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*presents*  
**Academic WorldQuest 2024**

**Global Studies & Competition**  
for high school students in a  
virtual game mode.



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Official Study Guide

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**Registration Open**

FEBRUARY 24, 2024

**Indiana Council on World Affairs**  
**Academic WorldQuest 2024**  
**2nd hybrid Indiana Academic WorldQuest competition**  
**Academic WorldQuest 2023**  
**1st ever hybrid Indiana Academic WorldQuest competition**



Photo Credit: Ray Montagno, President, Indiana Council on World Affairs.

**Thanks! Academic Partners, Teachers, Students & Sponsors  
who create Indiana's Academic WorldQuest 2024 - 20th year!**

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# Academic WorldQuest™



Academic WorldQuest, a nationwide World Affairs Councils of America youth education program, tests high school students' knowledge of global geography, international economics, history, world cultures, and current events. Each year, over 3,000 high school students compete in local quiz-style events organized by more than 40 local World Affairs Councils across the US. All high schools in Indiana are eligible to participate, including public, charter, private, or home school. 2024 marks the Indiana Council on World Affairs' 20th year of sending a team of four high school students, and their teacher, to the national competition in Washington, DC.

Each school may register as many teams of students as are interested, subject to approval of the WACA and ICWA. The competition and on-line Study Guide are free of charge. The winning team represents Indiana in the national AWQ competition, paid in-large-part by ICWA. Some years, with donor support and named sponsors, there are cash awards.

## 2023-2024 Academic WorldQuest™ Topics - Students will Learn About:

1. The North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO): Alliance and Collective Defense in a Changing World
2. Demographic Dividends - Population Shift in Africa
3. The Global South
4. Sports and Diplomacy
5. Country in Focus: South Korea
6. Promoting a Green Europe
7. Women's Contributions to Track II Diplomacy
8. Navigating AI: The Global Workforce
9. Great Decisions
10. Current Events

Source: World Affairs Councils of America. September 5, 2023

## Timeline for Academic WorldQuest 2024:

### March 1, 2023 - Registration opened for AWQ 2024

Information and Registration: Teachers and students can begin early plans for participating in AWQ. Information on AWQ 2024 is posted on the ICWA website at: [IndianaWorld.org](http://IndianaWorld.org).

### September 5, 2023 - Topics Announced

### By: October 5, 2023 - Official Study Guide published on-line

### By: February 15, 2024 - Registration due date

Register your students at this time. So that the scoring system can be set up, provide your students' names and emails.

### February 24, 2024 - Indiana Competition - Hybrid Event: In-person with Virtual Option

University of Indianapolis, Schwitzer Center, UIndy Hall, 1400 E. Hannah Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46227. Quiz is presented using Quizziz via Zoom. Each team is equipped with their own laptop computer. Virtual events are held for participating students around the state in high schools and community centers.

**Schedule:** 10:00 am Doors Open. 11:00 am Quiz Begins. 12:30 pm Lunch. 1:30 pm Quiz Ends. 3:30 pm Doors Close

### April 19, 2024 - College and Career Fair and Welcome Reception

### April 20, 2024 - National Competition at the United States Institute of Peace on the Mall

Hosted in Washington, DC by the World Affairs Councils of America with a College and Career Fair and Reception on Friday followed by the National Competition on Saturday. There will be time for tours around our nation's capital city.



- *Thank you teachers, students & sponsors who create AWQ 2024!*
- *ICWA welcomes sponsors for world affairs youth education.*

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To Register: [Academic WorldQuest](http://AcademicWorldQuest) | [ICWA \(indianaworld.org\)](http://ICWA) and  
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