

Dear Parent(s),

St. Joseph has elected to participate in the Private Schools Interscholastic Association (PSIA) extracurricular academic program for elementary and middle schools this year. Over the next few weeks, your child will have the opportunity to consider trying out for one or more of these PSIA academic events:

Calculator 6-8	Maps, Graphs, and Charts 4-8	Ready Writing 3-8
Creative Writing 1/2	Modern Oratory 7/8	Science 6-8
Dictionary Skills 4-8	Music Memory 3-8	Spelling 2-8
Impromptu Speaking 7/8	Number Sense 4-8	Storytelling 1-3
Listening Skills 4-8	On-Site Drawing 6-8	Vocabulary 5-8
Mathematics 2-8	POETRY 4-8	

Since St. Joseph administrators and "coaches" may select only a limited number of students at each grade level to be entered at the district level in each event, we encourage you to visit with your child about his/her interests and the possibilities of entering these events. From the district meet, one or two students will advance in each contest (some events are combined) to the PSIA State Meet, to be held at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth on Saturday, April 30, 2015.

NOTE: Since this is a private school event, St. Joseph "coaches" are required to fill positions at the District Meet at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic School in McAllen on Saturday, March 5, 2015. This means there will be a centralized area for St. Joseph student competitors but there may not be teachers present to supervise, please make arrangements to accompany your student during competition. There will be a \$10.00 fee per event for students competing to be paid by parents.

Please select events your child is interested in and return the bottom signed to the PSIA Campus Director, Mrs. Hernandez at (956) 383-3957 or by email at ghernandez@cdobcs.org.

Yes, my child would like to be considered for competition in the following events. I understand signing up for PSIA events may not mean my student will compete at the District Meet, attendance of practice and assessments, will be a factor for qualifications.

Events:

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Parent Signature:

Date:

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