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Top 100 Schools in the NSDA Honor Society

West Des Moines, IA (October 22, 2025) — The National Speech & Debate Association (NSDA) is proud to recognize the Top 100 Schools from the 2024-2025 school year!

Every year, from more than 4,000 schools across the country, we recognize the Top 100 Schools with the largest number of new degrees in the NSDA Honor Society.

Members earn degrees in the Honor Society by participating in competitive speech and debate events, community service, leadership roles, volunteering, and more. Earning points and degrees in the Honor Society helps students showcase their talents, skills, and dedication to speech and debate.

“Speech and debate is a critical activity that underpins all educational goals,” said J. Scott Wunn, Executive Director of the National Speech & Debate Association. “We are proud to recognize these schools for their dedication to speech and debate in their schools and communities.”

Congratulations to the 2024-2025 Top 100 Schools!

(Listed in rank order from 1 to 100—school, state, and strength. A school’s total strength combines the top three active, paid coach degrees plus all the active, paid student degrees.)

School Name	State	Strength
The Bronx High School Of Science	NY	1,162
Regis High School	NY	937
Millard North High School	NE	845

Shawnee Mission East High School	KS	827
Leland High School	CA	789
George Washington High School	CO	779
Flower Mound High School	TX	778
Eagan High School	MN	746
Eastview High School	MN	732
Gabrielino High School	CA	720
Lexington High School	MA	700
Cherry Creek High School	CO	669
Bellarmino College Prep	CA	663
North Allegheny High School	PA	647
Washburn Rural High School	KS	635
Aberdeen Central High School	SD	627
Archbishop Mitty High School	CA	625
Ransom Everglades School	FL	623
Lincoln East High School	NE	607
Seven Lakes High School	TX	606
Pembroke Hill School	MO	602
Palo Alto High School	CA	600
American Heritage School - Broward	FL	592
Ridge High School	NJ	575
Lawrence Free State High School	KS	566
Westwood High School	TX	563
Edina High School	MN	553
James Logan High School	CA	549
Newton South High School	MA	547
Strake Jesuit College Preparatory	TX	535
Jefferson City High School	MO	531
Jenks High School	OK	522
Blue Springs High School	MO	510
Marist School	GA	507
Cabot High School	AR	503
Highland High School	ID	501
BASIS Peoria	AZ	493
Lake Highland Preparatory School	FL	492
Cheyenne East High School	WY	481
Blue Springs South High School	MO	478
Plano East Senior High School	TX	476
East Ridge High School	MN	468
Liberty North High School	MO	468
Lee's Summit North	MO	459
Stephen F. Austin High School	TX	457
CR North High School	PA	455

Central High School	MO	454
Cary Academy	NC	453
Denver East High School	CO	448
Riverside High School	SC	445
Munster High School	IN	444
Upper St. Clair High School	PA	444
Arizona College Prep High School	AZ	443
Greenhill School	TX	441
Shrewsbury High School	MA	436
Interlake High School	WA	427
Dublin Jerome High School	OH	423
Perry High School	OH	420
Rock Bridge High School	MO	416
Hinsdale Central High School	IL	414
Lakeville North High School	MN	410
Syosset High School	NY	407
Coppell High School	TX	404
Colegio Bilingue New Horizons	FL	402
Lincoln Southwest High School	NE	400
Willard High School	MO	398
Taipei American School	TW	397
Jordan High School	TX	395
The Harker School	CA	393
Flintridge Preparatory School	CA	391
Lee's Summit West High School	MO	390
Pittsburg High School	KS	389
Bozeman High School	MT	388
Roosevelt High School	SD	386
Hawken School	OH	383
Liberty High School	MO	382
Flathead High School	MT	378
Eden Prairie High School	MN	377
The Potomac School	VA	377
Monta Vista High School	CA	375
Bolivar High School	MO	375
Glacier High School	MT	374
Pennsbury High School	PA	371
Los Altos High School	CA	370
Penn High School	IN	370
Topeka High School	KS	370
Summit High School	NJ	370
Monte Vista High School	CA	366
Neosho High School	MO	366

Blackfoot High School	ID	364
Apple Valley High School	MN	362
The Quarry Lane School	CA	360
West Fargo Horace High School	ND	357
College Prep	CA	354
Notre Dame Preparatory School	MI	352
American Heritage Schools, Palm Beach Campus	FL	351
Alhambra High School	CA	346
Moorhead High School	MN	346
Rigby High School	ID	345
Rockhurst High School	MO	344
Solon High School	OH	344

Learn more about the ways we recognize students, coaches, and schools in the [NSDA Honor Society](#).

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The National Speech & Debate Association is the authority on public speaking and debate in the United States. The Association builds the infrastructure for speech and debate competitions around the world by providing topics, educational resources, and training for students and coaches. For 100 years, the National Speech & Debate Association has built a platform for youth voices that culminates in the National Tournament, the largest academic competition in the world. For more information, visit www.speechanddebate.org.