



GET INVOLVED: TEAMS

Being part of a FIRST Robotics Competition team inspires students to learn more about science, technology, engineering and math.

I tell you and you forget.

I show you and you remember.

I involve you and you understand.

Eric Butterworth

FRC allows students to:

- » Learn from and play with the “pros” of the science and engineering world
- » Apply math and science concepts to design, build, test and compete with robots
- » Gain hands-on experience solving real-world problems
- » Discover the excitement and rewards of science and technology careers



Every student – regardless of his or her scientific, mathematic or technological expertise – can participate and benefit. There are critical roles for students in:

- » Design and building
- » Computer animation and programming
- » Research
- » Fundraising
- » Public relations and marketing

“...the most memorable and important part of my life in high school...being on the team proved to me the importance of teamwork in a very real and concrete way...the team provides an opportunity to apply the knowledge learned in school from many subject areas.”

Ian McKenzie

Woburn Robotics Team alumnus,
went on to University of Waterloo (Canada) in Systems Design Engineering

Your FIRST team will need:

- » Dedicated students with a variety of capabilities
- » Coaching and enthusiastic support from school faculty
- » Industry engineers, technicians or other professionals
- » Community support to coordinate the project beyond the design and build phase
- » Corporate sponsors to help with the cost of participation

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