

MIAMI-DADE URBAN DEBATE LEAGUE

DECEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER



MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE KENDALL TOURNAMENT 4

We are thrilled to announce and formally invite you to the Miami-Dade College Kendall Policy Debate Tournament

This tournament will be held on December 14, 2024, at Miami-Dade College Kendall 1011 SW 104th St, Miami, FL 33176

All coaches, students, and judges are required to arrive no later than 7:30 AM. We look forward to seeing you there!





TOURNAMENT 3 RECAP





Middle School Winners

Owl Debate!

High School Winners

Hialeah Miami Lakes Senior High School

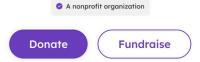




GIVE MIAMI DAY



Miami Dade Urban Debate League, Inc.



On November 21st, the Miami-Dade Urban Debate League participated in Give Miami Day, an annual event sponsored by The Miami Foundation that spurs giving from the community to Miami nonprofit organizations.

As part of the event, the League was able to raise \$9,160.00 to empower Miami-Dade's young debaters. Of particular note were donations from Miami Law Firm, Holland & Knight LLP, who donated \$5,000, the Miami World Center, which donated \$2,000, and even \$1,000 from board member Dale Reed. It also included numerous donations in smaller amounts, which fuels opportunities that build brighter futures

We are deeply grateful for the support and hope to participate again in Give Miami Day 2025!





DECEMBER LEAGUE WIDE PRACTICE

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December League Wide Practice

Date: December 10, 2024

Time: 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Register on our website under
League Resources Page.
Registration closes December 8, 2024





STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

This year, our league will reward three high school and three middle school students a small scholarship (amounts displayed below), based on their individual performance as a speaker throughout the season. Each students' individual speaker points will be tallied from the first to the last tournament. This scholarship is aimed to encourage participation, public speaking excellence, sportsmanship, and dedication to their craft. Please remind students that missing tournaments will impact their ability to rank, and therefore qualify for the scholarship. Students will receive extra points for attending and participating in League Wide Practice.

Middle School Scholars

Middle School Awards
First Place: \$200

Second Place: \$100

Third Place: \$50

High School Scholars

First Place: \$500

Second Place: \$250

Third Place: \$100





2024-2025 SY CALENDAR

14 SATURDAY SEPT	19 SATURDAY OCT	16 SATURDAY
Location: Miami-Dade College North Arrival: 7:30 AM	Location: University of Miami Arrival: 7:30 AM	Location: Florida International University Arrival: 7:30 AM
14 SATURDAY DEC	25 JAN	22 SATURDAY FEB

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tournament Arrival

Arrival time is no later than 7:30 AM!

It's crucial to arrive on time and fully prepared. Every minute counts, and being punctual ensures we can maximize our time for intense, focused debate.

Come ready to engage, challenge ideas, and elevate your performance.

League Announcement Box

Students! Please let us
know of any
accomplishments you have
made to be highlighted by
the League!



