

2012 SCIENCE KNOWLEDGE BOWL

MISSOURI & KANSAS REGIONAL

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2012

EVERYTHING IS CONNECTED

The 28th Annual Rockhurst Science Bowl
U.S. Department of Energy Regional Competition
Co-sponsored by Honeywell Federal Manufacturing and Technologies

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Dear Science Coordinator,

The 28th Annual Science Knowledge Bowl is fast approaching. Once again, Honeywell, the Department of Energy and Rockhurst University are co-sponsoring the Annual Kansas City Science Knowledge Bowl. This year's event will be held on Saturday, February 11th, 2012 on the Rockhurst University campus from approximately 7:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

What's New:

New approaches will be implemented in the 2012 Missouri-Kansas Regional to better align with the National Science Bowl. Questions will be presented in a toss-up and bonus format, and are unequal in value. The website below provides detailed information on the question/scoring format. <http://www.scied.science.doe.gov/nsb/hs/states/mo.htm>

Registration:

Registration must be completed on-line at the National Science Bowl website. Please register today!

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On the national registration website you need to complete Student name, Grade, Gender and Shirt size. For all other information you may default to your school address and school email address in the cells. If sending more than one team, rank your top two teams on the national website by naming them as follows: your school name followed by a "1" and your school name followed by a "2". For questions/problems regarding registration contact Myra Everette at meverette@kcp.com

Payment: Payment of \$25 per team (postmarked on or before Feb. 1) must be payable and submitted to Rockhurst University:

Mailed to: Rockhurst University
c/o Brenda Tidmore (you MUST include this name)
Dean's Office, Van Ackeren
1100 Rockhurst Road
Kansas City, MO 64110

Because there are multiple schools within each district, you MUST include your school's name on the check.

Contest Logistics:

- Rounds will be eight minutes, and halves between rounds will be up to four minutes.
- Free continental breakfast and lunch provided by Honeywell.
- Plaques will be awarded to the top 8 teams in each state with the champion from each state advancing to the DOE National Science Bowl held on April 26-30, 2012 in Washington, DC
- Teams will be limited to 5 students accompanied by one coach (and an alternate coach if desired).

Additional information will be sent to those schools registering for the event. Please feel free to contact us with any questions you may have.

Respectfully,
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