

1. **NYS-South Regionals** will be held:

Saturday, February 3, 2024

Grover Cleveland High School

21-27 Himrod St., Queens, NY 11385

Doors opening at 6:30am

2. **Event conflicts** at Regionals (Events in the same time block are in columns).

Anatomy physiology	Astronomy	Chem Lab	Codebusters	Disease Detective	Ecology
Engineering CAD	Forensics	Forestry	Dynamic Planet	Fossils	Fermi Questions
Geologic Mapping	Microbe Mission	Write It Do It			

Please advise your students of these conflicts and ensure that they are not preparing for events that will be held at the same time.

For comparison, here are the conflicts in the States tournament.

Anat/Phys	Astronomy	Chem Lab	CodeBusters
Eng CAD	Forensics	Dynamic PI	Ecology
Geo Map	Microbe	Forestry	Fossils
	Fermi	WIDI	

3. **Detector Building** will not be run at Regionals or at the NY State tournament. The trial event, **Engineering CAD** will be run in its place at Regionals and States.
4. **Self-scheduled events** include: Air Trajectory, Flight, Scrambler, Tower, Robot Tour, Experimental Design, and the hands-on part of Optics and Wind Power. The written test portion of Optics and Wind Power will be held for all teams in the auditorium prior early in the day.
5. **Registration** with New York State Science Olympiad is open, and the fee is \$275 per team. Registration with the state organization is required to participate in invitationals as well as Regionals.
6. **Event supervision**, proctoring, and grading will be done primarily by coaches and adult volunteers from each school. Each team is responsible for providing 2 adults to run events and a teacher to supervise the homeroom. Your alumni, adult friends, and colleagues are invited to assist with events, headquarters, and grade counseling.

Feel free to contact me at macmaxfield@newyorkscioly.org with suggestions, questions, or information to share. Please entice colleagues at other schools to gather teams to join our tournament.

Thank you,

Mac Maxfield