

IESA STATE CHESS TOURNAMENT GUIDE FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 1

Admission and Venue

- Peoria Civic Center
 201 Sw Jefferson Av, Peoria
- No spectators allowed in competition room.
- Civic Center is a cashless concession venue. Accepted payment options: Card, Apple and Google Pay.

Parking

- Parking \$10
- All attendees should use the Fulton lot, Marquee lot, or street parking.

Awards

- Team trophies will be presented to the teams in each division winning first, second, third, and fourth places. Medallions will be presented to the members and head coach of those teams.
- Individual awards will be presented to players scoring 6.0 or more points.
- Individuals scoring 8.0 points or next highest score will receive gold medallions.
- Individuals scoring 7.0-7.5 points will receive silver medallions.
- Individuals scoring 6.0-6.5 points will receive bronze medallions

Hotel/Restaurants

- Link to hotels in the Peoria area.
- https://mmxreservations.com/fer/#/peoria?pageCode=2025iesachess
- The 50's Diner {{Peoria}} / One World Cafe {{Peoria}} / Gebby's Family Restaurant {{Peoria Heights}}
- Agatucci's Restaurant {Peoria} / Bacci Ristorante + Pizzeria {Peoria}
- Brienzo's Wood Fired Pizza {Peoria Heights} / Chicago Grill {Peoria}
- Firehouse Pizza + Pub {East Peoria} / Herold's Pizza Oven {Peoria}
- Jack's on Adams {Peoria} / Knuckles Pizza {Dunlap} / Mickie's Pizzeria {East Peoria}
- Molly's Pizzeria {Chillicothe}
- Monical's Pizza {Peoria + Morton + Washington + Pekin + Canton + El Paso}
- Peoria Pizza Works {Peoria Heights}
- Cuco's Tacos {Peoria} / El Mexicano Restaurant {Peoria} / El Taco Loco {Peoria}
- Yeni's Palarte Mexican Ice Cream {Peoria Heights} / Double D's {Pekin} / Emo's Dairy Mart {Peoria}
- Dream Hut {Bartonville} / FrozenSpoon {Germantown Hills} / Emack & Bolio's {Peoria Heights}
- Ice Cream Shack {Peoria + Sunnyland} / Twistee Treat {East Peoria} / Bob's Dairy Dream {East Peoria}

State Final Apparel

- To pre-order State Final apparel, go to the Cubby Hole website: <u>www.cubbyholeonline.com</u>
- Pre-ordered merchandise may be picked up onsite Friday.
- CUBBY HOLE: FRIDAY SALES OF MERCHANDISE/ PRE-ORDER PICK-UP: Cubby Hole will be on site Friday ONLY in the Skittles Room.
- T-shirts, sweatshirts and other apparel will also be available for purchase onsite.
- For those who are making your first trip to the IESA state finals, please heed this advice---use the pre-order form. It will save you a ton of time! Keep in mind that the online store will close at midnight on February 25.
- Link to the Cubby Hole: <u>https://cubbyholeonline.com/iesa/</u>



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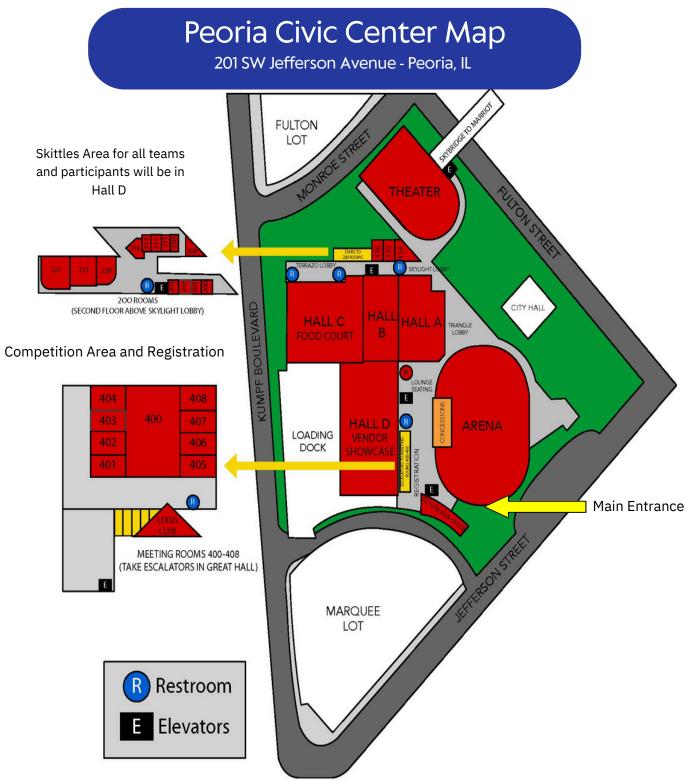
IESA State Chess Tournament Schedule

Friday February 28th, 2025	
8:00	Check-in and Skittles room opens
8:30	Meeting of Stewards Competition Hall
8:45	Registration closes Roster changes due
9:15	Round 1 pairings posted
9:40	Players at assigned locations
9:45	Opening ceremony Competition Hall
not before 10:00	Round 1
not before 10:30	Coaches Meeting
not before 12:15	Round 2
not before 2:00	Round 3
not before 3:45	Round 4
not before 5:30	Round 5

Saturday March 1st, 2025	
8:00	Skittles room opens
8:30	Withdrawals and bye
	requests must complete
not before 9:00	Round 6
not before 10:45	Round 7
not before 12:45	Round 8
not before 2:45	Awards



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- 1. Parking is available in the Marquee and Fulton lots (\$10 per vehicle) and in the parking garages near the Civic Center any vehicles that leave must pay again to park.
- 2. The competition hall is located upstairs. Use the 2 sets of stairs/escalators near the Toyota Box Office to get to the competition area (Rooms 400-408).
- 3. The Skittles room for all teams and participants is located in Hall D.