

Date: September 10, 2010
To: Speech Arts Judges
From: Julie Hammons, Assistant Director
Re: Testing and Re-certification Procedures

We appreciate your assistance as a speech arts judge and hope you will continue to be involved by re-certifying this year. The procedure for re-certification will be the same as last year. We are once again holding an on-line, statewide rules clinics this year. Our hope is that the online clinics make it much easier for our speech arts coaches and judges to get certified.

Speech Arts Judges' Certification

1. Age: All speech arts judges shall have been graduated from high school for at least twenty months.
2. Certification: Judges shall:
 - a. Fill out a registration form.
 - b. Participate in the **online, statewide certification clinic** (see next page for details).
 - c. Pay a required fee (\$8.00) to the Idaho High School Activities Assn. *Head coaches do not need to pay.*
 - d. Score 80% on a written test *every year*.

At the conclusion of the online clinic, you will receive a password that will allow you to access the test on the IHSAA website (www.idhsaa.org). You will need to print the test and mark your answers directly on the test – NO SCANTRONS THIS YEAR. Send it to THE IHSAA along with your registration form and payment (*head coaches do not need to pay*) no later than two weeks prior to state tournament.

Incomplete materials will not be processed. No materials will be accepted after the deadline (two weeks prior to the state tournament). NON-CERTIFIED JUDGES WILL NOT BE PAID BY THE IHSAA AT STATE TOURNAMENTS.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact the IHSAA or your local school coach.

Thank you again for your support of speech arts in Idaho.

SPEECH ARTS STATEWIDE RULES CLINIC
MONDAY OCTOBER 18, 2010

DRAMA 6:30 PM DEBATE 7:15 PM SPEECH 8:00 PM

(all times are Mountain Standard)

PROCEDURES:

1. To register for your IdahoLive session,
 1. Go to <https://sites.google.com/a/idla.k12.id.us/idlive/register-here-for-idaholive-webinars>.
 2. Find the title of the appropriate webinar on the schedule.
 3. Click on “Register for Webinar” and follow the instructions.

Participation in this webinar requires a computer with internet access as well as a headset or speakers. To be able to speak with the presenter, you will also need a microphone. A headset and microphone is ideal, however one can participate without having a microphone.

Please take a moment prior to the meeting to run the setup wizard (<http://67.202.210.70/wizard/launcher.cgi?wc=wms>) to ensure compatibility between your machine and the meeting room. Logging in as a participant, you will not need a password. If you have any issues and/or questions feel free to e-mail idaholive@idla.k12.id.us or call 1-800-927-8158.

2. Follow clinic, ask questions, participate, etc...
3. Write down the password given at the conclusion of the clinic
4. Log on to www.idhsaa.org
5. Click on “Speech Arts” from the left-hand side of the home page
6. Click on “Judges Clinics”
7. Find the appropriate test and enter the password.
8. Download/PRINT the test and complete on the test itself – no scantrons this year.
9. Print a registration form and fill out
10. Send registration form, completed test, and \$8.00 to the IHSAA: 8011 Ustick Rd., Boise, ID 83704.