

GROUNDHOG GAMBIT

*CHESS TOURNAMENT
FEBRUARY 8, 2025
SAINT GEORGE'S
SCHOOL*

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Open to all K-12 students in the Inland Northwest Region.

Preregister by email: james.stripes@sgs.org; or text or call James at 509-251-2737

Please include: Student name, school, and grade

Schedule: First round begins at 10:00 a.m. **Check in 8:45 to 9:30.**

Players not checked in by 9:30 a.m. will not be paired in the first round.

Rounds 2-5 ASAP.

Format: 5 round Swiss paired by computer, G/30, NWSRS rated
Divisions will be determined by registrations.

Entry Fee: \$20.00 if preregistered by 6:00 pm Friday, February 7;
\$25.00 at the door. All fees collected at check in.
Cash or checks payable to Saint George's School.

Awards: Awards are presented to winning players and top school team.

Byes may be requested. Students are encouraged to get as much tournament play as their schedules permits. Rules of chess, sportsmanship, camaraderie, and team building are benefits learned while attending tournaments. The many benefits of chess received are directly proportional to the quality of study and the number of games played in serious competition. Three points (in one regional tournament) are required to qualify for the WA State Elementary Championship Tournament, April 26, 2025 in Tacoma, WA.

Concessions will not be available for this event. Please plan for snacks and foods accordingly.