



FIRST Tech Challenge Season Event Registration 2022-23

The *FIRST* Inspires registration opened in Early September. Make sure to register your team in your dashboard at <https://www.firstinspires.org/> and pay the \$295 *FIRST* Inspires team participation fee.

IMPORTANT: remove obsolete mentors and make sure your current mentors 1 and 2 names and email addresses are up-to-date and correct. *FIRST* Chesapeake sends invoices to these listed email addresses and cannot make changes to team accounts.

FIRST Chesapeake invoices will be sent out September 15, 2022, and **payments are due by October 14, 2022.**

The *FIRST* Chesapeake event registration fee is \$300 which entitles a team to compete at two in-person qualifiers. Payment should be made via the payment options outlined in the invoice. If your team didn't receive an invoice, please email finance@firstchesapeake.org for assistance.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Event selection/assignment is not allowed until a team is (1) registered with FIRST Inspires and (2) the qualifier registration payment is received by FIRST Chesapeake. Additionally, teams must have two Lead Coaches who have completed YPP screening.

Refunds will only be given to rookie teams who were unable to obtain the necessary kit of parts to assemble a working robot.

- 1st Play Selection Process:
 - 1st event preferences open Oct. 15-22
 - A link to select preferences will be sent to the Lead Coaches on Oct 15th.
 - Teams will make 3 selections
 - Assignments will be based on lottery and home event preference. Assignments will be confirmed by Oct. 25
- 2nd Play Selection Process:
 - 2nd event preferences open Oct. 26 – Nov. 2
 - Teams will make 3 new selections from the remaining event slots
 - Assignments based on lottery and home event preference. Assignments will be confirmed by Nov. 6

If you have questions, please contact Alex Bryant, Director of Programs, at ftc-teams@firstchesapeake.org

Invoice questions? Please contact our Accounts Manager, Phyllis at payments@firstchesapeake.org