

ALL SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS/APs/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS: Social Sciences- Senior High School  
2018-19 Mock Trial Competition

*Category: For Your Information*

**Audience:** Principals/APs (Senior High), All Teachers

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

**Attachment(s):** [M-DCPS\\_Rules\\_Mock\\_Trial\\_2018-19.pdf](#)

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To announce the 2018-2019 District Senior High School Mock Trial Competition being held on February 21, and 22, 2019.

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- The Division of Academics, Department of Social Sciences' District Senior High School Mock Trial Competition will take place on February 21, and 22, 2019, at the James L. Knight Center, 400 SE Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33131.
- Please note the following important competition and registration information:
  - Schools may only register one team for the competition.
  - The Senior High School Mock Trial case will soon be released by the Florida Law Related Education Association (FLREA), please visit their website, [www.flrea.org](http://www.flrea.org), click on "Programs, Mock Trial," and see the "2019 Mock Trial Case Packet" link. Please note: Once the case is released by the FLREA; we will email it to those registered teams
  - **The District competition is completely governed by the state rules with some modifications, the updated rules are attached to this briefing.**
  - The District competition will NOT use power matching to conduct rounds as described in the state rules.
  - The District competition will still use a student bailiff/time keeper from each school to assist with the logistics of running the competition. Failure to bring a bailiff/time keeper will result in not being able to participate.
  - To assist in covering the costs associated with holding the District Competition, registration fees are as follows:
    - Public and Charter schools - \$150.00 registration fee; and
    - Private schools - \$350.00 registration fee.
  - Details of how to submit payment will be sent directly to team sponsors once the registration process has been completed.
  - Substitute coverage will be provided to all non-charter public schools for one teacher/sponsor from each participating school for both days of the competition.
  - **Transportation will not be provided.**
- All Senior High School mock trial sponsors MUST complete the following online form to register by **Wednesday, December 5, 2018**: <http://socialsciences.dadeschools.net/forms/mock-trial-hs-participation-form.asp>.
- **NOTE: Teams MUST register for the District competition by submitting the online form. Schools are NOT to complete the registration form found on the FLREA's website. If schools complete the registration process through the FLREA's website and do not complete the M-DCPS' registration form, the school is considered NOT registered for the District competition.**
- If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ms. Jackie Viana, District Supervisor, Division of Academics, Department of Social Sciences, [jviana@dadeschools.net](mailto:jviana@dadeschools.net) or at the number listed below.

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