

- 09:30 – 10:00 Executive Staff – Final Preparations for Counselor Check-in (Kramer Lobby)
- 10:00 – 10:30 First Year and Second Year Staff Check-in (Kramer Lobby)
- 10:30 – 10:45 Meet and Greet (Kramer 263)
- 10:45 – 11:30 Why we are here and expectations (Kramer 263)
- 11:30 – 12:00 Break-out groups with Coordinators by Area (TBD)
- 12:00 – 2:00 Counselor Check-in and Lunch (Lobby by Kramer 263)
- 2:00 – 2:15 Welcome – Executive Director (Kramer 263)
- 2:15 – 2:45 Icebreaker (Kramer 263)
- 2:45 – 3:15 Schedule Overview - Coordinators (Kramer 263)
- 3:15 – 3:30 Break
- 3:30 – 4:00 Session Purpose - Coordinators (Kramer 263)
- 4:00 – 4:45 Counselors Move In
- 4:45 – 5:35 Counselors Meet - Residence Hall Floors
- 5:45 – 6:45 Dinner (Kramer Dining)
- 7:00 – 9:30 Game Night (Kramer 263)

Saturday

- 08:15 – 09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00 – 10:30 KSU Training [TBD] (Kramer 263)
- 10:30 – 10:45 Break
- 10:45 – 11:15 Daily Recaps (Kramer 263)
- 11:15 – 11:45 Engagement
- 11:45 – 12:15 Lunch
- 12:15 – 12:45 Formal/Informal Authority and Approachability (Kramer 263)
- 12:45 – 1:15 Curriculum Facilitation (Kramer 263)
- 1:15 – 2:15 Operations Orientation Breakout (Kramer 263)
- 2:15 – 2:30 Break
- 2:30 – 2:45 In-City Stater Registration (Kramer 263)
- 2:45 – 3:00 Staff Development [Kyle]
- 3:00 – 4:30 Computer and Simulation Training (Kramer 263)
Media Counselor Training (Wefald 222)
- 4:30 – 5:00 Free Time
- 5:00 – 5:45 Counselor and Advisor Individual Photos - (Kramer Lobby)
- 5:45 – 6:00 Counselor Group Photo
- 6:00 – 7:30 Hors d'oeuvres, Dinner, Welcomes, Introductions – (Kramer Dining)
- 7:30 – 8:30 Awards and Recognition – (Kramer 263)
- 8:30 – 10:00 Counselor Recreation – (KSU Student Union)

Sunday

- 08:00 – 09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00 – 09:15 Something to Remember – (Kramer 263)
- 09:15 – 09:20 Huddle
- 09:20 – 09:30 *All staff to assigned areas for Check-In and Welcome*

09:45 – 10:30 Pre-Check-In Family Brunch (Kramer Dining Center)

10:00 – 11:00 Delegate Check-in (City Areas)

11:15 – 12:30 Initial City & County Meetings (County Areas) - [Stater Uniform]

*Welcome, roll call by City Counselors, get acquainted exercises, general guidelines, login to Stater Account
Select County Flag Detail and Color Guard representative
Sign up for recreation events and select team captains*

12:00 – 1:00 Family Walking Tour of Kansas State University (Wefald Hall Lobby)

Tour will begin in Wefald Hall and will end at McCain Auditorium in time for Opening Ceremonies

12:30 – 12:40 Fire Drill (Residence Hall) - [Stater Uniform]

12:40 – 1:10 Color Guard & Flag Detail Orientation (State Assembly Area)

Band and Chorus Orientation (Boys State Beach) *(no instruments)*

Marching Practice

1:10 – 1:30 March to Opening Ceremonies (Boys State Beach) - [Stater Uniform]

1:30 – 4:30 Opening Ceremonies (McCain Auditorium)

4:50 – 6:45 Local Elections - Per Dinner Schedule (County Areas)

Elect positions in Media, City, County, Department, Party Leadership, Legislature & State Office intents.

