

Dear Parents,

The Neuqua Valley Speech Team qualified *eight* events for the State tournament this past weekend – and we're heading to Peoria this weekend to see how our kids fare against the other finalists from across Illinois.

We would like for as many team members as possible to join us and that's why I'm writing you this note. On Friday morning, we plan to take non-competing team members (such as students interested in becoming a team captain or category leader or other members of our Regional Team) down to Peoria to support our own team as well as watch and learn from the other competitors in the state. This is an essential learning tool for students, especially if they plan to continue with Speech Team in the future, so I hope you will allow your child to join us.

On Friday night, we will be staying at the Courtyard Peoria Downtown (533 Main St., Peoria, IL 61602 and 309-671-5050). Obviously, we will have separate boys' rooms and girls' rooms and the coaches will be firm about a curfew time at which point students must remain in their rooms. **The cost will be \$75 with all checks made out to Wildcat Speech.** Students will be responsible for covering their own food/drinks.

On Saturday evening, we will return – likely around 1:00am and hopefully with some championship medals in hand.

**If you will allow your child to join us, we need:**

- **The Check (with ID # and Phone # printed on it)**
- **The Field Trip Permission form (attached)**

**Both should be turned in to Ms. Sparkman by the end of the school day on Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>. This is a firm deadline. We cannot accept checks after this date.**

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 312-685-7027.

Thank you for all your help and support throughout the season!

Sincerely,

Hemant Mehta

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**FIELD TRIP PARENT CONSENT FORM**

(To be filled out by parent/guardian and student  
from the information that was given by their teacher)

Office Use Only

Cost for Bus

\_\_\_\_\_ hours = \_\_\_\_\_

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Tolls \_\_\_\_\_

CONFLICT FEE? \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_



Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_



Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print

Required

DATE OF TRIP: 2/15/19 - 2/16/19

DESTINATION: PEORIA CIVIC CENTER Address/City: 201 SW JEFFERSON ST,

PURPOSE OF TRIP: SPEECH STATE TOURNAMENT PEORIA, IL 61602

CLASS/GROUP MAKING TRIP: SPEECH TEAM

TEACHER OR STAFF MEMBER WHO WILL BE IN CHARGE: MEHTA EXT: 4676

TIME OF DEPARTURE FROM HIGH SCHOOL: 7:30A FRIDAY MORNING

TIME OF RETURN TO HIGH SCHOOL: MIDNIGHT, SATURDAY NIGHT

TYPE OF TRANSPORTATION: BUS



PARENT CONTACT NUMBER ON DAY OF TRIP \_\_\_\_\_

The above named student has my permission to make the trip described above.



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Signature of parent/guardian



Daytime phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE-UP POLICY**

It is the student's responsibility to obtain and complete all class work, homework, and quizzes/tests missed while on a field trip. Teachers have the discretion to modify their make-up policies to meet individual needs of students and circumstances. Assignments made during the field trip will be due at a time indicated by the teacher, taking into account the amount of time other students were given to complete the assignment. Participation in co-curricular activities should not be denied or restricted because of participation in field trips.

Students should arrange with teachers the times to make-up missed quizzes/tests. If a quiz/test date was announced before the field trip, the student should be prepared to take the test upon his/her return to school. Students may be required to take quizzes/tests before or after school even if this arrangement conflicts with other activities (e.g., school activities, athletics, employment, etc.). Students attending the field trip are required to sign below indicating their understanding of the Make-up Policy. All school rules apply to all students attending field trips including specific teacher expectations for this field trip.



STUDENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_