

2026 - 2027 Season

Types of Fees	What the Fee Includes	Cost
FIRST HQ Season Fee	Season Fee registration includes an official <i>FIRST</i> team number, team-management and career-readiness resources, access to discounted control-system components and build kits, and eligibility for team awards and <i>FIRST</i> Leadership Award nominations. Event participation, robot build kits, and control-system hardware are not included.	\$350.00
TEXAS QUALIFYING EVENT FEES		
Central, North, and South Regions	Teams select either a League or two Qualifiers, depending on regional options. A League includes 3 League Meets and 1 League Tournament. Teams participating through Qualifiers will typically attend one fall and one spring Qualifier.	\$325.00
West & Panhandle Region	Includes 3 League Meets and 1 League Tournament. The lower fee reflects Texas Tech University management and support, which reduces regional event-delivery costs.	\$90.00
East Region	Paid directly to San Jacinto College, outside the <i>FIRST</i> Texas registration process. Includes 3 League Meets, 1 League Tournament, and the Regional Championship if the team advances. San Jacinto College manages East regional delivery, so its fee and payment structure differs.	-
TEXAS ADVANCING EVENT FEES		
Central and North Regions Semi-Regional Event Fee	An intermediate advancement event used in North and Central between League or Qualifier play and the Regional Championship. Includes competition matches and judging. Teams advancing from this event to the Regional Championship will have a reduced Regional Championship Event Fee.	\$250.00
Central, East, North, and South Regions Regional Championship Event Fee	The culminating regional event, including competition matches and judging. Teams compete for advancement to the Texas State Cup, <i>FIRST</i> Championship, or Premier Events.	\$350.00
West & Panhandle Region Regional Championship Event Fee	The Regional Championship for advancing West & Panhandle teams, including competition matches and judging. The lower fee reflects Texas Tech University support that reduces regional event-delivery costs.	\$200.00
UIL State Championship Event Fee	Entry for eligible high school teams that qualify through regional performance to compete in the UIL State Championship.	\$600.00
Texas State Cup Event Fee	Entry to the end-of-season Texas capstone event for qualifying teams from across the state.	\$750.00
Texas State Cup + UIL State Championship Bundle	Discounted combined entry for teams participating in both the UIL State Championship and the Texas State Cup.	\$1,100.00