A+. UIL A+ Coordinator. Nancy Garza, Pflugerville ISD.

WEDNESDAY, June 10

■ 10 AM
  • STEM. Organization and Layout of the Calculator Applications Contest. Dr. Dave Bourell, state contest director.

■ 11 AM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS. Ready Writing Basic Approach Using Rhetoric, Reading and Writing. This session is especially appropriate for new Ready Writing coaches. Ruben Rodriguez, state contest director.

THURSDAY, June 11

■ 10 AM
  • THEATRE. Raise the Stakes: Take Your Talents to the Next Level. Daniel Gambill, Sunnyvale HS.

■ 11 AM
  • STEM. Number Sense- A Mental Math Contest. Larry White, state contest director.

■ 2 PM
  • SPEECH. Intro to Prose/Poetry. Daniel Gambill, Sunnyvale HS.

FRIDAY, June 12

■ 11 AM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS. Using Current Events in the Classroom. Dr. Bradley Wilson, state contest director.

■ 3 PM
  • THEATRE. Theatrical Design: Set Design. Rachael Gomez, state contest director.
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Week June 15-19

MONDAY, June 15

■ 2 PM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS. Introduction to the Social Studies Contest. Andy Bates, state contest director.

■ 3 PM
  • THEATRE. Theatrical Design: Costume. Rachael Gomez, state contest director.

WEDNESDAY, June 17

■ 3 PM
  • STEM. Science Overview. Dr. Brian Anderson, Dr. David Bixler and Dr. Michelle McGehee, state contest directors.

■ 4 PM
  • A+. A+ Math and A+ Number Sense. Andy Zapata, consultant.

THURSDAY, June 18

■ 1 PM
  • STEM. Science- Physics Deep Dive. Dr. David Bixler, state contest director.

■ 2 PM
  • GENERAL ACADEMIC. In-Depth with Social Studies. Andrew Bates, state contest director.

■ 3 PM
  • THEATRE. Film-Narrative. Marco Gonzales, Laredo Nixon HS.

FRIDAY, June 19

■ 4 PM
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Week June 22-26

MONDAY, June 22

11 AM

- STEM. Mathematics - A Curriculum Driven Contest. Larry White, state contest director.

TUESDAY, June 23

11 AM

- STEM. Calculator- Scaling Problems. Dr. Dave Bourell, state contest director.

3 PM

- SPEECH. Coaching HS Oral Interpretation. M'Liss Hindman, state contest director & TJC students.

WEDNESDAY, June 24

1 PM


2 PM

- STEM. Science-Chemistry Deep Dive. Dr. Brian Anderson, state contest director.

3 PM

- THEATRE. OAP Finding Your Voice as a Director. Ramina Mirmortazavi, Hebron HS.

THURSDAY, June 25

2 PM

- SPEECH. Intro to Informative/Persuasive Speaking. Tasha Jones, Tuloso-Midway HS.

3 PM

- THEATRE. OAP: Safely Staging Theatrical Intimacy. Ramina Mirmortazavi, Hebron HS.

FRIDAY, June 26

11 AM

- GENERAL ACADEMICS. Preparing the Essay Portion of the CIE and Social Studies Contest. Andrew Bates and Bradley Wilson, state contest directors.

1 PM

- SPEECH. A Whole New World- Virtual Tournaments. Jana Riggins and panelists.
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### Week June 29-July 3

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<td>• <strong>THEATRE. Putting Words to Action: Verb Work for the Actor.</strong> Melissa Freeman, Keller HS.</td>
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<td>• <strong>A+. How to Write a Winning Paper for the UIL Essay Competitions.</strong> Lisa Parker, director of A+ &amp; essays.</td>
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<td>• <strong>SPEECH. Intro to Policy Debate.</strong> Nicole Cornish, Athens ISD.</td>
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**Week July 6-10**

