

Lake Central Science Olympiad Code of Ethics

All team members, coaches, parents, and other observers attending the Lake Central Science Olympiad Invitational Competition are to read through and comply with this code of ethics. Please take the time to read through this with your team and parents.

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Student participants are expected to compete in tournament events with an honest effort to follow the rules and the spirit of the competition. Team members are expected to be the builders of all devices used in events. The goal of competition is to give one's best effort while displaying honesty, integrity, and sportsmanship. All students, coaches, parents, and other observers are expected to display courtesy and respect toward Science Olympiad officials, other teams, guests of Science Olympiad, and Lake Central High School. Failure to show honesty and/or courtesy by a participant, coach, or guest of the team may result in the disqualification of the team from that event, the entire tournament, and/or future tournaments.

Students, coaches, and parents must read through and abide by the following pledges.

Students: I pledge to put forth my best effort in the Science Olympiad tournament and to uphold the principles of honest competition. In my events, I will compete with integrity, respect, and sportsmanship towards my fellow competitors. I will display courtesy towards Event Supervisors and Tournament Personnel. I be respectful towards Lake Central High School property and staff. My actions will exemplify the proud spirit of my school, team, and state

Coaches: On behalf of the coaches and assistants at this tournament, I pledge to encourage honesty and respect for tournament personnel, fellow coaches, other team members, and Lake Central High School. I want my efforts to bring honor to our community and school.

Parents: On behalf of the parents and spectators I pledge to be an example for our children by respecting the rules of Science Olympiad, encouraging excellence in preparation and investigation, supporting independence in design and production of all competition devices, and respecting the decisions of event supervisors and tournament personnel.

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Team Name: _____

Our team has read through and understood the Code of Ethics and will pledge with our signatures to uphold it.

Coach's Signature(s):

Team Member Signatures:

Alternate(s) Signatures:
