

National Schools' First Aid Competition entry form

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Ambulance



First aid skills are important to everyone and St John Ambulance believes that anyone can learn how to do first aid. The St John Ambulance National Schools' First Aid Competition provides young people with the opportunity to practise their first aid skills in a realistic, fun and active manner.

To participate, please provide your details below

Contact teacher: _____

Name of school: _____

School address: _____

County: _____

Postcode: _____

Telephone number: _____

Email: _____

Entry section (please tick) Junior Senior

Names of team members: _____

Schools may enter up to three teams, subject to county approval

How many teams would you like to enter? (please tick) One Two Three

Special needs

If your team needs any special support, eg. wheelchair access, please specify: _____

I certify that a responsible adult will accompany each team entered

Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

Please return the completed form by 31 January 2010 to:

Lynda Coude,
St John Ambulance,
27 St John's Lane,
London EC1M 4BU

Additional information

- **Entry is free**
- The competition is fun, enjoyable and a great experience for your students
- Certificates will be awarded at each stage of the competition
- Teams will compete at a round within their allocated region*, with the winners going forward to the national final
- Schools may not enter teams in more than one regional round
- Regional rounds will be held in April, May and June. The last date for the regional rounds is 12 June 2010
- Winners of the regional round go through to the national final on 23 June 2010 at the Natural History Museum for a chance to compete for a share of £1,750 prize money to be spent on equipment for their school
- Winning team members also receive individual prizes
- Teams consist of four members, all of whom will participate
- Teams can be single or mixed sex
- No more than two St John Ambulance Badgers or two St John Ambulance Cadets are allowed per team
- One reserve can also be nominated
- A reserve test will take place in the national final. Points gained will not go towards the team's final score
- The competition is divided into two age sections: Junior (aged 7 to 11, maximum Year 6), and Senior (aged 11 to 15, maximum Year 10)
- Closing date for entries is 31 January 2010
- The competition is made up of a variety of tasks to be completed in pairs and as a group
- The team will be required to complete first aid scenarios and a scenario card quiz based on the Young first aider pack (part one and two for juniors and all three parts for seniors)
- Points gained in the scenario card quiz will only be used in the event of a tie
- Teams with special needs are encouraged to enter and support will be given to make sure everyone has an equal chance of winning
- The winning school will receive a cheque for £1,000 to be spent on school equipment
- The runner up will receive a cheque for £500 to be spent on school equipment
- Third place will receive a cheque for £250 to be spent on school equipment.

*** except in unusual circumstances, with the agreement of the regional round organisers.**