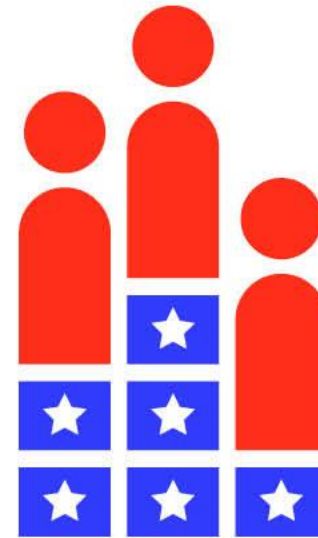




**National  
Civics Bee®**

by the U.S. Chamber  
of Commerce Foundation

# Welcome



# The Need

Every American must understand how democracy works. Far too many people are uneducated and uninformed.

21%

of people cannot name a single First Amendment right



79%

of 8th graders score below proficient in civics



52%

of young people think democracy has failed or is in trouble



# The Vision

Our vision is that every American has the knowledge, skills, and disposition to exercise their rights and fulfill their responsibilities in our democracy.

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# About

Created and organized by the  
U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation.

Students in grades six through eight  
compete for cash prizes and recognition by  
demonstrating their civic knowledge through  
an essay and live quiz.

In 2025, the National Civics Bee engaged  
nearly 12,000 middle schoolers in more than  
200 communities across 40 states.

In 2026, our goal is to expand the Bee to  
all 50 states in time for “America’s 250th  
birthday.”





Video from our partners at the  
U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation.



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# Student Voices



Now that I'm here and I'm meeting all these other people who are passionate about civics, I'm realizing that it's not just a study of the people and the government, it's also a way of bringing people together.

**Emily B.** | 2024 First-Place Winner from Alaska



For a chance to compete,  
students propose a civics solution  
to a community problem.

# Student Voices



When I got home, there were firetrucks, police, and the town ambulance escorting me to school with a parade. They gave me a pep rally. The entire school got into it, and I gave a speech about what I did and how thankful I am. The cheerleaders even made a sign.

**Michael O.** | 2024 Second-Place Winner from Iowa



In the final round, students answer questions in front of a live panel of judges.

# Student Voices



I was fortunate to have a great history teacher who made me feel that learning and discussing history can also be fun. This really intrigued my eagerness to learn more about history, and thanks to his influence, I've also started paying more attention to civic issues and developed ideas for taking part in the National Civics Bee.

