

Rules Changes

- Documentation
 - Bots IQ rules
 - Our adaptation
 - Must be presented at check in
 - A check list will be used to quickly evaluate minimum submission
 - Minimum 1 inch 3 ring view binder
 - School name, team name, robot name contact information must be inserted in the view window.
 - Must have index
 - Must have tabbed sections for items listed in the PORTFOLIO Section of the Documentation Check Rubric
 - Must have team materials in each tabbed section
 - Missing or incomplete binder will result in disqualification
 - No binder – no combat – no exception
 - Discussion

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- Issue 1 – Journals or Compositions
 - Teams should be consistent
 - All members use one or the other
 - If using journals they should be submitted in a separate 3 ring binder. Recommendation is for teams to purchase pre-punched engineering journals. Journals should clearly indicate who they are from.

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- If using composition
 - Teams should be consistent
 - Will be in the first section of the binder
 - Individual submissions are separated and each one clearly indicates who wrote the document.
 - Teams will identify core team members and contributing members.
 - Core team members should submit minimum of 2 page document as per national guidelines however emphasis in judging will be on quality of the submission rather than size. (a poor 2 page submission could score lower than an excellent one page submission.)

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- If using compositions
 - Contributing team members will be scored without reference to the national guidelines which state a 2 page minimum.
- Remember- writing is an enabling skill set. When you can do it well it opens doors. All students should be encouraged to write as often and whenever possible.