

FORENSICS EVENTS

INTERPRETATION

Prose – 5-8 minute performance of a selection from a short story, essay, or novel.

Poetry – 5-8 minute performance of a poem or collection of poems.

Storytelling – 5-8 minute performance of children's literature including fairytales and stories.

Dramatic Interp – 5-8 minute performance of a play script including 1-3 characters.

Duo Interp – 7-10 minute performance from a play script where two students act out a scene.

Multiple Interp – 10-15 minute performance of a play, novel, poetry, or short story with 3-8 people.

PUBLIC ADDRESS

Informative – 5-8 minute prepared speech to inform the audience on a specific topic. Visual aids are commonly used.

Sales – 5-8 minute persuasive prepared speech to sell a product or service. Visual aids commonly used and encouraged.

Oratory – 8-10 minute prepared speech to motivate or convince the audience on an issue or problem.

Impromptu – 4-7 minute. Students are given an editorial and a maximum of 7 minutes to read it, prepare, and deliver a speech.

Extemp – 5-8 minute. Student is given a question in which they have 30 minutes and their own files to prepare a 5-8 minute speech answering the question.

Broadcasting – 5 minutes. Students are given newscopy and 30 minutes to prepare a 5-minute news broadcast that includes international, national, and state news with a 1-minute student written editorial.