



TeachSmarts

The best resources and tips for LifeSmarts success

February 23, 2021

New state champions determined

These outstanding teams will be joining us for the virtual National LifeSmarts Championship April 17-19, 2021:

Georgia | Columbia County 4-H Senior Team
Maryland | TWCA - Poolesville High School
North Carolina | CATA Cougars, Central Academy of Technology and Arts
Washington | Selah FCCLA - Selah High School

Several more state champions are still to be named! Stay tuned for updates each week as we countdown to the 2020 and 2021 National LifeSmarts Championship.

Volunteer at the Virtual 2020 and 2021 National LifeSmarts Championship

We need volunteers! We encourage LifeSmarts alumni, current and former State Coordinators, and coaches who won't have teams competing this year to make plans to join us in a volunteer role. [Click here for details and to register.](#)

This week's reminders

Last chance for February Capstone TeamSmarts Challenge: Don't miss out on the last chance of the 2020-2021 competition season to win \$100 for your LifeSmarts team. The February Capstone TeamSmarts Challenge focuses on all five LifeSmarts topics and is open now through February 28. [Click here for additional information.](#) Don't delay!

Johnson & Johnson OTC Medicine Infographic: LifeSmarts students enter now through February 28 to win \$100 cash prizes for creating an educational infographic about over-the-counter (OTC) medicine safety. [Check out the details here.](#)

Time is running out to apply for a Wild Card spot: Varsity Wild Card bids are due March 1, 2021. If you are a new LifeSmarts team, or none of your team members have competed at the National LifeSmarts Championship, this opportunity is for you! This deadline applies to any Varsity LifeSmarts team including our partner organizations. [The application and additional eligibility information is available here.](#)

Beat the clock FBLA teams: FBLA teams have until midnight February 26 to participate in the FBLA Spring Challenge to earn one of the final 12 spots to compete in the FBLA LifeSmarts competitive event this summer at the NLC. [Learn more.](#)

Don't forget to nominate students for the Sarah Weinberg LifeSmarts Memorial Scholarship:

This \$500 post-secondary scholarship will be awarded to one senior LifeSmarts student who has demonstrated a strong commitment to giving back to their community. Applications are due March 12. [Nominate a student here.](#) Students do not have to be competing at Nationals to qualify.

Until next week,

—The LifeSmarts Team

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