



District Rally Headquarters
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2026-2027
DISTRICT RALLY
INFORMATION BOOKLET
(For Drama Events)

District Speech & Drama Competition – March 12, 2027
District Literary Competition – March 20, 2027
State Rally Competition – April 17, 2027



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Important District and State Rally Dates

November 19, 2026	School Coordinators Meeting at LSU Eunice 10:30-12:30
December 4, 2026	Deadline to submit entry forms and dues for LSUE District Rally
December 4, 2026	Deadline to submit State Rally dues
December 4, 2026	Deadline to submit District Contestant Entry forms for all competitions
March 12, 2027	LSU Eunice District Speech and Drama Rally
March 20, 2027	District Literary Rally
April 17, 2027	State Rally at LSU in Baton Rouge



DRAMA RALLY

Rules & Events

Friday, March 12, 2027

Health Technology Building, room 102

First performance begins at 1:00pm



Drama Events: District Information

General Information ~ 2026 - 2027

1. Students participating in the Drama Rally do not need to be enrolled in a drama class or club.
2. Students can participate in more than one district rally event (Speech, Drama and/or Literary).
3. Drama coaches are encouraged to look at the facility, try out sound levels, etc. well in advance of the day of the drama rally. Please call or email us in advance to set up an appointment.
4. For questions on standards and procedures for the event, call Dr. Jim Robinson, LSU Eunice's District Rally Co-Director, at 337-550-1316.
5. Each school will be provided 20 minutes of dressing room time and 10 minutes of set up time. No play may exceed 20 minutes in performance time.
6. Stage information:
 - a. Each school must provide all hand props (telephones, books, etc.).
 - b. Schools **will not be allowed** to bring any other furniture, scenery, or set pieces other than the furniture listed below. This is a state regulation and will be fully enforced at the district level. LSU Eunice will provide two (2) tables (stock, non-descript tables that could seat 2-6 people) and six (6) chairs (stock, non-descript chairs)
 - c. Lighting will be basic. Please keep this in mind when choosing a play and when determining your set.
 - d. No sound equipment will be provided by the host university. Schools may bring their own, but the set-up and strike of this equipment must be done within the allotted time
7. All plays will take place in the Health Technology Building Auditorium (room 102).
8. Once all district entries have been received, each director will be notified of the schedule of plays.

9. Judging at the District level will be conducted in accordance with the enclosed rating sheet.
10. Each school, upon request, can be provided with a feedback sheet via e-mail during the week following district rally.
11. Schools earning a Superior rating will qualify for the State Drama Rally.
12. Results from each school's performance will be announced verbally after the final play.
The following awards will be given for recognition:
 - a. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place awards for winning performances
 - b. Awards for the best performance from each play
 - c. Overall best performer from all plays

School:
Title of the play:

Judge:

Key:

- Superior *: 18.6 - 20
- Excellent: 15.8 - 18.5
- Above Average: 12.9 - 15.7
- Average: 10 - 12.8
- Below Average: 7.2 - 9.9
- Fair: 4.3 - 7.1
- Poor: 0 - 4.2

Instructions:

1. Score each topic out of 20
2. Add the total
3. Divide total by 5 to determine rating level
4. In the event that a play exceeds the 20-minute time limit, 0.5 will be deducted from the school's final, averaged score.

Acting and Performance Area:	Including:	Comments:	Scores:
Characterization	Express appropriate feelings Maintains consistency Creates appropriate character voice and accent		/20
Movement	Appears poised confident, and coordinated "Opens" to audience and to each other Show awareness of other through blocking and space Using appropriate and suitable gestures		/20

Inter-characterization	Listens and responds to each other Sustains concentration and intensity when not speaking		/20
Purpose/ Understanding	Appropriate choice of material Purpose is evident, characters are believable Performers demonstrate emotional understanding of roles		/20
Technical Aspects	Costumes Props Staging		/20

Judge total score: /100

Average Score:

Rating:



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