

# 2021 REGION 19 CITIZEN BEE COMPETITION

## SAVE THE DATES—4:00 PM March 26th and 29th

#### What is the Texas Citizen Bee?

The Texas Citizen Bee is a statewide civic education program and competition for students grades 9-12. The competition includes both a written test and oral rounds. All question content comes from the <a href="mailto:citizenbee.org">citizenbee.org</a> website. All regional competitions will be utilizing a virtual format.

#### How do I prepare for the Citizen Bee Competition?

Students prepare for both exams by using an online guide. New on the Citizen Bee website--QUIZ ME which allows students to take practice quizzes to prepare.

#### What are the specifications of the written portion of the Citizen Bee Competition?

**Day 1--**Written competition is composed of **35** questions from the following categories:

- People
- Documents and Landmark Supreme Court Cases
- Constitution
- Civic Values and Skills
- Current Events (see Rules for specifications for questions)

## What are the specifications of the oral portion of the Citizen Bee Competition?

**Day 2**—The students with the top 10 written scores will advance to answer one question from each of the following categories:

- People
- Documents and Landmark Supreme Court Cases
- Constitution

## What grade levels are eligible to participate?

Grades 9-12

### **How do I register for the competition?**

Use the link <a href="https://forms.gle/r6u5mAVpag15C7TW7">https://forms.gle/r6u5mAVpag15C7TW7</a> to register DEADLINE TO REGISTER--March 18th, 2021 For further information, contact

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#### What happens if I win my Regional Competition?

The first-place student receives a prize of \$250, second-place student, \$100 and third-place \$50. The first-place regional winner will advance to the virtual state competition which will begin with the written exam on **May 18th, 2020** and the oral exam for **ALL** contestants on **May 19th, 2021**. The first-place student at state receives \$5000.00. The second-place student receives \$2500 and the third-place student receives \$1000 for placing at the state competition.

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