5:15 – 6:45 Dinner (Kramer Dining Center)

5:20-6:05	5:30-6:15	5:40-6:25	5:50-6:35	6:00-6:45
Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell

7:00 – 7:15 Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area)

7:30 – 9:00 State Operations Orientations

Cities & Counties: (respective residence hall floors)

Legislature: (Kramer 263)

Departments: (Kramer 262A)

District Courts: (Kramer 280)

Media: (Wefald 222)

9:00 – 10:10 State Operations (Assigned Areas)

No State Office Executive Branch operations

Departments: (Kramer 241-243)

Party Chair Orientation: (Kramer 262B)

Debate Committee Orientation: (Wefald 222)

Enter election results into Simulation before Stater Lights Out

10:15 – 10:45 Daily Recap (County Areas)

11:00 Stater Lights Out

11:30 Staff Lights Out

6:00 – 7:00 *Optional Weight Conditioning – Rec Center*

6:45 – 8:20 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**

7:00-7:40	7:10-7:50	7:20-8:00	7:30-8:10	7:40-8:20
Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell	Seitz

8:30 – 8:45 **Morning Assembly (State Assembly Area)**

9:00 – 11:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

Debate Committee starts gathering questions

9:45 – 10:15 **Candidates for Boys Nation meet to verify eligibility (Kramer 168)**

9:15 – 9:45 *Executive Staff Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

10:00 – 10:30 *Advisor Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

11:15 – 12:50 **Lunch (Kramer Dining Center)**

Band and Chorus eat at 11:15, meet at Kramer Mezzanine at 11:45 (bring instruments)

Boys Nation signature papers handed out per lunch schedule

11:30-12:10	11:40-12:20	11:50-12:30	12:00-12:40	12:10-12:50
Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell	Seitz	Dole

11:45 – 12:50 **Talent Show Tryouts (Kramer Mezzanine)**

If in Band or Chorus and trying out for Talent Show sign up before going to rehearsal

12:00 – 1:00 **Band and Chorus (Band - McCain 201, Chorus - All Faiths Chapel)**

1:00 – 3:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

2:00 – 3:00 **Party Committee Meeting**

Federalists & Nationalists: (Wefald Coffee Shop area)

3:00 Deadlines *E-Template*

Running for State Executive Branch Office

3:15 – 5:00 **Recreation (Recreation Complex)**

Dismiss for recreation at 3:15. Start returning at 4:45. In cities by 5:00.

3:30 – 4:00 **Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**

4:00 – 5:00 **Counselor Free Time**

5:05 – 6:45 **Dinner - [Stater Uniform]** (*City pictures at basketball court 20 minutes before Dinner)

Kennedy	Powell	*Seitz	*Dole	*Eisenhower
5:20-6:05	5:30-6:15	5:40-6:25	5:50-6:35	6:00-6:45

6:50 – 7:20 **Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area) - [Stater Uniform]**

Swearing in of Mayors

Advisor Group Photo

7:30 – 10:00 **Party Caucus - [Stater Uniform]**

(Federalist Party- Engineering Fiedler 1107) (Nationalist Party- Engineering Rathbone 1073)

10:15 – 10:45 **Daily Recap (County Areas)**

11:00 Stater - Lights Out

11:00 – 11:30 **Media Meeting (Wefald 222)**

11:30 Staff Lights Out

6:00 – 7:00 *Optional Weight Conditioning – Rec Center*

6:45 – 8:20 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**

7:00-7:40	7:10-7:50	7:20-8:00	7:30-8:10	7:40-8:20
Powell	Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy

8:30 – 8:45 **Morning Assembly (State Assembly Area)**

9:00 – 11:15 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

*Ballot verifications due
Candidates work on budget proposals
State National Guard meets for training (TBA)*

9:15 – 9:45 **Executive Staff Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)**

10:00 – 10:30 **Advisor Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)**

9:15 – 10:45 **District Court Jury Trial (TBA)**

11:00 – 12:00 **Governor Candidates Meet (Kramer Lobby by Quik Cats) [Stater Uniform]**

11:15 – 12:50 **Lunch (Kramer Dining Center)**

Band, Chorus, Media Debate participants eat at 11:15, meet at Kramer Mezzanine at 11:45

11:30-12:10	11:40-12:20	11:50-12:30	12:00-12:40	12:10-12:50
Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell

12:00 – 1:00 **Debate Prep (McCain) - [Stater Uniform]**

Band and Chorus (Band McCain 201, Chorus All Faiths Chapel)

1:00 – 1:20 **March to McCain [Stater Uniform]**

1:30 – 2:45 **Gubernatorial Candidates Debate**

2:45 – 3:00 **Vote for Governor**

3:15 – 5:00 **Recreation (Recreation Complex)**

Dismiss for recreation at 3:15. Start returning at 4:45. In cities by 5:00.

