



Application for Team Grant—Essay Section

Competition Name: _____

Competition Date (or range): _____

Team Name: _____

Participant's Name _____

Age: _____ Town of Residence: _____ School _____

Please answer the following questions:

- **Each team member is expected to provide full and thoughtful responses to these questions.**
- Responses may be typed into this form, printed and signed, or *legibly* written on a printout of this form. You may also type or *legibly* write your responses on a separate sheet of paper. If you use a separate sheet, please include all of the information at the top of this form.
Please also type out or write each question number and corresponding question when writing your responses.

1. In what ways do you feel you are especially ready or prepared for this experience?

2. What concrete thing(s) do you believe you have learned from participating in this program? Please be specific.

3. What aspect(s) of this team experience do you feel have been the most challenging for you?

4. Tell about some particular source of academic, intellectual, or personal inspiration for you.

5. In what ways have you and your teammates been earning money to help with the cost of this experience?

After completing your form, please PRINT, SIGN, and return it to your coach, who will forward it to the Hayes Foundation.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or guardian's signature: _____ Date: _____