

## 2023 Mock Trial Schedule/Information

Friday, February 24, 2023

7:00 a.m.- courthouse doors will be unlocked by Homeland Security and you can get through the scanners. HOWEVER, the CJR won't be open until 8:00 a.m.  
-Each student will have to go through security. If after 8:00 a.m., take students directly to the **Central Jury Room (CJR)**. If prior to 8:00, find a safe place to congregate in the building and begin preparation for the first trial round  
\*Teachers - check in with coordinator at the front of the CJR when all team members are present

8:00 a.m. - **Central Jury room** will open. (Prior to 8:00 a.m., you can congregate in the hallways. There is plenty of space on the lower level also)

8:45 a.m. - assignment of courtrooms for Rounds 1 & 2 - dispersing to courtrooms for trial rounds 1 & 2

9:00 a.m. - Trial Round 1

\*After Round 1 you do not have to return to the CJR since you will already have received your assignment for Round 2. You are welcome to come back to the CJR to regroup and refresh if needed. IF your Round 2 courtroom is still being used when you arrive, wait in the outside hallway, not in the courtroom.

10:30 - :45 a.m. - Trial Round 2

Lunch - students cannot eat food in the Central Jury room. Lunches will be eaten in the first floor hallways, tables set up if available, and in the basement hallway behind the escalators.

12:45 - Return to CJR for assignment

1:00 p.m. - Trial Round 3

2:45 p.m.(ish) - Awarding of CCBA Medals to all but 4 teams;  
Announcement of Top 4 Teams advancing to Saturday's rounds  
(This will be done after all trials are completed, and tabulations are concluded).

Saturday, February 25, 2023

8:00 a.m. - courthouse doors will open - take students to Central Jury Room

9:00 a.m. - Semi Final Round trials begin (2 trials); we will stay on the 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, using the 199<sup>th</sup>, 429<sup>th</sup>; and Ceremonial Courtroom.

Final Round will start about 15 minutes after all scores are received from the semi final

round - Ceremonial Courtroom on First Floor ( 1 trial)

Trophy Presentation in **Ceremonial Courtroom** as soon as trial is completed and Judging scoresheets have been tabulated

\*\*Courthouse is located at 2100 Bloomdale Road, McKinney, TX 75071. Take the Bloomdale Road exit if coming from the South

\*Other than the 9:00 a.m. time settings, there are variables regarding the trials that are out of my control. The start times thereafter are dependant on all teams finishing timely, judges score sheets being turned in, and all teams being present. We will do our best to keep on this time line.

\*Friday - Please inform your BUSES to park out away from the building once the kids are dropped off. They can park in the parking lots, but out near Bloomdale Road, away from the building.

## **COURTROOM LOCATIONS:**

### 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR - SAME LEVEL AS CJR

County Court at Law #'s 1, 3

District Court #'s 199<sup>th</sup>, 429<sup>th</sup> , Ceremonial Courtroom for Saturday

### 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR

District Court #'s 416<sup>th</sup>;

### 3<sup>rd</sup> FLOOR

District Court #'s - 380<sup>th</sup>, 401<sup>st</sup>, 417<sup>th</sup> , 469<sup>th</sup>

Courthouse Café' is down the escalator near the CJR and to the right (basement level)