3:30 – 4:00 **Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**

4:00 – 5:00 **Counselor Free Time**

5:05 – 6:45 **Dinner - [Stater Uniform] (*City pictures at basketball court 20 minutes before Dinner)**

Dole	Eisenhower	*Kennedy	*Powell	Seitz
5:20-6:05	5:30-6:15	5:40-6:25	5:50-6:35	6:00-6:45

7:00 – 7:30 **Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area) - [Stater Uniform]**

Winners of General Election announced and sworn in

7:45 – 8:45 **Media Press Conference & Pictures (Reviewing Stand) - [Stater Uniform]**

Winners of General Election

7:45 – 10:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

*Governor and State Officers work on budget proposal - must be completed by Lights Out
Boys Nation Petition with signatures due by the end of Ops to the IT Office*

10:15 – 10:45 **Daily Recap (County Areas)**

11:00 Stater - Lights Out

11:00 – 11:30 **Media Meeting (Wefald 222)**

11:30 Staff Lights Out

- 6:00 – 7:00 *Optional Weight Conditioning – Rec Center*
- 6:45 – 8:20 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**
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| 7:00-7:40 | 7:10-7:50 | 7:20-8:00 | 7:30-8:10 | 7:40-8:20 |
| Eisenhower | Kennedy | Powell | Seitz | Dole |
- 8:30 – 9:00 **Morning Assembly (State Assembly Area)**
Boys Nation Qualifiers announced
- 9:00 – 11:15 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**
Daily reports available
- 9:15 – 9:45 *Executive Staff Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*
- 10:00 – 10:30 *Advisor Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*
- 9:15 – 11:00 **Joint Committee Hearings on Legislative Project (TBD)**
Hearings on Governor’s budget proposal. Appointed officials testify on department budget. County Comm. testify on economic impact of recommendations. Departments lobby Joint Committees.
- 11:15 – 12:50 **Lunch (Kramer Dining Center)**
Band, Chorus and Talent Show eat at 11:15, meet at State Assembly area stage at 11:45
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| 11:30-12:10 | 11:40-12:20 | 11:50-12:30 | 12:00-12:40 | 12:10-12:50 |
| Kennedy | Powell | Seitz | Dole | Eisenhower |
- 12:00 – 1:00 **Talent Show Walkthrough (McCain Auditorium)**
Band and Chorus (Band McCain - 201, Chorus - All Faiths Chapel)
- 1:00 – 3:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**
Legislature Debates and Passes Budget
- 3:00 Deadline** **If Budget is not passed – Government Shutdown**
Courts: Kramer 280
- 3:15 – 5:00 **Recreation (Recreation Complex)**
Dismiss for recreation at 3:15. Start returning at 4:45. In cities by 5:00.
- 3:30 – 4:00 **Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**
- 4:00 – 5:00 **Counselor Free Time**
- 5:15 – 6:55 **Dinner (Kramer Dining Center)**
Band, Chorus and Talent Show eat at 5:15. Meet at Kramer Mezzanine at 5:45
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| Powell | Seitz | Dole | Eisenhower | Kennedy |
| 5:20-6:05 | 5:30-6:15 | 5:40-6:25 | 5:50-6:35 | 6:00-6:45 |
- 6:00 – 7:30 **Band/Chorus and Talent Show Dress Rehearsals (McCain Auditorium)**
- 7:00 – 7:15 **Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area) - [Stater Uniform]**
- 7:30 – 7:45 **Flag Retirement Ceremony (WWII Memorial) - [Stater Uniform]**
- 8:00 – 10:00 **Evening Ceremonies – [Stater Uniform] (McCain Auditorium)**
*American Legion Introductions and Department Commander’s Address
2024 Kansas Boys State Governor’s Inaugural Address
Band, Chorus, Talent Show*
- 10:15 – 10:45 **Daily Recap (County Areas)**
- 11:00 Stater - Lights Out**
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Media Meeting (Wefald 222)**
- 11:30 Staff Lights Out**

6:00 – 7:00 *Optional Weight Conditioning – Rec Center*

6:45 – 8:20 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**

7:00-7:40	7:10-7:50	7:20-8:00	7:30-8:10	7:40-8:20
Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell

8:30 – 9:15 **Morning Assembly (State Assembly Area)**

Boys Nation Introduction Speeches – 1 minute per candidate

9:15 – 9:45 *Executive Staff Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

10:00 – 10:30 *Advisor Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

9:15 – 9:45 **County Commissioners Non-Budget Conference with Governor**

9:30 – 11:15 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

Daily reports available

11:15 – 12:50 **Lunch (Kramer Dining Center)**

11:30-12:10	11:40-12:20	11:50-12:30	12:00-12:40	12:10-12:50
Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell	Seitz

1:00 – 3:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

Joint Committee Hearings (non-budget) in Legislature

Courts: (TBD)

3:00 Deadline *E-Template*

3:15 – 5:00 **Recreation (Recreation Complex)**

Dismiss for recreation at 3:15. Start returning at 4:45. In cities by 5:00.

