



# The National Youth Cyber Defense Competition

The national youth cyber defense competition is an online, tournament-structured event in which teams of 2-6 students are scored on how well they identify and remediate cyber vulnerabilities and build secure virtual networks.

**CYBERPATRIOT**

MOTIVATING STUDENTS TOWARD CAREERS IN CYBERSECURITY AND STEM

**Students compete in three divisions:**

- **Open Division:** Open to all high schools, scouting units, boys and girls clubs, home school programs, and other approved youth organizations
- **All Service High School Division:** JROTC programs/Civil Air Patrol/Naval Sea Cadet Corps
- **Middle School Division:** Open to teams of middle school students
- **Entry Fee:** \$205 per HS team/\$165 per MS team

Each spring, winners at the National Finals Competition are awarded scholarships, and all registered competitors are eligible to apply for internship opportunities. The competition is not only fun and exciting, it also creates a career path for today's students, fostering continued education from high school through college and into the beginning of their careers.

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## CYBERPATRIOT AT HVA

Hardin Valley Academy has three active CyberPatriot teams each year. We compete in the open division.

For more information about becoming a CyberPatriot please contact:

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