

Kingsway Outstanding at NJ Model Congress 2021

Under the difficult conditions pose by Covid-19 restrictions, four Kingsway students distinguished themselves at the first ever *Virtual NJ Model Congress 2021*.

Katelyn Andel, Dillon Dukes, Gabriella Gonzalez and Navya Srivastava were voted by their peers as *Outstanding Delegates in Debate*.

In addition, Kingsway was well-represented in leadership positions. Anushree Chauhan was appointed NJMC Senate President, a demanding role for the President is tasked to chair and keep order full sessions of the Senate in debate.

Senior, Katelyn Andel said of her NJMC experience, "My final model congress made me realize how much my speaking skills have improved. I would recommend the experience to anyone who is looking to open up more or learn more about pressing issues in our country."

The future for Kingsway Model Congress delegations is bright as three of the four *Outstanding Delegates* are freshman.

"It was an awesome experience that delegates came together under one goal of benefiting the American citizen," stated Dillon Dukes.

Said Navya Srivastava, "This year's NJMC 2021 experience was amazing. I do plan on coming back next year and having some more good debates."

But Gabriella Gabriella Gonzalez summed it up best. "Representing Kingsway at NJ Model Congress was not only an honor but a pleasure. This has shown me my passion to my future and what it can hold, and most importantly brings out my true talent! Cannot wait to evolve as a Delegate."

Model Congress Advisor Andrew Young looks forward to working with Kingsway's future delegates yet will miss the Seniors. "They set an exemplary tone for our Model Congress program with their hard work, commitment, and dedication. I have a feeling that tone will continue to grow strong."

Mr. Young thanks the KRSD for their unwavering support for this valuable program.

To request further information on the *Public Speaking & Debate* class, as well as *Princeton Model Congress*, *NJ Model Congress*, and *NJ Dramatic & Forensic League*, email Mr. Andrew Young at younga@krsd.us.

Picture Captions:

Pic #1: NJMC 2021 *Outstanding Delegate* Katelyn Andel

Pic #2: NJMC 2021 *Outstanding Delegate* Dillon Duke

Pic #3: NJMC 2021 *Outstanding Delegate* Gabriella Gonzalez

Pic #4: NJMC 2021 *Outstanding Delegate* Navya Srivastava