

## The BEST spring/summer programs are here!

Calling all students who want to have some fun and learn new skills at the same time...

BEST spring/summer programs are open to ANY students, regardless of prior participation or future participation in the BEST robotics competition. Heck, you don't even have to be on a participating team.



**March 3rd – April 14th**

Our BEST IQ Challenge begins on March 3 and runs through April 14. See if you have what it takes. What's your BEST IQ?

[See the Promo Video here!](#)

[Find out how to get your Student Account \(if you don't have one\) and register for the Spring/Summer programs here.](#)

On the start date, visit the Program Workflow page for the challenge (from your ME page) and look for the rules and instructions.



**Feb 16th – April 28th**

Don't forget about [bESTology](#), with weekly updates through April 28<sup>th</sup>. Access it anytime!

bESTology is our weekly education series of research/activity lessons that is designed to educate students on an array of topics related to the annual industry theme or problem. You may get some hints related to the fall robotics competition as you prepare and research the annual theme.

# **BEST APC** AUTONOMOUS PROGRAMMING CHALLENGE

Featuring **NEW**  
Mini-drone challenge



**April 1st – 15th**



Our BEST Autonomous Programming Challenge will feature a new mini-drone challenge from our partners at Mathworks. Use your autonomous programming skills to guide your drone along various paths that you define! Learn how to control the pitch, roll, & yaw of your aircraft and land it safely on the pad. The challenge lasts only 2 weeks (April 1-15) so get registered and prepared today! Register to participate today through your ME page in your BEST National Registry account.

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Follow it up with some robot programming with BESTAPC: On Your Own from April 16 – May 13. Select any of 3 possible challenge courses and program your robot to autonomously complete the tasks!

**Also Coming Summer 2024! Stay Tuned...**



**Jun 19 – Jul 14**



**Jun 2 – Jul 28**