



American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Student Knowledge Bowl 2026 Regional Qualifier Application

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Application Deadline: December 31, 2025

Regional Qualifier Competitions:

- Central Region
March 19-20
The Culinary Institute of Michigan-Muskegon Campus
336 W. Clay Ave.
Muskegon, MI 49440
- Northeast Region
March 6 - 7
Community College of Allegheny County
800 Allegheny Ave.
Pittsburgh, PA 15233
- Southeast Region
March 27-28
Providence Culinary Training
3330 Shorefair Dr.
Winston Salem, NC 27105
- Western Region
February 27-28
Los Angeles Trade-Technical College
400 W. Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90015

ACF National Convention: ACF National Convention, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Date – June 28-July 2, 2026

Application Fee:

Qualifier Competition - due with application (non-refundable) \$250

NOTE: All qualifier and national competitors and coaches must be ACF members.

Winner Notification:

- The regional winners will be announced at their respective qualifiers and will have ten (10) days to accept the invitation to compete at the ACF National Competitions.



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Knowledge Bowl Team Application

Region: _____ ACF Chapter: _____ Chapter ID#: _____

School Affiliation (if any): _____

Coach: _____ ACF member #: _____

Assistant Coach: _____ ACF member #: _____

Phone (day): _____ E-mail: _____

Team Members:

#1 Name: _____

ACF member #: _____ GPA: _____

#2 Name: _____

ACF member #: _____ GPA: _____

#3 Name: _____

ACF member #: _____ GPA: _____

#4 Name: _____

ACF member #: _____ GPA: _____

#5 Name: _____

ACF member #: _____ GPA: _____



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Coaches Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Payment can be made via credit card or check. If you are submitting a check, please make it out to: *American Culinary Federation*. Please contact the education department to pay with a credit card; educate@acfchefs.org