

ARIZONA ODYSSEY OF THE MIND



**Central Regional Tournament
February 28, 2026
Eduprize Schools - Gilbert Campus**

**Important Rules that ALL TEAMS must follow:
(Please Review Closely)**

- 1) **ONLY SOFT SOLED SHOES ON THE GYMNASIUM FLOORS.** (i.e. tennis shoe or soft rubber shoe). **NO HARD SOLED SHOES OR HIGH HEELS** on the gymnasium floors.
- 2) **NO FOOD OR DRINK IN COMPETITION SITES.** Water is allowed in all areas except for the gym where the awards ceremony will be held. Food is allowed outside buildings. Please dispose of all trash in proper containers.
- 3) **NO WEAPONS** are allowed on campus. Multi-tools and other sharp instruments **MUST** be held in possession of the coach.
- 4) **NO SMOKING/TOBACCO, ALCOHOL, OR GAMBLING** permitted on campus including the parking lot.
- 5) **NO FOG MACHINES ALLOWED IN THE BUILDINGS.**
- 6) **NO OPEN FLAMES OR CHARCOAL GRILLS**
- 7) **RESPECT THE CAMPUS GROUNDS.** Teams are to be respectful of the campus grounds. Teams will be assessed penalty points & will be financially responsible for any damage. These rules apply to damage done by family & visitors associated with team.
 - No climbing trees
 - No entering unauthorized rooms/buildings
 - No damaging property in any way
 - A good rule of thumb - if it does not belong to you, don't touch
- 8) **EVERY TEAM IS REQUESTED TO TAKE HOME ALL THEIR PROPS, BACKDROPS, ETC.** Please do not discard on campus.

Words of Thanks

We would like to give a special thank you to Eduprize Schools-Gilbert Campus who allowed the Central Region of Arizona Odyssey of the Mind to use their campus for today's competition.

Volunteers

Arizona Odyssey of the Mind is a volunteer organization that is funded solely by the team memberships and tournament registrations. In order to put on the tournament, we require the dedicated commitment of well over 150 volunteers who give their time to make this event happen. Thank you to all the volunteers, judges and coaches!

Team Created “What Type of Patriotic Animal are You?”

The information for the Team Created Contest can be found in each team's registration packet coaches picked up from registration desk before the team's competition time. Participation in this contest is optional. This is not an official Odyssey of the Mind problem. Winning teams are awarded a prize.

Spontaneous Competition

All teams should check in no later than 15 minutes before assigned competition time. *Teams may always check in early.* If Spontaneous is running ahead of schedule, teams may be able to go in early.

Picture & Video Taking

The only people who will be able to take pictures or video a performance will be team-identified supporters.

Off the Rails Div I Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - GYM Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
10:40am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4629	12:00pm
12:20pm	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5120	10:20am
12:40pm	Vistancia Village Creative Innovators Project T	6096	10:40am

Off the Rails Div II Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - GYM Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
9:00am	Wigwam Creek Middle School	5989	1:00pm
9:20am	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5121	1:20pm
10:00am	Paseo Verde Elementary School	7062	12:40pm
10:20am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6369	12:20pm

Off the Rails Div III Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - GYM Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
1:00pm	Logos Christian Academy	7284	10:00am
1:20pm	University High School - Tolleson	6566	9:40pm

Lost in OMERland Div I Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 41 Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
8:20am	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5122	12:40pm
8:40am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4630	1:00pm

Lost in OMERland Div II Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 41 Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
9:10am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4634	10:40am
10:00am	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5123	12:00pm
10:20am	Paradise Valley United Methodist Church	5797	12:20pm
11:40am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6364	9:40am
12:00pm	Madison Meadows Middle School TM B	6374	10:20am
12:20pm	Wigwam Creek Middle School	5990	10:00am

The Epic Quest Div I Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - LIBRARY Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2			
Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
1:40pm	San Tan Charter School	6724	8:40am
2:00pm	Madison Simis Elementary School	4723	8:20am
2:20pm	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6370	9:00am
2:40pm	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4631	9:20am

