

## Questions and Answers for 2008 LEGO Competition

Question 1: If a school is planning to bring more than one team, can the teams share a single laptop or does each team need a separate computer?

Answer 1: They can share a computer. All teams will be subject to the constraints on who can make revisions, the time allowed to do so, and the extent of changes. Teams sharing a computer will have to make their changes one team at a time, rather than both teams working together, but there will be time to do this.

Question 2: I was wondering if and how we can get the exact specifics of the track that will be used at the competition. We were planning to build a replica of the track to practice with here at our school.

Answer 2: There aren't any drawings of the competition surface. You are welcome to come back to WKU and take pictures and make sketches with measurements if you think that will assist your teams.

Question 3: Must each team negotiate both tracks at the competition (the curved ramp route and the flat path around the edge)?

Answer 3: No. Teams must run the course twice (and add their 2 scores). They may choose to run one route two times, or both routes once each.

Question 4: Will the new bridge (replacing the boat) have a Plexiglas gate, like the boat did?

Answer 4: No, just a smooth(er) ramp up that will resemble the old boat, and a ramp down in the vicinity of the location where the boat used to stop. The bridge will have a black road with a white line, and some side railings.