

Missouri State Science Olympiad Interference Policy Regional and State Competitions

INTERFERENCE POLICY

Schools participating in the B and C Division State Science Olympiad Tournament must submit a copy of the Interference Policy signed by both the coach and principal of the school. **The signed statement is to be submitted at the time of the team's acceptance of the invitation to participate in the state tournament. No team shall compete without this signed policy**

Penalty points may be assessed for the following:

1. For a student, coach, teacher, chaperon or parent entering a building or area where events are set up for the competition or are being held, without proper authorization to do so, five penalty points may be assessed.

Only those students actually competing in an event and those teachers who may be assigned to assist in the conducting of an event may enter areas where events are held. All other persons are to remain out of the building or the area at all times.

2. For a student, coach, teacher, chaperon or parent interfering with or disrupting the conduct of an event, the event team will be immediately disqualified and the team will be assessed disqualification points based on the level of tournament.

Note this policy applies to any person in attendance at the Olympiad.

I have read and understand the Missouri State Science Olympiad policy on acceptable behavior including the prohibition of vandalism and discourtesy, and I have discussed this with the team members, and will accept the consequences of violation of the policy as assessed by the Missouri State Science Olympiad officials.

School Name

Principal

Date

Coach

Date