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Online version of these rankings and how NDT points are counted at: <http://www.ndtrankings.org/>

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NDT RANKING REPORTS AND UPDATES

This is the first of two official NDT Rankings Reports for the year. Each report includes overall rankings (based on the top two teams from a school at eight tournaments), varsity rankings (based on the top two senior division teams from a school at eight tournaments), community college rankings (using overall points), and rankings by region (using overall points). The Spring Report includes a list of the schools that are new and also that moved up the most in the rankings. The last page of this report explains how points are calculated. Teams earn points even if they are not members of the NDT, however only members are ranked in this final report.

In addition to the NDT Reports, Jon Brusckhe and Chris Palmer update the NDT points as well as all results from college policy debate tournaments on a regular basis at www.tabroom.com

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NDT MEMBERSHIP

We encourage you to have NDT Membership. NDT Membership is required to participate in district tournaments, the NDT, and the Spring Final NDT Rankings. Further, we encourage you to ask others to join and support our debate community; the NDT is part of the American Forensics Association. The annual membership is \$100 if paid by Oct. 1; \$200 if paid Oct. 2 to Dec. 15; \$300 if paid after Dec. 15 and before Jan. 15. NOTE: IF YOU DO NOT PAY YOUR DUES BY JAN. 15, YOU MAY NOT SEND TEAMS TO THE NDT AND YOUR SCHOOL WILL NOT BE LISTED IN THE NDT RANKINGS.

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TOP 10 OVERALL RANKINGS

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Liberty University	VA	7	No	466	213
2.	George Mason University	VA	7	No	453	230
3.	University of Kansas	KS	3	No	399	394
4.	Binghamton University	NY	8	No	363	270
5.	Oklahoma	OK	3	No	362	326
6.	Cornell	NY	8	No	352	257
7.	Texas	TX	3	No	340	333
8.	University of California, Berkeley	CA	1	No	320	320
9.	Rutgers-Newark University	NJ	7	No	310	310
10	Wake Forest University	NC	6	No	304	304

TOP 10 VARSITY RANKINGS

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	University of Kansas	KS	3	No	399	394
2.	Texas	TX	3	No	340	333
3.	Oklahoma	OK	3	No	362	326
4.	University of California, Berkeley	CA	1	No	320	320
5.	Rutgers-Newark University	NJ	7	No	310	310
6.	Wake Forest University	NC	6	No	304	304
7.	Binghamton University	NY	8	No	363	270
8.	Harvard	MA	8	No	258	258
9.	Cornell	NY	8	No	352	257
10	University of Missouri - Kansas City	MO	3	No	268	245

TOP CC RANKINGS

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Johnson County Community College	KS	3	Yes	189	86
2.	Kansas City Kansas CC	KS	3	Yes	79	79

OVERALL RANKINGS

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Liberty University	VA	7	No	466	213
2.	George Mason University	VA	7	No	453	230
3.	University of Kansas	KS	3	No	399	394
4.	Binghamton University	NY	8	No	363	270
5.	Oklahoma	OK	3	No	362	326
6.	Cornell	NY	8	No	352	257
7.	Texas	TX	3	No	340	333
8.	University of California, Berkeley	CA	1	No	320	320
9.	Rutgers-Newark University	NJ	7	No	310	310
10	Wake Forest University	NC	6	No	304	304
11	University of Missouri - Kansas City	MO	3	No	268	245
12	James Madison University	VA	7	No	261	226
13	Harvard	MA	8	No	258	258
14	Weber State University	UT	2	No	243	223
15	University of Nevada Las Vegas	NV	1	No	240	240
16	Emory University	GA	6	No	240	237
17	University of Florida	FL	6	No	233	106
18	Baylor University	TX	3	No	227	227
19	Gonzaga University	WA	2	No	223	223
20	University of Georgia	GA	6	No	215	215
21	Illinois College	IL	5	No	205	0
22	University of Kentucky	KY	6	No	204	204
23	New York University	NY	8	No	203	80
24	Minnesota	MN	4	No	202	136
25	West Virginia University	WV	7	No	201	98
26	University of Michigan	MI	5	No	198	193
27	Missouri State University	MO	3	No	196	140
28	Johnson County Community College	KS	3	Yes	189	86
29	Michigan State University	MI	5	No	188	188
30	University of Central Oklahoma	OK	3	No	187	187
31	Northwestern University	IL	5	No	187	187
32	Arizona State	AZ	1	No	184	157
33	Georgetown	DC	7	No	183	183

