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TCEA's 2019-2020 Super Area Computer Science Contest Winners Announced

In December 2019, students from all over Texas came together to put their STEM, problem-solving, and programming abilities to the test at the five TCEA Super Area Robotics Contests held across the state. Teams of 9–12th-grade students competed in activities in which they solved programming problems using critical thinking, collaboration, and technological skills. This competition includes both Advanced and Novice teams. Teams compete for a chance to advance to the state finals which is scheduled to be held in Austin, Texas on March 21, 2020.

This year marked the return of the local computer science contests, organized by TCEA and the Technology Applications/Computer Science Special Interest Group (TA/CS-SIG).

Below are the results of the contests, listed by division in alphabetical order by district.

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Division I Advanced

Place	Team Name	Sponsor Name	District
3	[2B] [2B]	Catherine Tabor	Cannutillo ISD
1	Codebusters	Carlota Basurto	Clint ISD
2	<Pointy Bois>	Carlota Basurto	Clint ISD
1	Team 2	Lynden Rosier	Eanes ISD
2	Team 1	Lynden Rosier	Eanes ISD
3	Team 4	Lynden Rosier	Eanes ISD
2	Westerners 1	Sam Black	Lubbock ISD
3	PSHSA1	Jonathan Yee	Plano ISD
2	West Advanced 1	Robin Bailey	Plano ISD
1	Microsoft Tech Support	Henry Vo	Richardson ISD
1	Wylie1	Deana Evenden	Wylie ISD

Division I Novice

Place	Team Name	Sponsor Name	District/Employer
2	Wylie2	Deana Evenden	Wylie ISD
1	The Circus	Catherine Tabor	Cannutillo ISD
2	Red Dog Programmers	Catherine Tabor	Cannutillo ISD
1	507-team7?	Lynden Rosier	Eanes ISD
2	Team 6	Lynden Rosier	Eanes ISD
1	Westerners 2	Sam Black	Lubbock ISD
3	PESH Novice 1	Ann Horton	Plano ISD
1	Apple Tech Support	Henry Vo	Richardson ISD
2	Apple Customer Support	Henry Vo	Richardson ISD

Division II Advanced

Place	Team Name	Sponsor Name	District/Employer
1	Java Junkies	Louis Fleming	Andrews ISD
2	Wildcat Team One	Ross Robles	Fabens ISD
1	HSA 1	Marisol Beltran Del Rio	Harmony Public Schools
1	Needville Advanced 1	Delta Mcfarland	Needville ISD

Division II Novice

Place	Team Name	Sponsor Name	District/Employer
1	Code Warriors	Louis Fleming	Andrews ISD
2	Keyboard Not Found	Louis Fleming	Andrews ISD
1	HSA 2	Marisol Beltran Del Rio	Harmony Public Schools
2	HSA 4	Marisol Beltran Del Rio	Harmony Public Schools
3	HSA 3	Marisol Beltran Del Rio	Harmony Public Schools
1	Needville Novice 1	Delta Mcfarland	Needville ISD
2	Needville Novice 2	Delta Mcfarland	Needville ISD
1	Java Knights	Tom Schmieder	San Augustine ISD
1	Savio Eagles	Sylvia Wood	St. Dominic Savio Catholic HS

TCEA congratulates all the teams that participated for their dedication and hard work. The students — along with the parents, teachers, and sponsors who helped guide them — represented their districts well.

“These teams should be very proud,” says TCEA Executive Director Lori Gracey. “Everyone involved this year not only broadened their skill set, but also set the stage to grow the computer science contest. We’re excited to see this activity continue to inspire and educate. It’s an excellent way for students to develop future-ready skills in a team-based setting.”

TCEA (tcea.org) is a nonprofit, member-based organization that has supported the use of technology in education since 1980. Our primary focus is on integrating technology into the PreK-16 environment and providing our members with cutting-edge knowledge and resources through conferences, workshops, online and print publications, and collaborations with higher education and business

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