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BRAIN BEE | 2017

Long Island high school students (14-18 years of age) from both Nassau and Suffolk counties are invited to participate in a one-day **Brain Bee**, a grassroots science competition that takes place in various communities throughout the United States. Winners of regional competitions advance to compete at the national level.

Date/Time:

Saturday, February 4, 2017
8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Location:

Hofstra Northwell School of Medicine
500 Hofstra University
Hempstead, NY 11549-5000

Registration Deadline:

December 2, 2016

Brain Bee tests your knowledge of brain facts. The competition includes three components:

- 1) Written test of multiple choice questions on brain facts.
- 2) Laboratory demonstrations on normal and pathological human brains as well as spinal cord specimens.
- 3) Test to identify anatomical structures and functions in real human brain specimens.

Following the laboratory examination, participants have lunch with current Hofstra University undergraduates and medical students, as well as physicians, scientists and professors who are experts in brain biology.

Prizes

Gift cards are awarded to the students earning the top three scores. First place prize includes reimbursement for travel/lodging costs for the winner and one chaperone to attend the National Brain Bee competition in Baltimore, MD (March 2017).

For more information and to register free of charge, please visit medicine.hofstra.edu/Brainbee.

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