

INDIVIDUAL DECA THEME SPEECH EVENT

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THIS IS AN INDIVIDUAL EVENT AND MUST BE ENTERED IN THE INDIVIDUAL'S NAME (EXAMPLE: Bobby Smith).

Enter online at www.GeorgiaNationalFair.com
(<http://www.georgianationalfair.com/youth-educational-exhibits/>) by September 19, 2018.

WHEN: Friday, October 12

CHECK-IN: 1:50 PM

WHERE: Heritage Hall Stage *Contest begins:* 2:00 PM

DIVISION 60301 INDIVIDUAL DECA THEME SPEECH EVENT

CLASS

01 Individual DECA Theme Speech Event

A copy of the online registration confirmation will be required to check-in for competition.

CONTEST RULES:

- All exhibitors are required to read and abide by the Georgia National Fair General Rules and Regulations. PLEASE NOTE: IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO READ AND UNDERSTAND THE RULES. If you have questions, you may certainly email us at georgiadeca@gmail.com or contests@gnfa.com. Please help us prevent entry disqualifications.**
- Entries are limited to one individual student per chapter.
- Students must prepare a speech on the theme: **“READY FOR IT”**
- Order of competition will be pre-assigned on a random selection basis. Competitors shall report to the Heritage Hall Stage Area at 1:50 PM to sign in. Competition will begin at 2:00 PM
- Competitors may use 3” x 5” index cards only for brief outline/key ideas. Any other material will not be allowed. At the time of competition, competitors shall be introduced to the judges and will present his/her speech using no references other than his/her 3” x 5” index cards.
- Props may not be used. If props are used the competitor will be disqualified.
- The speech shall be a maximum of three (3) minutes in length. The timekeeper shall give a 1 minute warning. The competitor will be stopped when the three minutes are up.
- A microphone will be provided and the competition is open to spectators.
- Competitors must be dressed appropriately and professionally.
- Individual competitors from each chapter entered into the Event will have reserved seating at the front of the stage during the Awards Session. The top 10 winners will be recognized on stage.

EVALUATION:

- Content (45 points)**
- Organization (30 points)**
- Delivery (25 points)**