



Manatee West Coast Regional Conference

Southeast High School

Bradenton, Florida

December 9, 2023

Presented by :



The Manatee- West Coast Regional TSA Conference will be held Saturday, 12/9/23 on the campus of Southeast High School in Bradenton, Florida

### Registration Information

**(Registration Deadline – October 31, 2023 )**

Category	Rate
Student	35.00
Advisor	35.00
Guest	35.00
Judge	Complimentary

#### Registration Link:

[Manatee West Coast Regional Registration](#) (direct link)

<https://www.registermychapter.com/tsa/fl-mrc/Main.asp>

Registration includes a conference t-shirt and lunch.

All student, advisor, student registrations must be in the online conference registration system by **10/31/23**. This event does not allow late registrations. Each chapter must have at least one advisor registered, and this advisor is responsible for supervising students during the regional conference. A chapter advisor is responsible for all student competitive event assignments and ensuring students are aware of all competition schedules posted in the registration system.

**Registration fees are not refundable for any reason. Payment is due no later than November 13, 2023. Failure to pay by this date will result in disqualification.**

**Registration notes: You must choose a t-shirt size for each registration. Don't forget to click on the 'item' column and choose your lunch option.**

Students may compete in multiple competitions as long as there are not time conflicts. Conflicts should be worked out with each competition coordinator.

Competitive events will only run during the posted schedule so a student will need to make choice if competitions overlap

Medals will be presented to each 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners in each competitive event category during the Manatee West Coast Regional Award Ceremony.

#### Dress Code

Participants should wear the official t-shirt and gray pants/skirts. These shirts will be delivered to you school the week prior to the conference. If you are not in Manatee or Sarasota counties, you may pick up your shirts during check-in in the CRC.

Chapter Team participants may wear the full competition attire OR the t-shirt. However, ALL members of the team must be dressed alike.

## **Bronze Achievement Award**

Bronze achievement awards are managed at the chapter level. Advisors will have an opportunity to present Bronze Achievement Awards at a Manatee West Coast Regional award session. Chapter advisors are responsible for confirming member eligibility and procuring bronze pins to present to their students. The regional conference will provide a forum for advisors to recognize deserving students in a larger setting. This presentation forum is optional.

Please let the conference manager know if you wish to present these Bronze awards during the awards ceremony

For more information on this award, please visit the following link.

<https://tsaweb.org/competitions-programs/programs/tsa-achievement-program>

### **Additional Information**

- There will be no protests or grievances accepted in the Manatee West Coast Regionals. Any disputes that arise during a competition will be resolved onsite with judges and coordinators during the competition. Coordinators and judges may consult FL TSA Executive Director for advice before issuing a final ruling.
- Any advisors, students, or parents who violate the FL TSA code of conduct shall be suspended from the conference and removed from the property. A violation may require further disciplinary review with Florida TSA.
- Member chapters are responsible for registering their chaperones and verifying they are approved to participate in school functions.
- School employees of any district must bring their school ID for entrance.
- Any volunteer must bring a valid identification to be scanned into the RAPTOR system.
- Judges must arrive no later than 30 minutes prior to their judging assignment in order to be scanned into the RAPTOR system.
- Volunteers are needed to judge competitive events. Those who are interested should contact the conference manager for additional information:

Judge Manager: Erin Koerper-Novarro email: [koerpere@manateeschools.net](mailto:koerpere@manateeschools.net)

For more information about this conference, or if you have any questions, please contact Christy Clark, Conference Manager, at [clarkc@manateeschools.net](mailto:clarkc@manateeschools.net) or 941-751-6550 ext 43027.



MANATEE WEST COAST REGIONALS EVENT LIST				
EVENT	LEVEL	Early Turn In (12/1)	# of Entries	Notes
Audio Podcasting	HS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	Podcast and Artwork only.
CAD Architecture	HS	N	1	
CAD Engineering	HS	N	1	
CAD Foundations	MS	N	1	
Career Prep	MS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	Prelims only.
Challenging Tech Issues	MS	N	1	
Chapter Team I	MS	N	1	Presentation Only
Chapter Team II	HS	N	1	Presentation Only
Debating Tech Issues	HS	N	1	
Digital Photo	MS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	Use 2023-24 prompt
Dragster I	MS	N	4	Dragster Only
Dragster II	HS	N	4	Dragster Only
Essays on Tech I	MS	Y (Virtual Only)	3	
Essays on Tech II	HS	Y (Virtual Only)	3	Prompt will be loaded into Judge Pro or emailed on 11/30 with upload due 12/1
Extemporaneous Speaking	HS	N	1	
Flight 1	MS	N	2	Plane Only
Flight II	HS	N	2	Plane Only
Leadership Strats	MS	N	1	
On-Demand Video I	MS	N	2	Prompt will be loaded into Judge Pro or emailed on 12/6 On-site portion only
On Demand Video II	HS	N	2	Prompt will be loaded into Judge Pro or emailed on 12/6
Photographic Tech	HS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	Use 2023-24 prompt
Prepared Presentation II	HS	N	2	
Prepared Speech I	MS	N	2	
Problem Solving I	MS	N	2	
Problem Solving II	HS	N	2	
Promotional Design II	HS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	
Promotional Marketing I	MS	Y (Virtual Only)	2	
Structure I	MS	N	3	Structure Only
Structure II	HS	N	3	Structure Only
System Control I	MS	N	2	
System Control II	HS	N	2	
Tech Bowl I	MS	N	1	
Tech Bowl II	HS	N	1	
VEX	MS	N	2	Scrimmage only!