

## **Problem Solving Tournament**

Dear Principal or Math Resource Person,

You are invited to send unlimited teams to the 1st Annual Perennial Math Tournament on May 21, 2016 at Bowling Green City Schools Performing Arts Center located at 540 West Poe Road, Bowling Green, OH 43402. The tournament is for grades 3-8 with individual and team awards for each grade level. The registration deadline is May 6<sup>th</sup>.

Registration must be done online on the tournaments page at <a href="www.perennialmath.com">www.perennialmath.com</a>. We accept purchase orders and checks made to Perennial Math, P.O. Box 16002, Huntsville, AL 35802. The cost is \$10 per student and t-shirts are available for an additional \$10.

The Perennial Math Competition consists of two different events. The first event is an individual test which is a thirty-minute session with 15 problems. The second event is a twenty-minute session with 10 word problems and teams work together. Individual and Team Awards are given at each individual grade level and all participants receive a certificate of participation. Individual awards are based on how well students do on the individual test at their grade levels. Team scores are based on the sum of the five individual scores and 5 times the team test score.

You may send as many teams as you wish. Teams are placed in competition based on the highest grade of the team members. A team consists of 5 members, but you may send teams with less than 5 members. However, their team score is based on the sum of their individual test scores and the team test so it hurts not to have a full team. You may also have students of different grade levels on your team, and the team will be given the team test of the highest grade level, but individuals will be tested in their grade level.

The competition awards ceremony usually start around 11:30 pending no unforeseen circumstances.

An invoice and practice test are emailed to you immediately upon registration. You must enter your students' names and grades upon registration-students' certificates will be spelled the way you enter them. Please do not use all caps.

For further information, call Dr. Sylvia Dean at 1-888-835-2366 or email info@perennialmath.com with subject line of NWOH tournament.



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## **General Information**

Date of Tournament: Saturday, May 21, 2016

Time: 8:30 AM until 12:30 PM (please check in by 8:00)

Place: Bowling Green City Schools Performing Arts Center

540 West Poe Road Bowling Green OH 43402

**Tournament:** Each team is composed of any five students from the same school who are in

grades [3-4], [5-6] and [7-8]. A team may have students from different grades-the team will be tested by the highest grade level of the team members. Individual tests will be based on the student's individual grade level. Individual tests have 15 questions in 30 minutes and team tests have 10 questions in 20 minutes.

**Cost:** \$10 per student (a team is comprised of 5 students- you may have fewer,

but individual test scores are added into the team score. ) T-shirts are

available for an additional \$10.

**Proctors:** One proctor per team is not mandatory, but appreciated. Each testing room has 2

proctors that pass out and take up tests. Proctors also help score tests during intermissions. This speeds up our tournament and allows us to be done by lunch

time.

**Awards:** Certificates of participation for all students. Medals for individual scores

for each grade level and team medals for top teams of each grade level in `

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

**Snack/Pencils:** Students and chaperones should bring sharpened pencils. Snacks will be provided.

**Calculators:** Calculators will <u>not</u> be permitted for this event.

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Registration: To register go to <a href="www.perennialmath.com">www.perennialmath.com</a> and click on the tournaments tab. You do not need to create an account, just click on the Registration for NWOH tournament under On-site tournaments. Mail in payment to P.O. Box 16002 Huntsville, AL 35802. Make checks out to Perennial Math. We also accept Purchase Orders.





