



**RIVERSIDE COUNTY  
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## 2020-21 Riverside County Mock Trial Competition

### **Attorney Scorers and Attorney Coaches Needed**

The Riverside County Mock Trial Competition, sponsored by the Riverside County Office of Education, Riverside County Bar Association, and the Riverside County Superior Courts, provides an exciting opportunity for high school students to match wits in a true-to-life legal context. Mock Trial simulates a criminal trial, with students trying the case as members of the defense and prosecution teams. Through performance-based education, the program furthers an understanding of both the content and processes of our legal system; increases basic skills, analytical ability and self-confidence; and promotes cooperation among students of various cultures and interests.

We invite you to consider the opportunity to be part of the program. This year the competition is being held virtually, possibly on Zoom, which allows volunteers to participate from any location they choose.

The competition dates and times include:

- Wednesday, February 3, 2021 – 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, February 10, 2021 – 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, February 17, 2021 – 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.
- Saturday, February 20, 2021 – 8:30 to 11 a.m.

Opportunities are available for legal volunteers to act as an attorney coach or an attorney scorer from a virtual location. Specific participating high schools throughout Riverside County are in need of coaching assistance.

If you are interested in signing up to be an attorney scorer, please click on this link to register:

<https://forms.gle/Em9TnuCvZsquK22X8>

For those who register to be a scorer, confirmation information will be sent in early January 2021.

If you have an interest in becoming an attorney coach instead of an attorney scorer, please contact Renae Ramsey, [r Ramsey@rcoe.us](mailto:r Ramsey@rcoe.us), (951) 204-2414.

Thank you for your consideration.