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Important dates to remember (State Events/Deadlines shown in **BOLD**):

- March 30 Virtual SBLC Registration Opens
- April 10 Virtual SBLC Registration Closes
- April 24 Online Testing Closes
- April 15 May 15 Virtual SBLC!
- May 11 NLC Intent to Compete Forms Due

Greetings, Advisers!

VIRTUAL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION PACKET

Attached is our packet for registering for the 2020 Virtual SBLC! Please review this information closely and share with your members. The dates on pages 2 and 3 of this packet are important to keep handy for reference as these dates are not all outlined above in this email. We are excited to offer you an exciting online experience for you and your students!

ATTENDEE EMAILS

Reminder to add emails into Blue Panda for all attendees. This needs to be done even if you are changing no other registration information.

ONLINE TESTING

All chapters attending SBLC with at least one student in an online test should have received an email from TFI with your adviser credentials. These can be used to access your student login cards. This same credential will be used after SBLC for you to see more information on the testing results.

Please consider testing your students earlier rather than later. All tests must be completed by 5:00 PM on April 24.

All Parliamentary Procedures teams need to have all team members taking their individual tests at the same time. If you did not receive your testing login, please let us know.



MBA RESEARCH & CURRICULUM CENTER

In support of local teachers and school districts during the COVID-19 pandemic, MBA Research is providing free **unlimited** student subscriptions for the <u>Learning Center LMS</u> for all subscribers (Washington is a subscriber) until June 30. The Learning Center holds over 200 ready-to-use lesson modules (LAPs). Teachers can easily assign students to read narrative, take quizzes, respond to prompts, and other activities. <u>Module topics</u> are focused around business, marketing, ethics, and 21st century skills. As a current subscriber through WA State, you can <u>click here</u> for instructions on adding student accounts.

In addition, please review the list below for other resources that you can use. Many of these materials are free to all school districts.

- <u>Ethics Resources</u> Materials for teaching ethics and ethical decision-making are available through the generous support of the Daniels Fund. There are 72 LAP modules available at no cost!
- <u>Project Management Resources</u> Project Management tools, techniques, and templates are available through the generous support of the Project Management Institute Educational Foundation (PMIEF).

<u>State's Connection</u>

Our resource portal where teachers in our <u>member states</u> will find free tools, content, and resources. Access our Curriculum Builder tool, ethical case studies, project management tools, and more!

We are hoping everyone is staying safe and healthy during this difficult time. Stay strong, make everyone wonder how you're still smiling!