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**Clark High School defends Nevada Science Bowl
championship, advances to national competition in April**
Las Vegas, Reno, Henderson students comprise top finalists

LAS VEGAS – Clark High School students reign as back-to-back champions of the Nevada Science Bowl, hosted by the Nevada National Security Site, following the Feb. 2 competition at Vegas PBS.

Clark students were awarded a \$5,000 first prize for their math and science departments and an all-expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C., to compete in the April 25 to 29 U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) National Science Bowl, the largest and most prestigious national science competition.

Thirty student teams from 25 schools in Nevada and Utah competed in the 28th annual Nevada Science Bowl, answering questions from science, technology, engineering and mathematics fields. The Davidson Academy from Reno placed second, and Coronado High School from Henderson took third prize. The top 12 teams received cash prizes for their school's math and science departments.

Each year, more than 15,000 students compete nationally for the opportunity to represent their school at the DOE National Science Bowl.

Sponsors of the 2019 Nevada Science Bowl include the DOE National Nuclear Security Administration Nevada Field Office (signature sponsor), Mission Support and Test Services LLC, Environmental Management Nevada Program, Bureau of Reclamation, SOC, Navarro, JGMS, and the National Atomic Testing Museum.

For more information about the DOE National Science Bowl, visit <https://science.energy.gov/wdts/nsb>.

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