



Announcing the 2014 Online Econ Challenge

An opportunity for your students to receive recognition for their work AP teachers—A great way to begin preparing for the AP exams. You don't even need to leave your school to participate.

The Washington Council for Economic and Financial Education is pleased to announce the 2014 Economics Challenge. The Challenge is an annual event where teams of high schools compete for the right to represent Washington in the online National Semi-finals in the Adam Smith and David Ricardo Divisions. Participation in the state qualifying round costs \$25 per school. (Please do not let financial constraints keep you from having your students compete. If you require financial help to cover the registration fee, please indicate it on the registration).

State Competition ([March 26 to April competition window. Winners announced April 2.](#))

You are invited to form teams of 3 or 4 students who will compete in the David Ricardo or Adam Smith Divisions. The Adam Smith division is for students enrolled in an AP, IB, honors, or two semester economics course or the David Ricardo division, which is basically for everyone else (see details at the web site given below).

The top teams in the Ricardo and Smith divisions (and their teachers) in the state competition in each division are awarded \$50 gift certificates. The top four teams in each division qualify for a trip to the national finals in New York City (most expenses paid).

For more information on eligibility, sample tests, videos and more, go to <http://www.councilforeconed.org/events/national-economics-challenge/>

For more information or to register teams, go to: <http://econchallenge.org/index.html?s=48&l=1>

You are required to submit the following forms prior to the on-line competition. The links to the forms are given below:

<http://www.councilforeconed.org/wp/wp-content/uploads/2011/12/2013-Team-Coach-Registration-Form.pdf>

<http://www.councilforeconed.org/wp/wp-content/uploads/2011/12/2013-Student-Registration-Form.pdf>

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