



THE AMERICAN LEGION

HIGH SCHOOL ORATORICAL CONTEST

Based on the United States Constitution

Open to all students grades 9-12

SCHOLARSHIPS

NATIONAL AWARDS

1ST PRIZE- \$18,000

2ND PRIZE \$16,000

3RD PRIZE \$14,000

State Champion receives \$1,500 upon competing in both the first and second round of National Contest plus expense paid trip for contestant and one chaperone to the National Finals

STATE AWARDS

1ST PRIZE-\$1000

2ND PRIZE-\$750

3RD PRIZE-\$500

4TH PRIZE-250

5-8TH PRIZE-\$100

PLUS LOCAL DISTRICT PRIZES

Speak an oration which takes not less than eight nor more than ten minutes from memory of some phase of the U.S. Constitution. In addition, be prepared to speak on an assigned topic on a selected Article or Amendment of the U.S. Constitution for three to five minutes.

If interested, get details from your high school Guidance, English, or Social Studies Department. Further information may be obtained by contacting your local American Legion Post or Lisa at nhsect@legionnh.org The American Legion State Headquarters at 603-856-8951