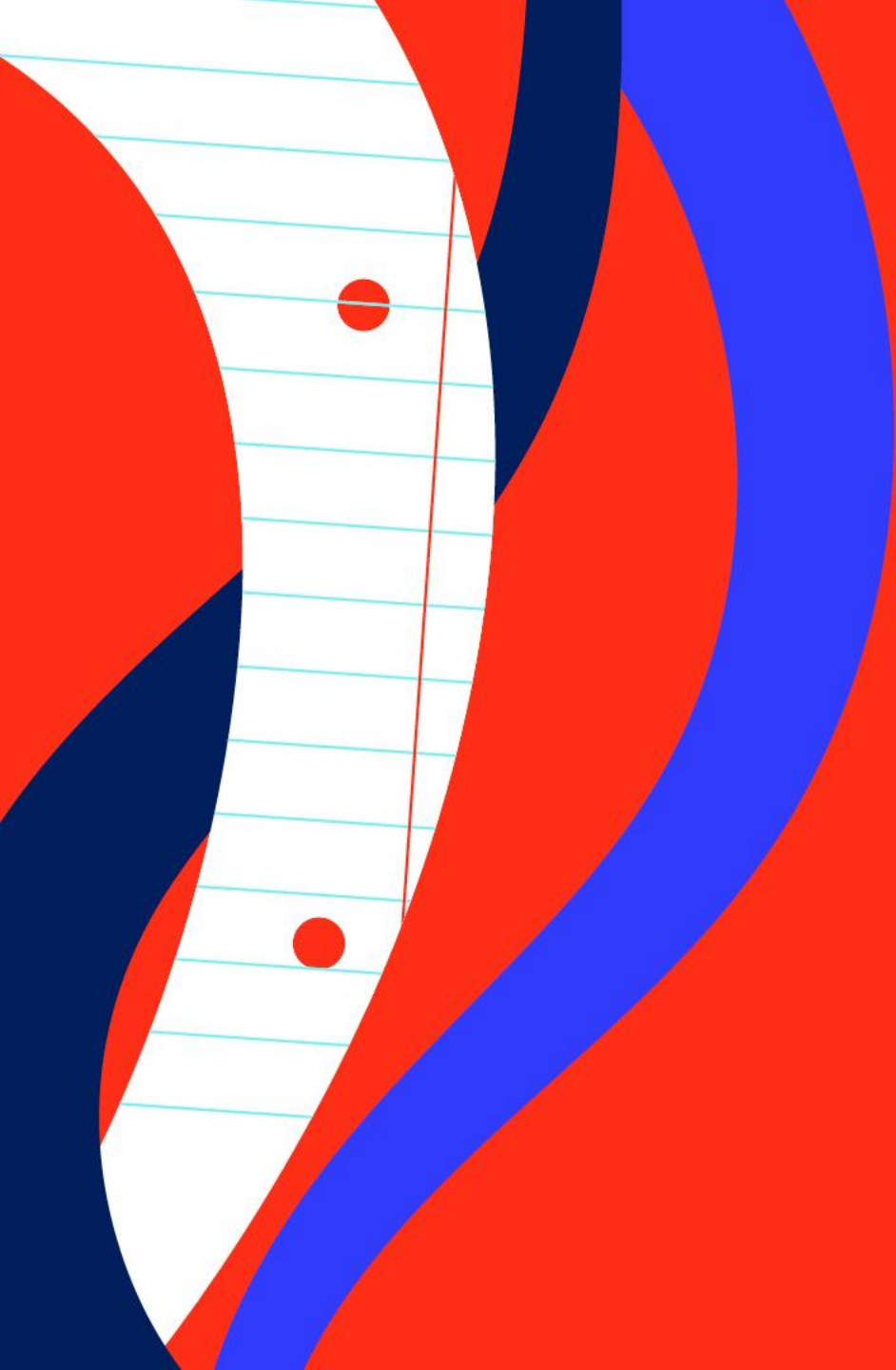
**Keith L.** | 2024 Third-Place Winner from New Mexico



**20%**

of finalists had no prior  
civics education in school





# Henry County Competition

**Hosted By:**

Henry County Chamber of Commerce  
Education Foundation

- Saturday, March 28, 2026
- Time TBA
- Henry County Performing Arts Center  
37 Lemon St., McDonough, GA 30253

# Henry County Civics Bee

## Sponsorship Opportunities

Showcase your company's commitment to developing thriving communities of active and engaged citizens.

### \$2,500

#### Constitutional Sponsor

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- Exclusive naming rights: "*Henry County Civics Bee presented by [Sponsor]*"
- Logo on all promotional materials
- Logo recognition on Civics Bee landing page
- Speaking opportunity at live event
- VIP Meet & Greet + photo op with finalists before competition begins
- Opportunity to provide branded swag for finalists
- Invitation to serve as a judge
- Booth/table set-up at the live event
- Prominent logo recognition in the event program
- 4 reserved seats for the live event

### \$1,500

#### Innovation Sponsor

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- Available to just **one partner**, lasting for **3 years**
- Recognition as the official technology sponsor of the Bee
- Logo featured on all tablets/laptops or technology used by students during the competition
- Logo recognition on the Civics Bee landing page
- Logo on promotional materials leading up to the event
- Logo recognition in the event program
- Opportunity to provide branded swag for tech-related items or finalists
- 2 reserved seats for the live event

### \$500

#### Liberty Circle

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- Logo recognition in the event program
- Logo on promotional materials leading up to the event
- Logo recognition on Civics Bee landing page
- Opportunity to provide branded swag for finalists
- 2 reserved seats for the live event

### \$250

#### Advocate

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- Name recognition in the event program
- Name listed on promotional materials leading up to the event
- Name recognition on the Civics Bee landing page
- Opportunity to provide branded swag for finalists

# In-Kind Donations

Help us bring the National Civics Bee to life!

## We Need:

- Audio / visual services
- Printed banners & signage
- Prizes for finalists (20 min.)

Become a **Community Partner** for name recognition on the Civics Bee landing page and the event program!



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# Thank You

