# 2024 Kickoff - 40th Anniversary Season

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD BE: PART OF IT

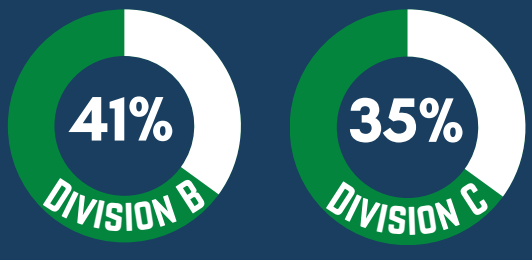
2023 saw 9% growth in Division B and 6% growth in Division C compared to 2022. We're thrilled that every State Tournament was conducted in person during the 2023 Season and students experienced the magic of Science Olympiad IRL!

## Key Stats

- **5,825** Teams
- **175K** Students
- **330** Tournaments

## Title I Impact

In 2023, 41% of Division B Teams and 35% of Division C Teams were from schools that receive Title I federal education funds.




## 2023 National Tournament

The highlight of the season for many was the National Tournament, hosted at Wichita State University! Over 2,000 of the country's top science students participated from 50 states, where Stevenson High School (IL) & Kennedy Middle School (CA) were crowned champs.

## 40th Annual National Tournament

Science Olympiad Since 1984 40 Years — Exploring the World of Science

Michigan State University

We're going full circle! The 40th Annual Science Olympiad National Tournament will be held at Michigan State University on May 24-25, 2024, the host of our very first National Tournament. We are so grateful for everyone who has made this historic milestone possible.

## Program Reach

- **7B** Media Impressions
- **4.5M** Views of soinc.org
- **17K** MY SO Lesson Plan Downloads
- **45K** STEM Session YouTube Views

## Professional Development

Over 350 Division B & Division C Coaches joined us for our summer workshops - Virtual Event Clinic & the first ever Event Build Clinic.

## Supporting Future STEM Leaders

In 2023, the Science Olympiad USA Foundation awarded $50,000 in Founders' Scholarships for high-achieving seniors and $50,000 in Science Olympiad Alumni Research (SOAR) Grants for breakthrough medical and energy research!

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