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
34	Cal State Fullerton	CA	1	No	177	150
35	Wayne State University	MI	5	No	175	139
36	UT Dallas	TX	3	No	174	147
37	United States Military Academy	NY	8	No	172	110
38	Trinity University	TX	3	No	169	118
39	University of Wyoming	WY	2	No	164	135
40	University of Miami	FL	6	No	159	11
41	UT San Antonio	TX	3	No	150	19
42	Wichita State University	KS	3	No	149	123
43	CSU Northridge	CA	1	No	143	11
44	Southwestern College	CA	1	No	142	44
45	Vanderbilt University	TN	6	No	141	36
46	Indiana University	IN	5	No	140	120
47	University of Southern California	CA	1	No	137	112
48	University of Rochester	NY	8	No	137	79
49	University of Pittsburgh	PA	7	No	137	137
50	Towson University	MD	7	No	136	121
51	Navy	MD	7	No	135	53
52	Boston College	MA	8	No	135	61
53	San Francisco State University	CA	1	No	133	65
54	University of Houston	TX	3	No	130	73
55	West Georgia	GA	6	No	123	97
56	University of Iowa	IA	4	No	119	119
57	Kansas State	KS	3	No	110	110
58	Samford University	AL	6	No	109	18
59	University of Mary Washington	VA	7	No	108	85
60	UVM	VT	8	No	107	64
61	Georgia State University	GA	6	No	105	91
62	University of Washington	WA	2	No	98	77
63	Dartmouth College	NH	8	No	86	86
64	University of Louisville	KY	6	No	85	82
65	Concordia College	MN	4	No	85	70
66	Northern Iowa	IA	4	No	80	69
67	NewSchool	NY	8	No	80	0

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
68	Emporia State University	KS	3	No	80	52
69	Kansas City Kansas CC	KS	3	Yes	79	79
70	Puget Sound	WA	2	No	78	67
71	Monmouth University	NJ	7	No	78	0
72	California State University, Long Beach	CA	1	No	69	38
73	Fresno State	CA	1	No	68	23
74	City College of San Francisco	CA	1	No	67	0
75	Florida State University	FL	6	No	64	28
76	Stanford University	CA	1	No	52	52
77	University of San Francisco	CA	1	No	51	9
78	University of North Texas	TX	3	No	48	23
79	University of Central Florida	FL	6	No	39	28
80	Southern Methodist	TX	3	No	37	11
81	Saint Mary's College	CA	1	No	34	12
82	University of Wisconsin- Madison	WI	4	No	32	10
83	Clarion University	PA	7	No	29	0
84	Utah State University Eastern	UT	2	No	26	0
85	San Diego State University	CA	1	No	24	0
86	CUNY	NY	8	No	20	20
87	Wilkes University	PA	7	No	17	0
88	University of Arizona	AZ	1	No	9	9

