

TARC 2005 Application

Read the rules and frequently asked questions at www.rocketcontest.org before you begin. ALL INFORMATION ON THE APPLICATION IS REQUIRED.

The Team America Rocketry Challenge is open to the first 1,250 teams that submit a completed application, including payment, postmarked no later than November 30, 2004. Teams must be made up of a minimum of 3 and no more than 15 students who are currently enrolled in grades 7 through 12 in a U.S. school. All members of a team MUST be students at the SAME middle school or high school, or members of the SAME chapter or unit of a U.S. incorporated non-profit youth organization (excluding the National Association of Rocketry, Tripoli Rocketry Association, or any other rocket club or organization).

Our primary communications with teams via email and all outgoing Aerospace Industries Association (AIA) email to teams is posted on our website. It is your responsibility to provide us with as many valid email addresses as possible to ensure you receive information in a timely manner.

The official electronic forum (NARTARC Forum) for exchanging information with teams and NAR mentors is located at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NARTARC/> and requires a Yahoo email address (www.yahoo.com). We STRONGLY recommend all teams establish an email account for their team at Yahoo, provide it in the email addresses section on your application, and join the Forum.

The \$80 registration fee MUST be included with the payment form and can only be paid by check, money order, VISA, MasterCard, or America Express. We DO NOT accept purchase orders or issue invoices.

Complete one application per team and mail it/them in a 9 X 12 envelope or an overnight delivery package (*please do not fold documents*). **Incomplete or illegible applications will not be processed and will be returned.**

After your application is processed, your team will be listed at www.rocketcontest.org as a "Registered Team," and a registration confirmation email with very important information will be sent to all the email addresses listed on your application. If you do not receive a registration confirmation email within 24 hours of your team being listed on our website, it probably means your email address is invalid or we have incorrectly entered it into our database. Email us at rocketcontest@aia-aerospace.org with a valid email address.

Mail or overnight your application to: **Aerospace Industries Association
Team America Rocketry Challenge
1000 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1700
Arlington, Virginia 22209**

* All sales are final. You will be responsible for all charges incurred, including payment for any goods and/or services. If you are under 18 years old, you may participate only with the approval of a parent or guardian.

**The Supervising Teacher/Adult must complete and sign the teacher/adult agreement form stating that they understand the students are responsible for the creation, design, and flight of the rocket without the assistance of any other adult, teacher, or non-member of the team.

*** AIA will not accept copies or faxes of the application. Please make a copy of your application for your records. Application must be postmarked by November 30, 2004. Qualifying flight scores must be faxed to (703) 358-1131 by April 11, 2005. The 100 finalists will be posted at www.rocketcontest.org on April 14, 2005. The finals will be held on May 21, 2005 at Great Meadow, The Plains, Virginia.

****The Aerospace Industries Association reserves the right to make all last and final contest determinations.

TARC 2005 Supervising Teacher/Adult Application Checklist

To ensure your application is processed as quickly as possible, complete this checklist.

- ___ The application is legible and complete. Note: Illegible and incomplete applications will not be processed, will be returned to you, and may jeopardize your chances of competing in this year's competition.
- ___ All information submitted is true to the best of my knowledge.
- ___ I have read and understand the rules and the Frequently Asked Questions posted at www.rocketcontest.org.
- ___ The Supervising Teacher Agreement Form is completely filled out and is signed.
- ___ A Parent Consent Form for each team member is attached.
- ___ A check or money order for \$80 is attached to the payment form or credit card information is completed on the payment form.
- ___ I have made and retained a copy of all the application forms (Application Checklist, Payment Form, Copy of Application, Supervising Teacher/Adult Agreement Form, and the Parent Consent Forms) for my records.
- ___ The checklist is completed and signed.

