



## 2019 REGIONAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

**DETAILS Date of Regional Science Olympiad:** February 23, 2019

**Location:** Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium

### Schedule of Events

Team Check-in	8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.	<i>*Event registration will go through the NESO website</i>
Competition	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<i>prior to February 23<sup>rd</sup>.</i>
Awards Ceremony	4:30 p.m. (approximately)	

*Please do not arrive at the Zoo until 8:00 a.m. or after. Groups arriving prior to 8:00 a.m. will not be allowed early admission. The Zoo will open at 10:00 a.m. for regular operation and admission.*

### Registration

There is no entry fee to register for the regional meet. You must pay the national membership fee. We encourage teams to register for the state tournament being held in Lincoln on April 27, 2019.

### Points and Awards

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th place ribbons will be given for each event.

### Competition

THE REGIONAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD WILL NOT RUN EVERY EVENT LISTED FOR THE STATE MEET.

The following lists are the 2019 Regional Events currently being offered. Note: this list is subject to adjustment (additions or deletions) at any time.

B Division Events	C Division Events
Anatomy and Physiology	Anatomy & Physiology
Boomilever	Boomilever
Crime Busters Disease	Chem Lab
Detectives	Designer Genes
Dynamic Planet	Disease Detectives
Elastic Launched Glider	Dynamic Planet
Fossils	Forensics
Herpetology	Fossils
Meteorology	Geologic Mapping
Road Scholar	Herpetology
Solar System	Mousetrap Vehicle
Water Quality	Water Quality
Write it Do it	Write It Do It

### **Deadline for Return of Regional Entry Forms: February 8, 2019**

The name of the teacher/coach and the events in which the school will compete must be provided. If no interest is shown in an event, it will not be offered.

### **Event Registration**

Registering your students for events will occur *BEFORE* the day of the event. Sign up will take place using the NESO website (<http://nesoinc.org>). Event registration will open on February 9<sup>th</sup> and close on February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Registration instructions will be sent to all schools who submit entry forms.

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### **PLEASE NOTE**

1. You must have paid the National Membership Fee. You do not need to be registered for the state tournament in order to participate, but it is encouraged.
2. **The Regional Science Olympiad will not run every event listed for the state meet.** We will only run the events listed under the Division B (Middle School/Junior High) Event Description and the events listed under the Division C (Senior High) Event Description.
3. An individual student may be entered in as many or as few events as they wish. The master schedule will not be adjusted to meet individual scheduling conflicts.
4. In case of inclement weather, Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium will announce the cancellation of the tournament by 6:00 a.m. the morning of February 23. For this announcement, visit the Omaha Zoo website at [www.omahazoo.com](http://www.omahazoo.com) or watch for email communication. In case of cancellation, the regional meet will be rescheduled for March 2, 2019 at Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium.
5. A lunch break will be held from 12:00-1:00 p.m. Participants may bring their own lunch or purchase their meal at TreeTops Restaurant, the African Lodge/Tusker Grill, or at Sea Turtle Cafe. A meal typically costs \$10-\$14.
6. Teams registered for the Regional tournament will not be charged Zoo admission. Additional adults who are not coaches must enter through the main Zoo gates with membership or paid admission after 10:00 a.m.

### **For updates on the Science Olympiad, go to:**

National Site: [www.soinc.org](http://www.soinc.org)

Nebraska Site: [www.nebraskaacademyofsciences.wildapricot.org/ScienceOlympiad](http://www.nebraskaacademyofsciences.wildapricot.org/ScienceOlympiad)

Omaha's Zoo Site: [www.omahazoo.com/scienceolympiad](http://www.omahazoo.com/scienceolympiad)

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