VARSIY RANKINGS

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	University of Kansas	KS	3	No	399	394
2.	Texas	TX	3	No	340	333
3.	Oklahoma	OK	3	No	362	326
4.	University of California, Berkeley	CA	1	No	320	320
5.	Rutgers-Newark University	NJ	7	No	310	310
6.	Wake Forest University	NC	6	No	304	304
7.	Binghamton University	NY	8	No	363	270
8.	Harvard	MA	8	No	258	258
9.	Cornell	NY	8	No	352	257
10	University of Missouri - Kansas City	MO	3	No	268	245
11	University of Nevada Las Vegas	NV	1	No	240	240
12	Emory University	GA	6	No	240	237
13	George Mason University	VA	7	No	453	230
14	Baylor University	TX	3	No	227	227
15	James Madison University	VA	7	No	261	226
16	Weber State University	UT	2	No	243	223
17	Gonzaga University	WA	2	No	223	223
18	University of Georgia	GA	6	No	215	215
19	Liberty University	VA	7	No	466	213
20	University of Kentucky	KY	6	No	204	204
21	University of Michigan	MI	5	No	198	193
22	Michigan State University	MI	5	No	188	188
23	University of Central Oklahoma	OK	3	No	187	187
24	Northwestern University	IL	5	No	187	187
25	Georgetown	DC	7	No	183	183
26	Arizona State	AZ	1	No	184	157
27	Cal State Fullerton	CA	1	No	177	150
28	UT Dallas	TX	3	No	174	147
29	Missouri State University	MO	3	No	196	140
30	Wayne State University	MI	5	No	175	139
31	University of Pittsburgh	PA	7	No	137	137
32	Minnesota	MN	4	No	202	136
33	University of Wyoming	WY	2	No	164	135

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
34	Wichita State University	KS	3	No	149	123
35	Towson University	MD	7	No	136	121
36	Indiana University	IN	5	No	140	120
37	University of Iowa	IA	4	No	119	119
38	Trinity University	TX	3	No	169	118
39	University of Southern California	CA	1	No	137	112
40	United States Military Academy	NY	8	No	172	110
41	Kansas State	KS	3	No	110	110
42	University of Florida	FL	6	No	233	106
43	West Virginia University	WV	7	No	201	98
44	West Georgia	GA	6	No	123	97
45	Georgia State University	GA	6	No	105	91
46	Johnson County Community College	KS	3	Yes	189	86
47	Dartmouth College	NH	8	No	86	86
48	University of Mary Washington	VA	7	No	108	85
49	University of Louisville	KY	6	No	85	82
50	New York University	NY	8	No	203	80
51	University of Rochester	NY	8	No	137	79
52	Kansas City Kansas CC	KS	3	Yes	79	79
53	University of Washington	WA	2	No	98	77
54	University of Houston	TX	3	No	130	73
55	Concordia College	MN	4	No	85	70
56	Northern Iowa	IA	4	No	80	69
57	Puget Sound	WA	2	No	78	67
58	San Francisco State University	CA	1	No	133	65
59	UVM	VT	8	No	107	64
60	Boston College	MA	8	No	135	61
61	Navy	MD	7	No	135	53
62	Emporia State University	KS	3	No	80	52
63	Stanford University	CA	1	No	52	52
64	Southwestern College	CA	1	No	142	44
65	California State University, Long Beach	CA	1	No	69	38
66	Vanderbilt University	TN	6	No	141	36
67	Florida State University	FL	6	No	64	28

Rank	School	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
68	University of Central Florida	FL	6	No	39	28
69	Fresno State	CA	1	No	68	23
70	University of North Texas	TX	3	No	48	23
71	CUNY	NY	8	No	20	20
72	UT San Antonio	TX	3	No	150	19
73	Samford University	AL	6	No	109	18
74	Saint Mary's College	CA	1	No	34	12
75	University of Miami	FL	6	No	159	11
76	CSU Northridge	CA	1	No	143	11
77	Southern Methodist	TX	3	No	37	11
78	University of Wisconsin- Madison	WI	4	No	32	10
79	University of San Francisco	CA	1	No	51	9
80	University of Arizona	AZ	1	No	9	9
81	Illinois College	IL	5	No	205	0
82	NewSchool	NY	8	No	80	0
83	Monmouth University	NJ	7	No	78	0
84	City College of San Francisco	CA	1	No	67	0
85	Clarion University	PA	7	No	29	0
86	Utah State University Eastern	UT	2	No	26	0
87	San Diego State University	CA	1	No	24	0
88	Wilkes University	PA	7	No	17	0

