

QUIZ BOWL FACT SHEET

CATEGORY:

Academics

SPONSORS:

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PRE-REQUISITES:

None

DESCRIPTION:

Quiz Bowl is an academic quiz competition. The team meets to practice and travels to tournaments in state and out of state. Team members buzz in to answer questions on a wide variety of (mostly) academic topics.

MEETINGS:

Wednesdays after school & activity periods for beginners

TRAVEL: Required

Team members have to go to tournaments to compete, but many tournaments are in town or just a day trip. Tournaments are around once a month.

DUES: \$15**OTHER MONETARY REQUIREMENTS:**

The "A team" travels to the state and national tournaments which require overnight travel. Those trips have an additional cost which depends on the length and location of the trip.

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT:

Parents help with the tournaments we host, and drive on day trips to nearby tournaments.

REQUIREMENTS TO MAINTAIN MEMBERSHIP:

The A team needs to commit to attending most meetings and studying outside of club meetings.

BENEFITS AND OTHER GOOD INFORMATION:

Students gain a depth of knowledge about a few topics and some knowledge about lots of topics. Students get to travel the state and meet high achieving students from other schools. The top team travels to the national tournament. Quiz Bowl is a club that allows for a variety of levels of commitment and involvement. Some students drop by occasionally just to play at the meetings, and some students consider Quiz Bowl their primary extracurricular activity. We welcome all these students to the club!