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Students prepare to compete in 33rd annual BPA regional Science Bowl

Portland, Ore. – High school students from Washington and Oregon are preparing to vie for victory at this year's Science Bowl, the second-largest regional Science Bowl in the nation.

The event, hosted by the Bonneville Power Administration and the University of Portland, brings in over 500 students from public and private schools to face off in an intense, jeopardy-style tournament that tests students' knowledge in science disciplines such as biology, chemistry, Earth science, physics, energy and math. Teams often spend months preparing, reviewing, and quizzing in order to compete at a high level in this intense tournament. The winning high school team will advance to the U.S. Department of Energy's National Science Bowl in Washington, D.C. The finals take place April 24 to 28.

Last year, Mountain View High School from Vancouver, WA, emerged victorious against Lake Oswego High School from Lake Oswego, OR, for the title of regional champions and the opportunity to compete in the National Science Bowl.

Competition staff are comprised of BPA personnel and volunteers, many of whom are previous Science Bowl competitors who hope to encourage a new generation of scientific minds.

BPA REGIONAL SCIENCE BOWL 2025

Where: Franz Hall, University of Portland

When: Feb. 22, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

More Info: [Science Bowl - Bonneville Power Administration](#)

***About BPA** The Bonneville Power Administration is a federal non-profit power marketing administration that delivers reliable, low-cost hydropower produced in the Columbia River Basin, as well as the output from the region's only nuclear plant, to communities across the Northwest. BPA also owns and operates more than 15,000 circuit miles of high-voltage transmission lines. More information about these and other activities is available on our [Media Relations page](#).*

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