



OREGON SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

May 2025 Update

Thank you for being part of Science Olympiad this year! We have some end-of-season news to share and some summer opportunities for Science Olympiad students and coaches. Please share with anyone

Enjoy an Exclusive Discount for an Engineering Pre-College Course at our Lovely Host Institution, University of Portland.

Are you curious about engineering and ready to dive into hands-on learning? The University of Portland's [Engineering Marvels](#) Pre-College course offers high school students an exciting introduction to mechanical, civil, and electrical engineering.

This immersive summer program will guide you through the design thinking process, where you'll tackle real-world challenges from building machines to solving sustainability issues. Taught by expert faculty, you'll gain practical experience in state-of-the-art labs, develop teamwork and problem-solving skills, and explore engineering's role in innovation and sustainability.

Whether you're considering a future in engineering or just exploring the field, this program is your chance to build confidence and gain insight into college-level engineering.

Exclusive Offer: Please contact your Science Olympiad 2025 coach or State Director Ashley da Silva for the promotion code needed to receive a **\$2,500 discount**, reducing your course fee to just **\$1,500!** Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity.

[Apply](#) by **June 2nd** to secure your spot in [Pilots Pre-College](#). Best regards!

Consider Science Olympiad Summer Programs and Resources.

Our national organization has compiled a page of summer resources, including curriculum materials for local summer camps and science workshops related to classic Science Olympiad events.

<https://soinc.org/programs/summer-programming>

There is a Virtual Bootcamp for coaches and team-associated parents that includes early access to the 2026 event rules. Follow [this link](#) and register by June 30th. The actual bootcamp sessions will be July 8 - 10 over Zoom.

The Science Olympiad national organization has already released the list of events for the 2026 season on Instagram. Here is the [B division event slate](#) and the [C division event slate](#). Specific event rules are available in September.

Create or Reorganize a Team.

The summer is a good time for reflection on success and planning for the next year.

Consider using the "[Science Olympiad is for You](#)" video (or its [shorter version](#)) to generate interest with teachers who could serve as coaches, students who might become team members, & parents who could help out. There are also [printable brochures](#).

Cheer on our Teams at the National Tournament

The 2025 Science Olympiad National Tournament is coming up soon -- May 23-24 at University of Nebraska -- Lincoln. You can [livestream](#) the excitement of the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

Oregon's team numbers for the [national tournament](#) are B48 (Stoller Antimatter) and C42 (Jesuit Feebeck 15).

Congratulate Oregon's 2025 Science Olympiad Founder's Scholarship Winner

Please join me in congratulating Misha Nasarpuri for winning one of the five [Science Olympiad Founder's Scholarships](#) for 2025. Misha is from Sunset High School, Portland. Other winners come from across the nation.

You can learn more about the scholarship and the founder of Science Olympiad, Dr. Gerald J. Putz, on [this webpage](#).