Teams advance to the next level of Competition in the order indicated below according to the number of spots available. Teams outside North America should contact their FTC partner for information about advancement criteria. The advancement criteria will be applied to Teams in North America as follows:

1. Optional – Qualifier Host Team (NOTE: Each region’s Affiliate Partner decides if this advancement opportunity will be offered, and if so, when the host Team must be identified. The Team MUST compete at one other Tournament within the region and must meet the criteria set forth by the Affiliate Partner in the agreement. This advancement applies to Qualifying Tournament hosts only, and does NOT apply to host Teams of Meets, League Championships or Championship Tournaments).

2. Inspire Award Winner
3. Winning Alliance Captain
4. Inspire Award 2nd place
5. Winning Alliance, 1st Team selected
6. Inspire Award 3rd place
7. Winning Alliance, 2nd Team selected
8. Think Award Winner
9. Finalist Alliance Captain
10. Connect Award Winner
11. Finalist Alliance, 1st Team selected
12. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award Winner
13. Finalist Alliance, 2nd Team selected
14. Design Award Winner
15. Motivate Award Winner
16. Control Award Winner
17. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
18. Think Award 2nd Place
19. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
20. Connect Award 2nd Place
21. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
22. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award 2nd Place
23. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
24. Design Award 2nd Place
25. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
26. Motivate Award Winner 2nd Place
27. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
28. Control Award Winner 2nd Place
29. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
30. Think Award 3rd Place
31. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
32. Connect Award 3rd Place
33. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
34. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award 3rd Place
35. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
36. Design Award 3rd Place
37. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
38. Motivate Award 3rd Place
39. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
40. Control Award 3rd Place
41. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
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50. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
51. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
52. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.

**refers to Qualification Match Ranking. These advancements are in order. There is no normalizing of rank between divisions.