3:30 – 4:00 **Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**

4:00 – 5:00 **Counselor Free Time**

5:05 – 6:45 **Dinner (Kramer Dining Center)**

Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell	Seitz	Dole
5:20-6:05	5:30-6:15	5:40-6:25	5:50-6:35	6:00-6:45

Boys Nation General Election - per meal schedule

7:00 – 7:30 **Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area)**

7:45 – 10:00 **State Operations (Assigned Areas)**

10:15 – 10:45 **Daily Recap (County Areas)**

11:00 Stater - Lights Out

11:00 – 11:30 **Media Meeting (Wefald 222)**

11:30 Staff Lights Out

6:00 – 7:00 *Optional Weight Conditioning – Rec Center*

6:45 – 8:20 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**

7:00-7:40	7:10-7:50	7:20-8:00	7:30-8:10	7:40-8:20
Kennedy	Powell	Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower

Elect Outstanding Citizen for each City per meal schedule

8:30 – 9:00 **Morning Assembly (State Assembly Area)**

Announce Boys Nation Senators and Alternates

9:15 – 11:00 **College and Career Fair (Engineering Complex)**

9:15 – 9:45 *Executive Staff Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

10:00 – 10:30 *Advisor Meeting (Kramer Mezzanine)*

Service Awards, Advisor of the Year election, Committee Nomination election

11:00 – 12:35 **Lunch (Kramer Dining Center)**

11:15-11:55	11:25-12:05	11:35-12:15	11:45-12:25	11:55-12:35
Powell	Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy

11:15 – 1:15 ***Final State Operations*** (Assigned Areas)

Banking Center open until 12:45

1:15 – 3:00 **Clean assigned areas and return Boys State materials**

Staff and Staters clean all assigned areas

Return all Boys State materials to storeroom – 8th Floor Wefald

1:45	2:00	2:15	2:30	2:45
Powell	Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy

3:15 – 5:00 **Recreation (Recreation Complex)**

Dismiss for recreation at 3:15. Start returning at 4:45. In cities by 5:00.

3:30 – 4:00 **Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**

4:00 – 5:00 **Counselor Free Time**

5:05 – 6:45 **Dinner (Kramer Dining Center)**

Seitz	Dole	Eisenhower	Kennedy	Powell
5:20-6:05	5:30-6:15	5:40-6:25	5:50-6:35	6:00-6:45

7:00 – 7:15 **Evening Retreat (State Assembly Area) - [Stater Uniform]**

7:30 – 9:45 **Boys State Celebration (Student Union) - [Stater Uniform]**

10:15 – 11:00 **Final Daily Recap (County Areas)**

11:00 Stater - Lights Out

11:00 – 11:30 **Media Meeting (Wefald 222)**

11:30 Staff Lights Out

- 7:15 – 8:40 **Breakfast (Kramer Dining Center)**
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| 7:30 – 8:00 | 7:40 – 8:30 | 7:50 – 8:20 | 8:00 – 8:30 | 8:10 – 8:40 |
| Dole | Eisenhower | Kennedy | Powell | Seitz |
- 8:50 – 9:00 **Morning Assembly (Boys State Beach) - [Stater Uniform]**
- 9:20 – 10:45 **Closing Ceremonies (McCain Auditorium) - [Stater Uniform]**
Outstanding Citizens announced
Samsung, Executive Director Scholarship Winners Announced
Awards
Week In Review
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Final State Assembly (State Assembly Area) - [Stater Uniform]**
Final lowering of the Flag
- 11:45 – 12:30 **Stater Dismissal from Cities**
Room checked and signed off on by a Counselor before dismissal
- 1:00 – 1:45 **Final Staff Meeting (Kramer 263)**
Awards, Recognition, Announcements
- 2:00 – 2:30 **Staff Member Check-Out**
Room checked and signed off on by fellow Counselor before dismissal
Staff Check-Out Sheets returned to office by Program Coordinator by 3:00
- 3:00 – 4:30 **Optional Staff Meeting (JP's)**