

# 2022 Senior Thesis Presentations

## May 17, 2022



## Delaware Valley CLASSICAL SCHOOL

The thesis allows for the expression of winsome rhetoric, well-researched and persuasive writing, and argumentation that is clear and logical. For the 12th grade, it is the culmination of the grammar, logic, and rhetoric stages and the capstone of their classical education.



Proverbs 2:6

For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding.

### *Tuesday, May 17*

#### **Session 1: Justice and Society (8:15 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.)**

- ◆ *Joshua Walker*: Many arguments for a penal system centered on rehabilitation are flawed.
- ◆ *Faith Hollister*: The criminalization of poverty is a significant cause of mass incarceration in the United States.
- ◆ *Teni Babatunde*: School systems in poorer communities are preparing their students for prison.
- ◆ *Richard Turley*: Fast Fashion is harmful to our society.

#### **Session 2: Science and Technology (10:40 a.m. - 12:25 p.m.)**

- ◆ *Kiersten Mengel*: De-extinction implementation and techniques are imprudent.
- ◆ *Janna Baltar*: OTC medication is unnecessary for our physical well-being with the use of (natural) alternative medicine and healthy eating habits.
- ◆ *Lydia Brown*: Virtual church is incompatible with the biblical conception of church.

#### **Session 3: Government (1:05 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.)**

- ◆ *David Crossan*: The United States Postal Service should be privatized.
- ◆ *Andrew O'Connell*: Delaware's system for senior citizen driving renewals should be adopted by all other states.
- ◆ *Delainey Gray*: Quantitative Easing was the right option to combat the economic crash caused by the pandemic.