The Epic Quest Div II
Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - LIBRARY
Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
8:00am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4635	12:20pm
8:20am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6367	12:00pm
8:40am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM B	6375	12:40pm
9:00am	Eduprize Schools-Gilbert	5972	2:20pm
9:40am	Sunset Heights Elementary School	3952	1:00pm
10:00am	Keystone Montessori Charter School	6046	2:00pm
10:20am	Wigwam Creek Middle School	5991	1:20pm
10:40am	Ruth Fisher Middle School	6445	1:40pm
12:00pm	Paseo Verde Elementary School	7035	10:40am

The Epic Quest Div III
Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - LIBRARY
Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
12:20pm	Logos Christian Academy	7285	10:20am
12:40pm	University High School - Tolleson	6565	10:00am
1:00pm	Vistancia Village Creative Innovators Project	5879	9:40am

Life's a Ball! Div I Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - ROOM 31 Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2				
Long Term	Weigh In	Membership Name	Number	Spont
9:00am	8:00am	Madison Simis Elementary School	4724	12:40pm
9:20am	8:20am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6371	1:00pm
9:40am	8:40am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM B	6373	1:40pm
10:00am	9:00am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4632	1:20pm
10:20am	9:20am	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5124	12:20pm

Life's a Ball! Div II Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - ROOM 31 Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2				
Long Term	Weigh In	Membership Name	Number	Spont
12:00pm	11:00am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4636	10:20pm
12:20pm	11:20am	Desert Oasis Elementary School	6079	9:40am
12:40pm	11:40am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6368	10:00am
1:00pm	12:00pm	Highland Lakes Elementary School	5125	10:40am

Life's a Ball! Div III Long Term Location: BUILDING 3 - ROOM 31 Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2				
Long Term	Weigh In	Membership Name	Number	Spont
10:40am	9:40am	University High School - Tolleson	6567	12:00pm

Taller Tales of John Jivery Div I
Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 45
Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
9:40am	Winter Well Elementary School	6446	11:40am
10:00am	Vistancia Village Creative Innovators Project	6097	1:00pm
10:40am	Madison Simis Elementary School	4715	1:20pm
11:00am	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6372	2:00pm
11:20am	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4633	1:40pm

Taller Tales of John Jivery Div II
Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 45
Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
12:40pm	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek	4637	10:00am
1:00pm	Montecito Montessori School	7212	10:20am
1:20pm	Madison Meadows Middle School TM A	6366	11:00am
1:40pm	Vistancia Village Creative Innovators Project	6095	10:40am

Taller Tales of John Jivery Div III
Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 45
Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
9:20am	Logos Christian Academy	7283	11:20am

Clowning Around With Science Primary

Long Term Location: BUILDING 1 - ROOM 41

Spontaneous Location: BUILDING 2

Long Term	Membership Name	Number	Spont
1:20pm	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek TM A	4638	9:00am
1:40pm	Eduprize Schools-Queen Creek TM B	4959	9:20am



PRIMARY AWARDS CEREMONY

TIME	LOCATION
2:00 PM	BUILDING 1 – ROOM 41



**Awards Ceremony Activities
Building 4 - High School Gym
(Approximate Schedule*)**

4:00 PM	Gym open for seating <u>NO FOOD OR DRINK ALLOWED</u>
4:15 PM	Team Created Contest “What Type of Patriotic Animal are You?”
4:30 PM	Awards Ceremony

***AWARD CEREMONY:**

The awards ceremony will begin as soon as all scores are inputted and verified. We hope to meet this schedule, but delays in the competition schedule may delay our start time. Please be patient. All team scores will be posted on the website www.azodysey.org after the competition.

AFTER THE AWARDS CEREMONY:

After the awards ceremony, teams will be given packets with their scores, problem paperwork and other important information. **Please pick these packets up from the indicated area before leaving.**

ADVANCING TO STATE:

Teams that finish **first, second or third place** in their division will advance to the state finals held **March 28, 2026 at Canyon Del Oro High School in Tucson**. In addition to first and second place teams, any team that finishes in third place and has the **highest** score in either long-term, style or spontaneous will also advance to state. Those teams will be notified during the awards ceremony that they qualified to advance to state. **Ranatra Fusca** winners also advance to state.