



# INVENTION CONTEST

It is time for the annual Invention Contest! Students in grades K-8 are eligible to participate. They many work alone or with a partner – no more than two students can work on one invention. Along with their invention, students must complete a handwritten log and give a short oral presentation on their invention. Entries in the contest may be either:

**Inventions** – something that no one has ever thought of or designed before. They cannot be found in a book, on the Internet, or purchased in a store.

**Or**

**Innovations** – A new product, process, or service that can be an improvement on or a combination of previous inventions and/or innovations.

**If you are interested in competing in the Invention Contest, please complete the form below and return it to your homeroom teacher by Friday, October 14, 2016.** Once the form is returned, students will be given detailed contest rules and guidelines for their logs. All inventions are due on Monday, November 21, 2016, when judging will take place. **Three winners** will be selected in each of these categories:

Grades K-2; Grades 3-4; Grades 5-6; Grades 7-8

These local winners will then present their inventions during the regional competition at the FAA Tech Center in the spring. If you have any questions or concerns, you can e-mail me at [rcoyne@brigantineschools.org](mailto:rcoyne@brigantineschools.org) or call the school at 266-3603 ext. 2705. Good Luck!

-Mrs. R. Coyne, G/T Coordinator  
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Inventor Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Invention \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_