

Lone Star Challenge

2019-2020

The Renaissance 1500-1600 A.D.

*Love to learn? Enjoy competing? Want to join a team with other bright minds?
Then Lone Star Challenge is for YOU!*

What is Lone Star Challenge?

LSC is an academic competition for elementary students based on the national high school Academic Decathlon model. RUSD schools compete for individual and team awards in math & science, reading & social studies, essay writing, and a super quiz. This year's theme, The Renaissance, includes content on The Age of Discovery, Advancements in Medicine and Science during the Renaissance, Life and Culture of the Renaissance, and more.

Who Can Participate?

4th, 5th, and 6th grade students who want to supplement their knowledge in a fun, fast-paced environment. Team members are chosen based on exam scores, teacher recommendations, and coach discretion.

When & Where is Lone Star?

Study sessions will be at NHE on Monday afternoons from 3:00-4:30 in Ms. Bunetto's classroom every week starting November 4, 2019 up until the competition in May 2, 2019.

How Do I Sign Up?

Complete & return the permission slip below to your homeroom teacher by October 18th. Then plan to take the qualifying exam on Monday, October 28th from 3:00-4:15 in the library. Team members are chosen based on exam scores, teacher recommendation, and coach discretion.

Have Questions?

Contact the Lone Star coaches Donna Bunetto, Heather Gray, or Eileen Ryan at lonestarchallenge@nhepta.org for more information.

My child has permission to stay after school on Monday October 28th to take the Lone Star Challenge qualifying exam from 3:00-4:15pm in the NHE library. (Please print clearly & return this slip by 10/18/2019.)

Student Name: _____ *Grade:* _____

Parent Name: _____ *Parent Signature:* _____

Email: _____ *Phone Number:* _____

How will your child get home (pick up, walk, explorer after school care): _____