

SDLC AT a GLANCE

(Subject to Change)

SDLC is a multiracial, multicultural gathering of upper school student leaders (grades 9–12) from more than 300 independent schools across the U.S. SDLC focuses on self-reflecting, forming allies, and building community. Led by a diverse team of trained adult and peer facilitators, participants will develop effective cross-cultural communication skills and better understand the nature and development of effective strategies for social justice. Students will also practice self- and intergroup expression through the arts and learn networking principles and strategies. In addition to large group sessions, SDLC is structured according to “family groups” to allow for small-group dialogue and sharing. You can find more information at pocc.nais.org.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

6:00 – 6:45 PM

SDLC Chaperone Orientation I (*Choose one*)

6:00 – 10:00 PM

SDLC Peer Facilitator Training (*Dinner provided*)

9:15 – 10:00 PM

SDLC Chaperone Orientation II (*Choose one*)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

7:00 – 7:45 AM

SDLC Peer Facilitator Training for
Wednesday Night Late Arrivals

7:00 – 7:45 AM

SDLC Chaperone Orientation Session III
(*Choose one*)

8:15 – 9:30 AM

PoCC/SDLC Opening Ceremonies With
Kimberlé Crenshaw

9:45 – 11:45 AM

SDLC Opening Ceremonies & Silent Movement

12:00 – 1:00 PM

Student Lunch

1:15 – 5:15 PM

SDLC Family Groups

3:00 – 3:45 PM

Snack Break

5:30 – 6:30 PM

Student Dinner

6:45 – 8:00 PM

SDLC Family Groups

8:15 – 9:30 PM

SDLC Affinity Groups

9:45 – 10:00 PM

SDLC Regional Groups

10:00 PM

Students Dismissed to Chaperones

11:00 PM

Hotel Curfew

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

7:00 – 7:45 AM

Breakfast on Your Own With Chaperones

8:00 – 8:30 AM

Morning Clearing

8:30 – 9:30 AM

SDLC Keynote Presentation With DeRay Mckesson

9:45 AM – 12:15 PM

SDLC Family Groups

12:30 – 1:45 PM

Student Lunch & Talent Show

2:00 – 3:30 PM

SDLC Affinity Groups

3:30 – 3:45 PM

Transition to SDLC Regional Groups

3:45 – 4:30 PM

SDLC Regional Groups

4:30 – 5:00 PM

Snack Break

5:00 – 5:45 PM

SDLC Family Groups

6:00 – 7:00 PM

Student Dinner

7:15 – 10:00 PM

SDLC Family Groups

10:15 – 11:00 PM

SDLC Ice Cream Social

11:00 PM

Students Dismissed to Chaperones

11:30 PM

Hotel Curfew

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

7:00 – 7:45 AM

Breakfast on Your Own With Chaperones

8:15 – 9:45 AM

SDLC Closing

10:00 – 11:00 AM

Student-led Adult/Student Dialogues
(by State/Region)

11:15 AM – 12:30 PM

PoCC/SDLC Closing Ceremonies With
Ta-Nehisi Coates

**DON'T MISS THE SDLC
KEYNOTE PRESENTATION BY
DERAY MCKESSON, FRIDAY
AT 8:30 AM. USE #NAISSDLC
TO SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE!**