

QUESTION JUDGE – What do I do?

Ensure that:

- The correct teams are in the competition room
- The moderator is reading questions from the correct round
- The moderator is reading the questions correctly (not skipping words, correct pronunciations)

Control the buzzer system

- Wait to reset the buzzer system on toss-up questions until student has been verbally recognized

Verbally recognize the students when they buzz-in on toss-up questions

- Identify students by announcing the team letter (A or B) and participant ID (1, captain, 2, 3), i.e., “A-3” or “B-captain” and THEN hit the reset button
- Do not wait to reset the buzzers – please reset as soon as the student is verbally recognized



Challenges

- Request that clock be stopped during challenges
- At the National Finals: all challenges must be sent to the Appeals Room



- Challenge?**
- Ask timekeeper to stop the clock.

Minimum Requirements:

- Be able to follow the competition flow
- Know and be able to apply all of the rules
- Read and review the questions prior to the event
- Have a college degree in math or the sciences