

2017-2018 Minnesota Future Problem Solving Calendar and Costs

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Workshops – Summer/Fall 2017

Event	Date/s of Training	Times/Location	Registration Deadline	Fees
New Coach Training CPS Process	August 21 and 22	8:30 – 3:00 each day St. Cloud North Junior High	August 15	\$200.00
CmPS Coach Training	August 23	9:00 – 3:00 St. Cloud North Junior High	August 15	\$125.00 per coach
CmPS Training	August 23	9:00 – 3:00 St. Cloud North Junior High	August 15	\$25.00 per Participant
CmPS Training	August 23	9:00 – 3:00 St. Cloud North Junior High	August 15	\$15.00 per Parent
New Coach Training CPS Process	September 21-22	8:30 – 3:00 each day Richfield Church of Christ	September 15	\$200.00
Advanced Coached Training – CPS Process Tools	September 23	9:00 – 2:00 Richfield Church of Christ	September 15	\$95.00
Scenario Coach Training	September 23	9:00 – 2:00 Richfield Church of Christ	September 15	\$95.00
Evaluator Training	October 14	8:45 to Noon Richfield Church of Christ	October 9	NC for Evaluators \$75.00 for coaches

Watch for Registration Information in our newsletter and on our website in August.

District Registration - Annual for each District

Description	Registration Deadline	Fee
Returning Public Schools	October 13, 2017	\$135.00
New Public School Districts	October 13, 2017	\$90.00
Parochial/Private Schools	October 13, 2017	\$75.00
Home Schools	October 13, 2017	\$50.00

To submit your District Registration, go to: <https://mnfjsp.wufoo.com/forms/mqs7rd01qhiz0f/>

Or go to www.mnfjsp.org, click on the “What’s New” Tab, then Click on “2017-2018 District Registration.”

MN FPSP State Board Meetings – Check the MN FPSP website calendar for more info

October 14, 2017	Board Meeting	12:30 – 4:00 p.m.
February 19-23, 2018	Distance Meeting	Via Google Docs
June 23, 2018	Annual Reorganization Meeting	8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Competition Calendars – Next Pages

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GLOBAL ISSUES PROBLEM SOLVING - GIPS (Teams and Individuals)

Watch for Registration Information in the Fall Newsletter.

Event	Important Dates	Other Info
Team & Individual Registrations	Due: October 20, 2017	\$130.00 per Team \$45.00 per Individual Covers Problems 1 & 2, and Regional Competition
Problem #1 Topic: Spread of Infectious Disease <i>(Optional, but recommended)</i>	Due: October 20, 2017	Submit Steps 1-3 on ROCS No Charge
Problem #1 Evaluations Released	October 30, 2017	Access Results Via ROCS
Problem #2 Topic: Toxic Materials <i>(Mandatory to qualify for Regional Competition)</i>	Due: November 22, 2017	Submit All Steps on ROCS No Charge
Problem #2 Evaluation	December 1-2, 2017	
Problem #2 Results Released	December 4, 2017	Access Results Via ROCS
Regional Registration of Student Names	Due: December 15, 2017	Regional Info sent via email
Regional Topic: Philanthrocapitalism	Competition Date: January 27, 2018	Regional Assignments to be announced early December.
Regional Evaluation	February 2-4, 2018	
Regional Results Released	February 5, 2018	State Invitations sent via email. Paper results via post. Some evaluations via ROCS.
State Competition Registrations Due	February 23, 2018	\$20.00 Late Fee per Reg received after Due Date
State Registrations Fees Due	Due: March 16, 2018	\$150.00 per Team \$45.00 per Individual \$30.00 per MAGIC Competitor
State Competition Topic: Cloud Storage	March 24, 2018	St. Cloud Apollo High School
International Conference Topic: To be announced in March	June 6-10, 2018 \$475 to \$575 per person.	Hosted by MN FPSP at UW-La Crosse, Wisconsin
Freelance/Non-competitive Evaluations Talk to Cheryl@mnfbsp.org for more information.	Dates determined as needed.	\$25.00 per evaluation. Ask about our quantity rate for classrooms.

Minnesota FPS is now offering both Adult GIPS and CmPS Team Competitions.

Adult teams may consist of Alumni, Coaches, retired Coaches, Parents, or Evaluators.

A Regional Booklet Submission is required to qualify for State Competition. The cost is \$50.00. Qualifying teams will be invited to the State Competition. This cost is also \$50.00 per team. The top team will be invited to the International Competition. REMEMBER! We're hosting so let's bring a great team to IC!

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Scenario Writing

Scenario Registrations	Due: October 27, 2017	\$75.00 per student
Round One Evaluation - <i>Optional</i>	Submissions Due: December 6, 2017	NC
State Competition Submission	Due: January 26, 2018	NC
IC Submission	Due: March 9, 2018	IC Fees Due - TBD

Scenario Performance

Scenario Performance Registrations	Due: October 27, 2017	\$50.00 per student
Regional Competition	January 27, 2018	NC
State Competition	March 24, 2018	\$50.00

Community Problem Solving - CmPS

CmPS Team Registrations	Due: October 27, 2017	\$190.00 per Team
CmPS Individual Registrations	Due: October 27, 2017	\$75.00 per Individual
CmPS Preliminary Reports	Due: December 8, 2017	NC
CmPS State Submissions on ROCS	Due: March 9, 2018	NC
CmPS Interviews – Virtually	March 14 – 21, 2018	NC
CmPS State Display Judging	March 24, 2018	NC
IC Submissions Due	April 25, 2018	Fees - TBD

Please note: There will be a \$20.00 per team or individual fee assessed for each late registration and/or late payment. The due date reflects the date that the check must be in the FPS Office. Teams that have not paid registration and outstanding late fees by the date of competition will not be evaluated and will, therefore, not be eligible to advance to the next level of competition.

*** No special accommodations will be made for students testing on competition dates.

ACT Test Dates: September 9, October 28, December 9, 2017

February 10, April 14, and June 9, 2018

SAT Test Dates: October 7, November 4, December 2, 2017

March 10, May 5, and June 2, 2018

*** All teams, including the adult teams, are required to compete in the Presentation of Action Plan at the Regional and State Competitions in order for their written work to qualify to advance. Accommodations cannot be made for other activities.