2020 SEASON FACTS

STATS (AS OF 01/02/2020)

• 29th Season Game: INFINITE RECHARGE™
• 3,898 Teams
  • 3,561 Veteran Teams
  • 337 Rookie Teams
• 97,450+ Youth Team Members
• 29,325+ Mentors/Adult Supporters
• 34 countries
  • Argentina (1 team)
  • Australia (46 teams)
  • Brazil (16 teams)
  • Canada (270 teams)
  • Chile (2 teams)
  • China (65 teams)
  • Chinese Taipei (29 teams)
  • Colombia (1 team)
  • Croatia (1 team)
  • Czech Republic (1 team)
  • Dominican Republic (4 teams)
  • France (1 team)
  • Germany (1 team)
  • India (3 teams)
  • Indonesia (1 team)
  • Israel (67 teams)
  • Japan (3 teams)
  • Kazakhstan (2 teams)
  • Libya (2 teams)
  • Mexico (86 teams)
  • Netherlands (4 teams)
  • New Zealand (2 teams)
  • Norway (1 team)
  • Poland (3 teams)
  • Singapore (2 teams)
  • South Africa (1 team)
  • South Korea (1 team)
  • Sweden (1 team)
  • Switzerland (1 team)
  • Turkey (107 teams)
  • Ukraine (2 teams)
  • United Kingdom (4 teams)
  • USA (3,166 teams)
  • Vietnam (1 team)

EVENTS

• 1 Live Kickoff: January 4, 2020 in Manchester, NH
• 160 Local Kickoffs tuning in via Twitch.tv
• 66 Regional Events
• 11 District Championships
  • Chesapeake, Indiana, Israel, Michigan, Mid-Atlantic, New England, North Carolina, Ontario, Pacific Northwest, Peachtree, Texas/New Mexico Districts
• 105 District Events
• 2 Championship Events: April 15 - 18, 2020 in Houston, TX and April 29 - May 2, 2020 in Detroit, MI

FUN FACTS

• Kickoff Kits shipped to nearly 160 Kickoff sites
• More than 115 tons of Kickoff Kit materials shipped all over the world by FedEx (weighs more than 27,000 gallons of water or 10 School busses)

ROBOT FACTS

• Weight: up to approximately 140 lbs. total
• Robots are remotely controlled
• Powered by a 12 volt battery

KIT OF PARTS FACTS

• Items from more than 80 in-kind donors
• Over 350 different items distributed via the Kit of Parts system

FIELD FACTS

• Playing area: 27’ W x 54’ L
• Droids score cells and move the control panel
• Droids then hang to balance the switch

SCHOLARSHIPS AND ALUMNI

• FIRST® Scholarship Program – over $80 million in scholarship opportunities available from 200 FIRST Scholarship Providers to help on the next steps of your journey
• Internship Portal – access to exclusive internship opportunities from top FIRST supporters
• Career Guidance – how to leverage FIRST participation to pursue future career paths
• Networking – Opportunities to connect with other FIRST Alumni around the world

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