2015 Vermont Treasury Cup Challenge

Vermont High School Competition

May 8, 2015, Montpelier, Pavilion Building

Fax entry form to Lisa Helme, Treasurer's Office, (802) 828-2772, or mail to Office of the State Treasurer, Attn: Lisa Helme, 109 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05609. You may also send this form electronically to lisa.helme@state.vt.us. **Entry deadline is April 6.** Questions? Call Lisa Helme at (802) 828-3706.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM ENTRY FORM (DON'T MISS pg. 2 of this form)

High School: _____

Sponsoring Teacher: _____

Teacher Discipline Area (math, business, family studies, etc.): _____

Teacher Contact Information: (phone) _____ (e-mail) _____

School Address: _____

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STUDENT TEAM

Teams are comprised of four students in grades 9-12. Teams also are permitted to have as many as two alternates.

Name of Student	Current Grade in School
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Alternates (optional)

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SUBMIT YOUR TEAM QUESTIONS

Competing schools have the opportunity to submit questions for use in the competition. Tournament organizers work each year to rewrite questions and add new ones to keep the content fresh. However, the underlying concepts and content the Challenge supports, largely remains unchanged. The goal of the competition is to encourage knowledge in: (1) the fundamental workings of an economy; (2) reinforce personal finance skills and knowledge in areas such as budgeting, credit, banking, insurance, and taxes; and (3) create awareness of consumer issues such as renter rights, identity theft, and federal protections like the Truth in Lending Act. ***As a coach, you have the opportunity to submit five questions for the competition.*** They must be multiple choice, with four choices, and they must be from the three main content areas. As we pull together questions for this year's competition, your questions will be considered. You will be informed if we use any of your questions. Those questions would be placed into the large question pool and "seeded" into one of the rounds. Who knows? Your team could receive one of the questions you submit!

Below are the question areas. You are allowed to submit two questions in economics, two in personal finance, and one in consumer affairs. Questions must be submitted by **April 6**, however, the earlier your questions are received the better. If teams submit duplicate content-area questions, we will select the one we received first. (i.e. two questions both asking what compound interest is, etc.)

You may submit your questions on a separate piece of paper.

ECONOMICS

(1)

(2)

PERSONAL FINANCES

(1)

(2)

CONSUMER AFFAIRS

(1)