



Aristoi Chess Tournament

Mar 22, 2025

A K-12 Chess Tournament
open to all scholastic players



Location: [Aristoi Classical Academy](#)

Griffin Center at 5610-A Morton Road, Katy, TX 77493

Tournament Info:

- **Entry Fee:** \$30 through March 15; \$40 thereafter. Registration closes March 21 at midnight.
- USCF Membership is required. Discount link provided below.
- 5 round event: Swiss System, Game 25 mins; delay 5 sec, and USCF rated.
- Tournament limited to 30 players a section; sections divided by grade and USCF rating.
- School awards will be determined by combining the top 4 player scores for each team.

Schedule:

- First round will begin as close to 9:00am as possible. Please arrive early!
- Lunch will be around 11:30am after round 2 is finished.
- Last round begins around 3:00pm and the award ceremony will be over around 5:00pm.

How to Enter:

- Online registration: <https://www.foundationchess.org/aristoi-chess-tournament>
- Purchase USCF membership for \$13: <http://chess.jliptrap.us/hgroup.htm> - this will take a few days so join ASAP.
- Provide membership number from email to John Hendrick at john@foundationchess.org.

More Information:

- Students will be able to play up to 5 rounds (not an elimination tournament). Players are expected to know the rules. A link to rules and expectations is provided below.
- Chess boards and pieces, and chess clocks will be provided. Players should bring their own notation sheets and pencils.
- Parents or guardians are not allowed in the playing area once the round starts. Parents may escort their child to the playing area and take pictures before the round begins.

Helpful Links:

- Tournament Rules: <https://www.foundationchess.org/tournament-rules-and-expectations>
- USCF new member page: <https://new.uschess.org/join-us-chess> (faster registration)
- John Hendrick's contact: john@foundationchess.org | 832-702-7290
- Newsletter: <https://www.foundationchess.org> Scroll down to enter email address.
- Schedule of Scholastic Tournaments: <http://chess.jliptrap.us/schedule.htm>