OVERALL RANKINGS BY DISTRICT

Rank	School DISTRICT 1	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	University of California, Berkeley	CA	1	No	320	320
2.	University of Nevada Las Vegas	NV	1	No	240	240
3.	Arizona State	AZ	1	No	184	157
4.	Cal State Fullerton	CA	1	No	177	150
5.	CSU Northridge	CA	1	No	143	11
6.	Southwestern College	CA	1	No	142	44
7.	University of Southern California	CA	1	No	137	112
8.	San Francisco State University	CA	1	No	133	65
9.	California State University, Long Beach	CA	1	No	69	38
10	Fresno State	CA	1	No	68	23
11	City College of San Francisco	CA	1	No	67	0
12	Stanford University	CA	1	No	52	52
13	University of San Francisco	CA	1	No	51	9
14	Saint Mary's College	CA	1	No	34	12
15	San Diego State University	CA	1	No	24	0
16	University of Arizona	AZ	1	No	9	9

Rank	School DISTRICT 2	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Weber State University	UT	2	No	243	223
2.	Gonzaga University	WA	2	No	223	223
3.	University of Wyoming	WY	2	No	164	135
4.	University of Washington	WA	2	No	98	77
5.	Puget Sound	WA	2	No	78	67
6.	Utah State University Eastern	UT	2	No	26	0

Rank	School DISTRICT 3	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	University of Kansas	KS	3	No	399	394
2.	Oklahoma	OK	3	No	362	326
3.	Texas	TX	3	No	340	333
4.	University of Missouri - Kansas City	MO	3	No	268	245
5.	Baylor University	TX	3	No	227	227
6.	Missouri State University	MO	3	No	196	140
7.	Johnson County Community College	KS	3	Yes	189	86
8.	University of Central Oklahoma	OK	3	No	187	187
9.	UT Dallas	TX	3	No	174	147
10	Trinity University	TX	3	No	169	118
11	UT San Antonio	TX	3	No	150	19
12	Wichita State University	KS	3	No	149	123
13	University of Houston	TX	3	No	130	73
14	Kansas State	KS	3	No	110	110
15	Emporia State University	KS	3	No	80	52
16	Kansas City Kansas CC	KS	3	Yes	79	79
17	University of North Texas	TX	3	No	48	23
18	Southern Methodist	TX	3	No	37	11

Rank	School DISTRICT 4	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Minnesota	MN	4	No	202	136
2.	University of Iowa	IA	4	No	119	119
3.	Concordia College	MN	4	No	85	70
4.	Northern Iowa	IA	4	No	80	69
5.	University of Wisconsin- Madison	WI	4	No	32	10

Rank	School DISTRICT 5	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Illinois College	IL	5	No	205	0
2.	University of Michigan	MI	5	No	198	193
3.	Michigan State University	MI	5	No	188	188
4.	Northwestern University	IL	5	No	187	187
5.	Wayne State University	MI	5	No	175	139
6.	Indiana University	IN	5	No	140	120

Rank	School DISTRICT 6	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Wake Forest University	NC	6	No	304	304
2.	Emory University	GA	6	No	240	237
3.	University of Florida	FL	6	No	233	106
4.	University of Georgia	GA	6	No	215	215
5.	University of Kentucky	KY	6	No	204	204
6.	University of Miami	FL	6	No	159	11
7.	Vanderbilt University	TN	6	No	141	36
8.	West Georgia	GA	6	No	123	97
9.	Samford University	AL	6	No	109	18
10	Georgia State University	GA	6	No	105	91
11	University of Louisville	KY	6	No	85	82
12	Florida State University	FL	6	No	64	28
13	University of Central Florida	FL	6	No	39	28

