



2023 Akron ACT-SO Competition

Akron Competition – April 29-30, 2023

Nationals – July 27-20, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES

Feb 3, 2023	Registration Deadline
Feb 4, 2023	Orientation
Feb – Apr, 1 st & 3 rd Saturdays, 11am	ACT-SO Workshops: Development & Mentor
April 29-30, 2023	Akron Competition, Akron OH
July 27-30, 2023	National Competition, Atlantic City, New Jersey

ACT-SO PROGRAM

The Akron ACT-SO (Afro-Academic Cultural Technological Scientific Olympics) Competition is an academic and talent achievement program for Summit County high school students. Students compete in up to 3 competitions from 5 ACT-SO categories: STEM, Humanities, Performing Arts, Visual Arts, or Business. Akron gold medal winners advance to the National ACT-SO competition where top finishers receive awards, prize packages, cash prizes, scholarships, and more.

ELIGIBILITY

- A current high school student enrolled in and attending a high school in Summit County, Ohio
- An amateur who has not received wages for showcased talent
- Must submit an Akron ACT-SO Registration Form

REQUIREMENTS

Attend Virtual Orientation: Feb 4, 2023, 11am - *Student & Parent/Guardian must attend*

Attend Virtual Workshops: 1st & 3rd Saturdays, 11am – *Student must attend*

1st Saturdays, 11am – ACT-SO Development: Time management, presentation skills, professional etiquette, etc.

3rd Saturdays, 11am – ACT-SO Mentor: Topical mentoring sessions focusing on student's competition project(s)

CATEGORIES & COMPETITIONS: Select up to 3 competitions

STEM

- Architecture, Biology/Microbiology, Chemistry/Biochemistry, Computer Science, Earth & Space Sciences, Engineering, Mathematics, Medicine & Health, Physics

HUMANITIES

- Music Composition, Original Essay, Playwriting, Poetry-Written, Short Story

BUSINESS

- Entrepreneurship, Hospitality Management

PERFORMING ARTS

- Dance: Ballet, Contemporary, Modern, Traditional
- Dramatics: staging/acting plays
- Music Instrument: Classical, Contemporary
- Music Vocal: Classical, Contemporary
- Oratory, Poetry: Performance

VISUAL ARTS

- Drawing, Film-Making, Painting, Photography, Sculpture

CONTACT

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STUDENT INFORMATION

NAME	US CITIZEN: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
HIGH SCHOOL	GRADE:	
BIRTH DATE		
ADDRESS 1		
ADDRESS 2		
PHONE	CELL:	HOME:
EMAIL		

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> PARENT <input type="checkbox"/> GUARDIAN	
PHONE	CELL:	HOME:
EMAIL		

CATEGORIES & COMPETITIONS: *Select up to 3 Competitions*

STEM	HUMANITIES	PERFORMING ARTS	VISUAL ARTS
<input type="checkbox"/> Architecture <input type="checkbox"/> Biology/Microbiology <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry/Biochem <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science <input type="checkbox"/> Earth & Space Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics <input type="checkbox"/> Medicine & Health <input type="checkbox"/> Physics	<input type="checkbox"/> Music Composition <input type="checkbox"/> Original Essay <input type="checkbox"/> Playwriting <input type="checkbox"/> Poetry-Written <input type="checkbox"/> Short Story <div style="background-color: black; color: white; text-align: center; padding: 2px;">BUSINESS</div> <input type="checkbox"/> Entrepreneurship	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance: Ballet <input type="checkbox"/> Dance: Contemporary <input type="checkbox"/> Dance: Modern <input type="checkbox"/> Dance: Traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Dramatics <input type="checkbox"/> Music: Inst/Classical <input type="checkbox"/> Music: Inst/Contemporary <input type="checkbox"/> Music: Vocal/Classical <input type="checkbox"/> Music: Vocal/Contemporary <input type="checkbox"/> Oratory <input type="checkbox"/> Poetry: Performance	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing <input type="checkbox"/> Filmmaking <input type="checkbox"/> Painting <input type="checkbox"/> Photography <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture

Student Signature

Student Printed Name

Date

Parent Signature

Parent Printed Name

Date

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION BY FEBRUARY 3, 2023

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