

Twin Cities Regional Spelling Bee

February 25, 2027
Saint Paul College

An Academic Competition for Grades 4-8

The **Twin Cities Regional Spelling Bee** is a competition consisting of the top spellers from Metro area schools. The process begins with schools registering through Scripps to hold a school-wide spelling bee. Each school bee champion qualifies to participate in the Twin Cities Regional Spelling Bee on February 25, 2027. Our champion then goes on to compete at the Scripps National Spelling Bee May 31-June 4, 2027 in Washington, D.C.

School Bee

School Bee Coordinators must hold their bees by the end of January 2027. There are many resources available through Scripps to help School Bee Coordinators run a successful bee, including study lists for your students, official competition lists, customizable certificates, and more.

Estimated Schedule

4:00 - 4:30 pm - Student Check-In
4:30 - 4:40 pm - Welcome
4:40 - 5:00 pm - Rules and Guidelines
5:00 - 5:15 pm - Practice Round
5:15 pm - Competition Rounds Begin
9:00 pm - Awards Ceremony



Program Feedback

71% of students agreed that they increased their understanding of words and language while studying for the Twin Cities Regional Spelling Bee.



Registration Information

Fee Per Participating School (paid to Scripps):

\$199 to hold a sanctioned bee

Regional Bee Participation Fee (paid to SparkPath):

BrightWorks Members: \$41/speller

Non-Members: \$81/speller

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