Supervising Teacher/Adult Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

IMPORTANT: THE FORMS MUST BE IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER

Application Checklist
Payment Form
Application
Supervising Teacher/Adult Agreement Form
Parent Consent Forms

MAIL THEM IN A 9" X 12" ENVELOPE TO:

**AEROSPACE INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION
TEAM AMERICA ROCKETRY CHALLENGE
1000 WILSON BLVD., SUITE 1700
ARLINGTON, VA 22209**

TARC 2005 Payment Form

Purchaser is responsible for all of the non-refundable incurred charge. Payment for one team only must be submitted with each application. By submitting the application you accept this non-refundable fee. **WE DO NOT PROVIDE INVOICES OR ACCEPT PURCHASE ORDERS.**

Registration fee = \$80.00

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE BY: Check / Money Order / VISA / MasterCard / American Express

☐ Check ☐ Money Order

Check#_____ Check Amount \$_____
(Make checks and money orders payable to: Aerospace Industries Association)

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express - Charge Amount \$_____

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: ____/____

Name exactly as printed on the credit card: _____

Billing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cardholder's signature: _____

NOTE: Billing via credit card will appear on your credit card statement as "AIA Internet Account."

Attach Check Here

General Information

School/Organization Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

School/Organization Website URL: _____

Supervising Teacher/Adult Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Title: _____

School/Organization: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Work Phone Number (with area code): _____

Home Phone Number (with area code): _____

Fax Phone Number (with area code): _____

Email Addresses (Please provide as many as possible)

Supervisor's Primary Email: _____

Supervisor's Secondary Email: _____

Student Program Manager's Email: _____

Other Email: _____

Other Email: _____

Other Email: _____

Experience

Has anyone competed in a previous TARC? Y/N Years? 2003/2004

Has anyone competed in the finals of a previous TARC? Y/N Years? 2003/2004

Average Team Experience Level (1 = beginner, 10 = experienced): _____

Is anyone a member of NAR? Y/N

NAR Member Name(s): _____

Team Member Information (3 minimum, 15 maximum)

1. Name: _____ Grade: _____

2. Name: _____ Grade: _____

3. Name: _____ Grade: _____

4. Name: _____ Grade: _____

5. Name: _____ Grade: _____

6. Name: _____ Grade: _____

7. Name: _____ Grade: _____

8. Name: _____ Grade: _____

9. Name: _____ Grade: _____

10. Name: _____ Grade: _____

11. Name: _____ Grade: _____

12. Name: _____ Grade: _____

13. Name: _____ Grade: _____

14. Name: _____ Grade: _____

15. Name: _____ Grade: _____

TARC 2005 Supervising Teacher/Adult Agreement Form

I understand that the students on my team are responsible for the creation, design, and flight of the rocket without the assistance of any other adult, teacher, or non-member of the team.

By signing this form I agree to supervise the team from:

School/Organization Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to make sure that Aerospace Industries Association receives all updated contact and student information.

I understand that the Aerospace Industries Association has the right to make all last and final contest determinations and that the application fee is non-refundable.

I have read and understand all of the rules of the contest.

All information submitted is true to the best of my knowledge.

Supervising Teacher/Adult Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

School/Organization Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

TARC 2005 Parent/Guardian Consent & Release Form

A form must be completed for each student participant. Application will not be processed without receipt of all students' Parent/Guardian Consent Forms. It must be typed, or printed legibly. This section is to be completed and signed by a Parent or Guardian. If the student is 18 years of age or over they should complete and sign the form themselves.

Supervising Teacher/Adult: _____

Organization/School Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I authorize my child (Full Name of Child), _____
to participate in the Team America Rocketry Challenge.

He/She attends _____ (school)

I certify that my son/daughter is in _____ grade and is _____ years old.

I hereby release Aerospace Industries Association and/or National Association of Rocketry and their respective member companies, affiliates, Board of Governors/Trustees, licensees and assigns from all claims, demands, liabilities, damages, costs and expenses that I may now or hereafter have against Aerospace Industries Association and/or National Association of Rocketry arising in connection with student's participation in the Team America Rocketry Challenge.

I hereby grant to Aerospace Industries Association of America, Inc. and/or the National Association of Rocketry the right to photograph and/or videotape and use the videotape and/or photograph of the below named student during participation in any events related to the Team America Rocketry Challenge and the right to use this media without further compensation to me or student or any limitation whatsoever.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Day: _____ Evening: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____