

A team of <NUMBER> students from <SCHOOL> are Regional and State Champions for Odyssey of the Mind and have qualified for the World Finals!



Odyssey of the Mind is an international creativity competition that helps students develop skills in problem solving, critical thinking, teamwork, math, language arts, science, writing, engineering, and the performing arts (<http://www.odysseyofthemind.com>). Each year teams of 5-7 students choose from five different problems to solve. This year, the team from <SCHOOL> chose the <PROBLEM>. For this problem, the team had to <EXPLAIN BRIEFLY>.

They wrote an original script, created all of their own props, scenery, and costumes, and learned about teamwork and creativity along the way!

800+ teams from 26 countries and the United States will compete in the Odyssey of the Mind World Finals at Iowa State University in late May, and <SCHOOL> has qualified to compete!

What will it take for our team to attend?

- ❖ \$<AMOUNT> per student and chaperone/parent for campus housing and meals
- ❖ \$<AMOUNT> to ship our scenery, props, and costumes to Iowa
- ❖ \$ <AMOUNT> per student and chaperone for air travel

This is you can help! We are seeking sponsors to make donations to help offset the cost of attending the World Finals. All sponsors will be featured on the back of our competition t-shirts, which will be worn throughout the competition. All donations are tax deductible. Our district tax-exempt ID number is <NUMBER>. Checks can be made out to: <NAME>, with Odyssey of the Mind in the memo line. Please mail your check to <NAME AND ADDRESS>.

If you would like your business featured on our team t-shirt, please email artwork to <NAME AND EMAIL ADDRESS>. Please have artwork to us by early May so we can get t-shirts made in time.

We deeply appreciate any assistance you can provide to help our team get to Iowa State University for the



World Finals competition. Your donation will go a long way towards providing these talented students with a once in a lifetime opportunity to showcase their talents, meet students from other countries, tour our nation's capitol, and proudly represent the <NAME> region at an international venue.

Thank you!!