Rank	School DISTRICT 7	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Liberty University	VA	7	No	466	213
2.	George Mason University	VA	7	No	453	230
3.	Rutgers-Newark University	NJ	7	No	310	310
4.	James Madison University	VA	7	No	261	226
5.	West Virginia University	WV	7	No	201	98
6.	Georgetown	DC	7	No	183	183
7.	University of Pittsburgh	PA	7	No	137	137
8.	Towson University	MD	7	No	136	121
9.	Navy	MD	7	No	135	53
10	University of Mary Washington	VA	7	No	108	85
11	Monmouth University	NJ	7	No	78	0
12	Clarion University	PA	7	No	29	0
13	Wilkes University	PA	7	No	17	0

Rank	School DISTRICT 8	St	Dist	CC?	NDT Pts	Varsity Pts
1.	Binghamton University	NY	8	No	363	270
2.	Cornell	NY	8	No	352	257
3.	Harvard	MA	8	No	258	258
4.	New York University	NY	8	No	203	80
5.	United States Military Academy	NY	8	No	172	110
6.	University of Rochester	NY	8	No	137	79
7.	Boston College	MA	8	No	135	61
8.	UVM	VT	8	No	107	64
9.	Dartmouth College	NH	8	No	86	86
10	NewSchool	NY	8	No	80	0
11	CUNY	NY	8	No	20	20

NDT RANKING PROCEDURE

I. The ranking system will report the standing of all NDT programs in December and all NDT subscribing programs April each year. A three-tiered system will be employed:

- (a) Ranking on a national basis for overall squad performance and for varsity level competition;
- (b) Ranking by districts using overall squad performance;
- (c) Ranking of junior college programs using overall squad performance.

Additionally, in the spring, the Report shall include a ranking of “Movers” (teams with 32 or more overall points increase comparing the previous year’s points to the current year) and of “New Schools” (based on overall performance, this is for teams who did not earn points in the previous fall and who have earned at least 32 or more overall points).

II. Rankings will be based on a point system according to the following items:

- (a) Only results from tournament divisions with six or more teams per division from three or more schools with at least 4 preliminary rounds that debate the NDT topic will count towards the ranking;
- (b) The results of a school’s two best teams in any qualifying division of a tournament will count toward the overall rankings. The varsity rankings will only count the best two teams in varsity division;
- (c) The results of a school’s best performance at a maximum of eight tournaments will count towards the rankings;
- (d) Only teams who are in the upper half of teams in the first elimination round may count that round’s points for rankings;
- (e) If the tab room director(s) are from one school only, then elimination rounds of teams from that school will not count toward the rankings (you must have two schools represented as tab directors to have all elimination points counted);
- (f) Lincoln-Douglas results or rounds in which a debater debated without a colleague or with a colleague from another school will not count toward the rankings;
- (g) If the elimination rounds of a tournament are interrupted by extenuating circumstances, the points remaining to be earned will be evenly distributed to the remaining participants, rounded to the nearest whole number;
- (h) Hybrids do not count for points unless recognized by the NDT Committee for ranking points;
- (i) Breakout rounds (where the teams with the best records do not advance to elims) do not count for points.

III. Points are allocated as follows

PRELIM RECORD	PERCENTAGE	POINTS	ELIM RECORD	POINTS
4-0 to 9-0	100%	16	Unanimous win	6
4-1 to 8-1	80 to 99.99%	15	(3-0, 5-0, a bye, etc.)	
3-1, 5-2, 6-2, 6-3	67 to 79.99%	14	Split decision win	5
3-2, 4-2, 4-3, 5-3, 5-4	50.01 to 66.99%	13	(2-1, 3-2, 4-1, etc.)	
2-2 to 4-4	50%	12	Split decision loss	4
2-3, 2-4, 3-4, 3-5, 4-5	33 to 49.99%	11	(1-2, 2-3, 1-4, etc.)	
1-3, 2-5, 2-6, 3-6	21 to 32.99%	10	Unanimous loss	3
1-4 to 1-8	.01 to 20.99%	9	(0-3, 0-5, walk over/forfeit, etc.)	
0-4 to 0-9	0%	8		

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