



Be a Sponsor of Eisenhower High School Science Olympiad!

Science Olympiad is a team competition that requires knowledge of science topics and engineering skills. It captures the kind of interest, enthusiasm, and commitment for science that is typical of athletic programs. The program is designed to increase student interest and test scores in science, while strengthening problem solving and teamwork skills.

The Eisenhower team has a long history of strong performance at this competition, and typically qualifies for the State competition.

There are 23 exciting events, such as:

Anatomy & Physiology - This year focuses on respiratory, excretory and digestive systems

Astronomy - Math and physics relating to stellar evolution and supernovas

Disease Detective - Students to apply principles of epidemiology to a published report of a real-life food borne illness health situation.

Forensics - Students identify polymers, solids, fibers, and other materials in a crime scenario

Optics - Activities and questions related to geometric and physical optics

Protein Modeling - Students construct physical models of proteins and understanding how the structure of the protein determines the function

Robot Arm - Teams must design, build, document and test one robotic device to move scored items

Our team budget is estimated to be about \$1000. We primarily spend that money on study materials and construction materials for events where we have to build something, like Robot Arm.

Your help makes a difference! A contribution of any amount will help us provide the resources that these students need to do their best.

We would be pleased to acknowledge your sponsorship on our team shirt.

Thank you for your consideration.]

Who do I contact for more information?

Head Coach Contact info

Part 1: a summary of Science Olympiad and your team

A potential sponsor won't spend more than about 15 seconds scanning this document while deciding if they are interested. This example does a good job of making the basic points, being easy to read, and not too long.

Most potential sponsors will not know what Science Olympiad is.

Part 2: a simple version of your team budget

Ways to improve this example:

- Include a team photograph; this will make your solicitation more personal and interesting. It can be a photo from last year.
- More detail on the budget; for instance, what are the top 3 expected expenses? Maybe include a table that lists the expected amount in each major category. Try not to have more than 5 lines of detail.
- Suggest a specific level of support. Make it visually obvious. That might also be done verbally.



Sponsor Information Sheet

Contact Name _____

Company or Organization Name _____

Street Address _____

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Phone (s) _____

Indicate the best time of day, and method for us to contact you. _____

Sponsorship Amount: _____

Checks should be made payable to: **Eisenhower High School**, and may be mailed to:

Eisenhower Science Olympiad
School Address

Part 3: a page that allows them to sign up