

# Northwest Scholastic Cup

Date: May 22st 2022

Site: Chess.com (**Chess.com and Zoom accounts Required**)

Format: 5 round swiss

**Sections: 6-12 Open, K-5 Open, 6-12 U1200, K-5 U800, (sections may be combined if there are not enough players).**

Eligibility: Open to all students between K-12

**Round Times (PST): 9:30-11:00-1:30-3:00-4:30 Lunch break between rounds two and three.**

Time Control: Game in 25 minutes with a five-second increment from move one.

**Entry Fee: \$25 before May 17th, \$30 after. Registration closes on May 20th at 11:59 pm.**

**Prizes: 1st: \$30 2nd: \$20. If a player gets first place in their respective section and achieves a perfect score of 5/5, the player will also be awarded a perfect scoring medal along with the prize money.**

**Fair-Play Policy: [Scholastic Cup Fair play policy - Google Forms](#) Must be filled out by May 19th. Zoom Camera must be turned on during all rounds.**

Byes: Players may request ½ point byes on the Fair Play Policy form. Note that the form allows you to select as many as you want, but you may only select up to two rounds to have a bye. (Must be requested 24 hours before the start of round 1).

**Rating: NWSRS (Northwest Scholastic Rating System) Rated. NWSRS ratings will be used to determine pairings and prizes.**

Any Questions or Concerns? Contact Vignesh Anand at [vignesh.anand@utdallas.edu](mailto:vignesh.anand@utdallas.edu) (I conduct private lessons for \$40/hour and group lessons for \$25/hour. Contact me by email if interested).

Refund Policy: No refunds allowed after May 17th.