

Building the Future STEM Workforce

ABOUT THE CHALLENGE

- The *You Be The Chemist Challenge*® is a fun, FREE STEM competition for students in grades 5-8.
- Teams of 3-4 students participate at in-person or virtual Regional Challenges from January - March.
- The top five teams advance to the National Challenge in Houston from June 10 -11, 2024 where they have the opportunity to win SCHOLARSHIPS!

WHY PARTICIPATE?



It's important to begin STEM education early when enthusiasm is high. By focusing on students from grades 5-8, the Challenge builds interest and excitement among students to continue STEM exploration throughout high school, skilled trades and college.

CEF supplies educators and parents with all the necessary resources to participate in the Challenge, including online support, study materials, and tips on step-by-step implementation.

The Challenge provides opportunities for teachers to network with each other, for teachers and students to connect with STEM professionals, and for teachers to feel valued and important outside of the classroom.

JOIN THE CHALLENGE

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