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<td>• THEATRE. Sponsor Excellence Award Winners Share Strategies to OAP Success. Tana Howard, Sands HS &amp; Jacki Maenius, Mason HS.</td>
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<td>• STEM. Introduction to the Computer Science Contest – Tips &amp; Coaching Strategies. Delta McFarland, Needville HS &amp; Terry Morris, Little Cypress-Mauriceville HS.</td>
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<td>• GENERAL ACADEMICS. Accounting Coaching Strategies. Susan Mathews, retired.</td>
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<td>• A+. Art. Lisa Parker, director of A+ and essays.</td>
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<td>• COORDINATOR/COACH. Coordinator's Necessary Steps for Your Team's Success. Nicole Cornish, Athens ISD.</td>
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<td>• SPEECH. Intro to LD Debate. Sandra Peek, West Hardin HS.</td>
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### MONDAY, July 13

- **11 AM**
  
  - **GENERAL ACADEMICS.** *Computer Applications: Getting Started.* Linda Tarrant, state contest director and Beth Mader.

### TUESDAY, July 14

- **2 PM**
  
  - **COORDINATOR/COACH.** *Running a High School District Meet.* Kimberly Sloane, Chireno ISD.

- **TBA**
  
  - **STEM.** *Robotics-BEST.* Andrew Haub, Hutto HS.

### WEDNESDAY, July 15

- **TBA**
  
  - **STEM.** *Robotics - FIRST TBA.* Presenter.

- **11 AM**
  
  - **GENERAL ACADEMICS.** *Accounting for Uncollectible Accounts.* LaVerne Funderburk, state contest director.

- **2 PM**
  
  - **GENERAL ACADEMICS.** *Literary Criticism for New Coaches.* Mark Bernier, state contest director.

### THURSDAY, July 16

- **11 AM**
  
  - **A+.** *Music Memory.* Phyllis Thomas, consultant.

- **1 PM**
  
  - **GENERAL ACADEMICS.** *Spelling and Vocabulary Strategies: Becoming a Spellebrity.* Linda Berry, state contest director.

### FRIDAY, July 17

- **11 AM**
  
  - **JOURNALISM.** *Building a team and a tool box of resources for the journalism contest.* Jeanne Acton, state contest director.

- **1 PM**
  
  - **THEATRE.** *Film- Animation.* Karen Adams, Allen HS.

- **3 PM**
  
  - **THEATRE.** *Theatrical Design: Marketing.* Rachael Gomez, state contest director.
MONDAY, July 20

■ 11 AM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS. Computer Applications: Intermediate Skills and Beyond. Linda Tarrant, state contest director and Beth Mader.

■ 2 PM
  • COORDINATOR/COACH. Academic Coordinator: Planning and Organizing for a Great Year. Dr. David Stevens, director of academics.

■ 10 AM
  • STEM. Computer Science – Getting Your Certification With WeTeach_CS. John Owen, WeTeach_CS.

TUESDAY, July 21

■ TBA
  • A+. E/JH Speaking Events. Michael Mattis.

■ TBA
  • STEM. Robotics- FIRST.

■ 11 AM
  • SPEECH. Coaching Strategies Extemporaneous Speaking. Kristi Hodgkiss, North Lamar HS.

WEDNESDAY, July 22

■ 11 AM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS.. Accounting for Accruals and Deferrals. LaVerne Funderburk, state contest director.

■ 2 PM
  • SPEECH. Congress 101. Rhonda Smith, retired, Plano West HS.

THURSDAY, July 23

■ 2 PM
  • SPEECH. Choosing, Writing, Defending Legislation. Ryan Lovell, Tascosa HS.

■ 2 PM
  • GENERAL ACADEMICS. Literary Criticism Poetry Explication. Mark Bernier, state contest director.

FRIDAY, July 24

■ 3 PM
  • THEATRE. Theatrical Design Contest Q&A. Rachael Gomez, state contest director.
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**Week July 27-31**

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<td>THEATRE. OAP Updates and Rules and Q&amp;A. Paula Rodriguez, state theatre director.</td>
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