

Science Jeopardy Information

Who is allowed in the room during the game?

A current game session's team, teachers, and accompanying parents.

Can photos be taken during a game?

A picture of the opening title screen is ok but **NO** other photos are allowed during the game.

What can a team bring with them to use during the game?

Clever minds and sharp wits definitely ok. Electronic devices (calculators, phones, etc.), reference materials (e.g., periodic table, etc.), and handwritten notes are **NOT allowed**. Paper and pens/pencils will be provided.

Each team will be provided with one Button/Buzzer

- Rest button on the table. **Do not** pound it!
- **Do not** push on button continuously (that will lock it out of the system)
- Button **lights up** for team who buzzes in first (**check** that your button is lit **before** responding)
- If a button is activated accidentally, a team must still respond

Rules of the Game

- **Maximum** 5 players per team (extra team members can **sub in** for Double Jeopardy round)
- Each team picks a **person to handle the button**.
- Each team picks a **person to give response and select category value** (can be same person as above).
- After a category value is selected, teams have **10 s to buzz in** (category answer will **not be read out**).
- After a team has buzzed in, they **must give response within 2 s** (else incorrect and points deducted).
- Response **must be in the form of a question** (else points deducted).
- **First** response taken even if another team member gives a second response in the middle of first one.
- Even after a team has buzzed in, other teams should **continue to work** on their responses in case the first team gives an incorrect response.
- After a team gives an incorrect response, **it cannot try again** for that round. Buttons are made active again for **5 s to allow other teams** to try.
- If a team **buzzes in before** an answer is revealed, points are deducted (50 pts if no category value selected, else it's the points of the category value).