

SUPER QUIZ - Scoring

Super Quiz is typically held in a large theatre and is the last event of the state competition. Students should report to the theatre at the time announced on the competition schedule. No one will be allowed into the theatre following the General Assembly on Saturday morning. The doors will be opened per the scheduled time on the Competition Schedule. Decathletes are seated first followed by coaches and other spectators.

When decathletes enter the auditorium or theatre for Super Quiz, rows will be marked to identify their seating location. Row 1 will be reserved for Varsity 7 students, row 2 for V8 students, row 3 for V9, row 4 for S4, row 5 for S5, row 6 for S6, row 7 for H1, row 8 for H2 and row 9 for H3. There will be a reserved section for coaches. Ushers will be at the door to help with seating.

The **format and scoring** of the Super Quiz shall be as follows:

The final team score and team standing will be determined with the *written test* having 40 questions worth 15 points each and counting for 60% ($15 \times 40 = 600$). The *oral relay* will have 5 questions per student worth 80 points each that shall count for 40% of the total ($5 \times 80 = 400$).

Relay order will be V7, V8, V9, S4, S5, S6, H1, H2 and H3. The Scantron forms that students fill out during the written portion of the test will be scanned into the computer scoring program. These same forms will be at the students' stations when they take their places for the relay. The students must then bubble in the answers for their 5 relay questions as items 41-45 on the Scantron answer sheet.

An electronic keypad system is used in addition to the Scantron answer form. The system name will be on name "tents" to identify the location where team members sit on stage. Students should locate and sit at the responder identified with the name of their school district. After the MC has read the question, students will have 7 seconds to key in the answer in the electronic keypad and bubble in their response on the Scantron answer form. The computer timer will close the electronic keypads after 7 seconds. A written copy of the question being read orally by the MC will be in front of each student. Questions will be identified as V7, V8, etc. Students should double-check to be sure that they have their Scantron sheet and the correct set of questions. Pencils will be provided.

Each question will be displayed on a screen as the MC reads it. Scores for each team will be displayed on this screen at the conclusion of each round of questions. The score displayed at the end of the oral Super Quiz will be **UNOFFICIAL**. The Scantron answer forms are used for determining the official scores.