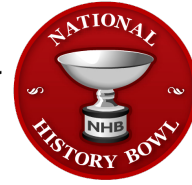




The National History Bee & Bowl



Presents the...

2017 Florida Panhandle History Bee and Bowl
Saturday, January 21, 2017 – Chiles High School, Tallahassee, FL

2017 National History Bee and Bowl High School National Championships
Fri., Sat. & Sun. April 21-23, Washington, DC & Arlington, VA

2018 International History Olympiad, Berlin, Germany – July 2018

(See www.historyolympiad.com for more. Finish in the top half at Nationals in the National History Bee or Bowl to qualify)

THE NATIONAL HISTORY BEE (High School Division)

The National History Bee's High School Division is a buzzer-based nationwide history quiz competition **for individual students**. The National History Bee's High School Division has two stages, approximately 100 Regional and State-level History Bees which are held on Saturdays between October and March, and the National Championships which will be held on **Sunday, April 23, 2017 in Arlington, VA**. If you can't make a tournament in your state, you can play in a neighboring state too.

- You can reserve as many slots as you like for students from your school to compete at the Regional & State History Bees. No tournament has a limit to the number of attendees. Also, the only difference between state and regional bees is in the naming – these are considered both to be qualifying tournaments at the same level regarding the National Championships.
- Students in 10th Grade and younger at all Bees have the option to compete in a separate Junior Varsity division.
- The top students make the playoffs and the top half of students in the preliminaries qualify for the National Championships.
- Students will be able to compete in both the History Bee on their own and in the History Bowl with their teams at all sites. The two competitions are held at different times throughout the day. The cost to enter the Regional or State Bees is \$15.

THE NATIONAL HISTORY BOWL (High School Division)

The National History Bowl is a nationwide buzzer-based history quiz bowl tournament **for teams**. Teams will compete in the Regional and State Bowls, **held at the same location and on the same date as the Regional and State Bees**, for a chance to qualify for Nationals.

- At the Regional/State Bowls, there are 5 prelim rounds, with 1-5 rounds of playoffs, depending on how many teams compete.
- All tournaments have a Junior Varsity Division for teams of 9th & 10th graders.
- Teams can play at up to 3 different regional or state tournament sites as long as a different set of questions (A, B or C) is used.
- The top teams make the playoffs. Any team with a winning record in the prelims (i.e. 3-2 or better) or any team that wins a playoff game qualifies for the National Championships on **Saturday, April 22, 2017 in Washington, DC and Arlington, VA**
- 4 players may compete on a team at any one time; teams may carry up to 6 players, using 2 as substitutes.
- History Bowl entry costs \$75 per team. Schools and homeschool associations can register as many teams as they like.
- **All schools and homeschool associations must register for the Bowl online at www.historybowl.com!**

Also on offer: The United States Geography Olympiad and The United States History Bee!

At all National History Bee and Bowl Regional and State high school tournaments, we offer the National Qualifying Exams for the US Geography Olympiad and the US History Bee during the lunch break. These consist of 50 question multiple choice exams. Students who score in the top 50% at their site or overall nationally, can compete in the USHB and USGO National Championships, to be held on Friday, April 21 in Arlington, VA. See www.geographyolympiad.com and www.ushistorybee.org for more information.

Registration is open for all events! See www.historybowl.com/registration See www.historybowl.com for information on game formats, a study guide, practice packets, and more. For questions, please contact David Madden at director@historybowl.com.

Thanks and Good Luck!