



Metro Area Junior Envirothon

2023 RULES

1. All students must be enrolled in grades 6 – 8.
2. Each team should consist of 5 members from the same school or organization/association. Schools or organizations may bring more than 1 team. You will be notified after the registration deadline as to how many teams you may bring to the event.
3. Transportation to and from the event is the responsibility of each participating team.
4. The contest will consist of hands-on questions, along with some true/false, multiple choice, and fill in the blanks.
5. Students must stay at each station for the full **30 minutes**. Restroom breaks are the ONLY exception to this rule.
6. **Students may not carry cell phones** or any other electronic devices (i.e. iPod's, PDA's, etc.), with them during the competition, UNLESS such equipment is necessary and requested for the student(s) to participate (i.e. to reasonably accommodate those students covered under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)). Standard calculators (not scientific calculators) can be used. **If a student(s) are seen using a cell phone or electronic device during the competition without prior approval, the team will be disqualified.**
7. Each team must be accompanied by a teacher or chaperone. The teacher/advisor/chaperone is asked to travel with their team to the stations. HOWEVER, if a teacher/advisor is seen conversing with their students during the station questioning, the team will be automatically disqualified.
8. Teachers/Advisors will be responsible to ensure that teams display proper conduct during the competition. Teams not displaying proper conduct will be disqualified, and asked to leave the event.
9. The winning team will be the team with the highest cumulative point total after visiting the five (5) learning stations.
10. In the event of a tied score, the team with the highest score in the **CURRENT EVENTS** station will be declared the winner. Decisions of the contest judges are final.
11. Lunches for students and teachers/advisors/chaperones are NOT provided.
12. Students may ask presenters for clarification of a question.
13. Use of tobacco products, drugs, and alcohol is prohibited.