

THE QUEST

BID DISTRIBUTION

Teams can compete for Quest bids at one of many Varsity events held around the United States. Varsity Brand competitions award four different types of Quest bids: AT-LARGE, BRONZE, SILVER and PAID. All Varsity events are guaranteed to have At- Large Bids at every event!

PAID BIDS

PAID BIDS will go to the highest scoring bid eligible teams in Performance / Traditional Recreational divisions across different levels in Affiliated / Non-Affiliated based on the number of bids being awarded and number of teams actually competing. When multiple bids are being offered, bids may be spread between Performance / Traditional. These Bids will be awarded at Nationals and Grand National events.

SILVER BIDS

SILVER Bids are PARTIAL PAID bids that discount your registration 50% off the participant package. These bids will go to the highest scoring bid eligible teams in Performance / Traditional Recreational divisions across different levels in Affiliated / Non-Affiliated. When multiple bids are being offered bids maybe spread between Performance / Traditional. These bids will be awarded at select Showdown events.

BRONZE BIDS

BRONZE Bids are PARTIAL PAID bids that discount your registration 25% off the participant package. These bids will go to the highest scoring bid eligible teams in Performance / Traditional Recreational divisions across different levels in Affiliated / Non-Affiliated. When multiple bids are being offered bids may be spread between Performance / Traditional. These bids will be awarded at Classic events

AT-LARGE BIDS

AT-LARGE bids are event invitation bids that qualify your team to compete at The Quest. These tiers have no discount associated with the bid. The AT-LARGE bids will go to the highest scoring bid eligible teams in Performance / Traditional Recreational divisions across levels and/or age groups in Affiliated / Non-Affiliated. At events where PAID or PARTIAL PAID bids are awarded, AT-LARGE bids will then go to the next highest scoring bid eligible teams across the different remaining levels and/or age groups in Performance/Traditional or Affiliated/Non-Affiliated divisions. These bids will be awarded at all Championship events. At all Varsity events where Quest Bids are being awarded; one additional At-Large bid will be dedicated to the affiliated division.

The Affiliated or Non-Affiliated levels will be divided as follows:

Performance - L1, L2/L2.1, L3/L3.1 & L4*

Traditional - L1, L2/L2.1, L3/L3.1 & Open

*When awarding AT-LARGE bids, any PAID or PARTIAL PAID bids awarded will be considered when determining different levels (ex: at an event where there are 3 At-Large Bids, if 1 PARTIAL PAID bid is awarded to a L2 Affiliated 18 & Younger team, then that means Affiliated L1, L3/L3.1, L4, Open/NB or Non-Affiliated L1, L2/L2.1, L3/L3.1, L4, Open/Non Building are the only levels eligible for the first three AT-LARGE bids, once those levels have been satisfied, then ALL levels and/or age groups are eligible for the remaining bids as the process to satisfy the levels starts over. Bids will be based on the number of teams competing.

Once your team accepts an AT-LARGE Bid for The Quest, that AT-LARGE Bid can be upgraded to a PAID Bid, SILVER OR BRONZE bid. Once your team accepts a BRONZE or SILVER bid for The Quest, those bids can also be upgraded to a PAID Bid.

You can replace athletes on your roster and add additional athletes, as long as it does not change the division you qualified with. If you receive a PAID Bid or PARTIAL PAID Bid, you will only receive the credit of a PAID Bid or PARTIAL PAID Bid for the number of athletes that competed on the floor at the qualifying event. The cost associated with the Quest will be the responsibility of the team to pay for any athletes who are added to the PAID Bid roster.

Additional Qualification guidelines

- There is a limit of 3 PAID bids for any event.
- There is no limit for At-large bids.
- PAID bid and SILVER bid events must have at least 3 Rec teams registered for the event in order to be validated. If there are less than three team in attendance the percentage bid will roll back to a SILVER bid or a BRONZE bid
- There are minimum team numbers required to offer additional bids based on team registration. If team numbers are “in- between” the two- classifications numbers, no additional bids will be given outside of additional At- LARGE Bids.

Bid Type:	Percentage toward Quest	Sliding Scale:	Events:
At-Large	Qualified to compete	All events get 1 AL then sliding scale of 1:3	At Challenges + All events + virtual
Bronze	Quarter Paid - 25%	Every 5 teams = 1 Bid	Only Classic Events
Silver	Partial Paid - 50%	Every 10 teams = 1 Bid	Only Showdown Events
PAID	Paid Bid- 100%	Every 15 teams = 1 Bid	Only Nationals and Grand Nationals

THE QUEST at the *Walt Disney World*® Resort March 11-12, 2022

For more information please visit: www.varsity.com/thequest

