

Science Olympiad Season Planner 2020-2021



K-12 Open?

Are K-12 Schools open for in-person instruction?

NO



Students and teachers are distance learning
No large gatherings are permitted – No host sites available

▼ YES

Are Large Gatherings Allowed?

Do public health guidelines allow large gatherings of more than 50 people?

NO



SATELLITE SO:
School is in session
but no host site is available

Teams record and report results of tests and building events from their school practices at the school building under supervision from school faculty to registered Tournament Directors

Schools will sign safety waiver agreements and abide by an honor code

This new format can be applied for Invitationals in any state; only used at Regional or State Levels if there is no host site available



▼ YES

Host Site Approval?

Do you have approval and a date from your host site for a tournament?

NO



▼ YES

Proceed with Workshops and Tournaments

Your state chapter can proceed with workshops and tournaments using state and CDC guidelines for hygiene and physical distancing

▼ YES

Safe Distancing Practices

Use the 2021 Science Olympiad Event Logistics Manual for safe distancing practices

▼ YES

OPTION B:

Schools Allow Extracurricular Activities

State Chapters Can:

Use mini SO, a short-slate remotely-conducted test-based event*

Use MY SO

Use © 2021 SO events as curriculum

3 C's – Award students/teams for Citizenship and Character in the Community

Hold online workshops for teachers

OPTION C:

Schools Do Not Allow Extracurricular Activities

State Chapters Can:

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OPTIONS B + C:

Alternative Bid Process for National Tournament goes into effect

*Any other non-traditional in-person tournament options will be vetted by the Science Olympiad Innovation Task Force + Executive Board and announced by August 15, 2020

Qualify teams for the 2021 Science Olympiad National Tournament hosted by:

