NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ETHICS BOWL

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NHSEB 2024: THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

THE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ETHICS BOWL BRINGS HUNDREDS TO CAROLINA TO DISCUSS MORAL AND POLITICAL ISSUES

15 March 2024 - CHAPEL HILL, NC - The eleventh annual National High School Ethics Bowl, hosted by the UNC Parr Center for Ethics, will bring together 24 schools from all across the United States for a weekend of intensive ethical discussion at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, April 12-14. The National High School Ethics Bowl, inspires and challenges high school students across the country to develop their ethical reasoning skills and engage in productive dialogue about complex ethical issues.

2023-2024 has been NHSEB's most impactful season to date, with over 4,000 students from nearly 400 schools vying across the country in (44) Regional and (4) Divisional Competitions for a coveted seat at NHSEB's National Championship. These students are spread geographically across 34 states and demographically hail from all walks of life, but are doing the hard work of thinking, talking, and working together on tough moral issues that define our times.

The three-day National Championship event this Spring will see students exercise their critical thinking skills, provide each other with constructive criticism, and strengthen core democratic virtues in conversation about 15 case studies developed by the Parr Center. This year's Championship **cases** will address questions about the ethics of zoos, space burials, online dating, and more.

Schools participating in the 2024 NHSEB National Championship include:

Bartram Trail High School (FL) BASIS Flagstaff (AZ) Campbell High School (GA) Choate Rosemary Hall (CT) DeLaSalle High School (MN) Dorman High School (SC) East Chapel Hill High School (NC) Franklin Academy (NY) Harvard-Westlake School (CA) Hickman High School (MO) Jesuit High School (OR) Kent Place School (NJ) Marcus High School (TX) Medford High School (MA) Peak to Peak Charter School (CO) Pleasant Valley High School (IA) Princeton High School (NJ) Regis HIgh School (NY) Saline High School (MI) St. Ignatius School (IL) St. Xavier High School (OH) The Collegiate School (VA) Tompkins High School (TX) University School of Nashville (TN)

For more information about the 2024 National High School Ethics Bowl, please visit our website at **nhseb.org/championship**.



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ABOUT NHSEB

The National High School Ethics Bowl (NHSEB) promotes respectful, supportive, and rigorous discussion of ethics among thousands of high school students nationwide. An Ethics Bowl differs from a debate competition in that students are not assigned opposing views; rather, they defend whichever position they think is correct, provide each other with constructive criticism, and win by demonstrating that they have thought rigorously and systematically about the cases and have engaged respectfully and supportively with all participants. Data from NHSEB surveys shows that this event teaches and promotes ethical awareness, critical thinking, civil discourse, civic engagement, and an appreciation for multiple points of view. NHSEB's goal is to do more than teach students how to think through ethical issues: It is to teach students how to think through ethical issues *together*, as fellow citizens in a complex moral and political community. For more information, visit **nhseb.org**

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